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FREE GRAMMAR PRACTICE · FORMS 1–3

Comparing with Adjectives and Adverbs

An adjective describes a noun · an adverb describes a verb

	Adjective	Adverb
Word	Tom is a **careful** driver.	Tom drives **carefully**.
Comparative	Tom is **more careful than** Ben.	Tom drives **more carefully than** Ben.
Superlative	Tom is **the most careful** driver.	Tom drives **the most carefully**.
Special	good → better → the best	well → better → the best · fast → faster

Make a difference bigger or smaller: **much** / **far** / **a little** + comparative: *much faster*, *a little more slowly*.

PART A Choose

Tick (✓) the correct word.

1. Lucy speaks English (☐ fluent ☐ fluently).
2. This sofa feels (☐ soft ☐ softly).
3. Paul ran (☐ faster ☐ fastest) than everyone else.
4. Amy sings (☐ better ☐ best) than her sister.

PART B Fill in

Fill in the correct form of the word in brackets. Add than or the where needed.

1. The MTR is _____ (much / fast) the bus.
2. Of all the students, Ben worked _____ (hard).
3. This year's exam was _____ (a little / easy) last year's.
4. Mary is _____ (careful) student in our class.

PART C Rewrite

Rewrite each sentence with the words in brackets. Keep the meaning the same.

1. Paul is a quick swimmer. (swims)

   _____

2. Nobody in the team plays as well as Amy. (best)

   _____

Answers **A** 1 fluently · 2 soft · 3 faster · 4 better **B** 1 much faster than · 2 the hardest / hardest · 3 a little easier than · 4 the most careful **C** 1 Paul swims quickly. · 2 Amy plays (the) best in the team. / Amy is the best player in the team.

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