

# Pupil Workbook

## Level 5 Week 24

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Focus: adding -er to adjectives

When we add -er to the end of an adjective, it means 'more', e.g. loud, louder.

**louder**

**fresher**

**quicker**

**colder**



**1. Read the common exception words.**

Colour the parts of the words that are tricky.

beautiful

treasure

**2. Write the common exception words.**

Which is the tricky part of the word? Why is it tricky? Colour the tricky part in a different colour. Write the word two more times.

Monday

Tuesday

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**3. Read and match.**

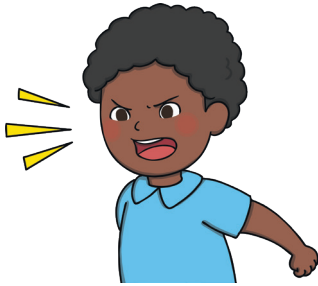
Read these words and match them to the correct picture.  
Add in sound buttons to help you.

**quicker**

**colder**

**louder**

**quieter**



One of the words does not match a picture. Can you draw a picture to match the word?

How confident do you feel?



Focus: adding **-er** to adjectives

1. Read the sentences.

Tick the sentence that matches the picture.

**A bird is quieter than a lion.**

**Race cars are faster than buses.**

**The girl is bigger than the boy.**



2. Write the root word and add the suffix.

Add **-er** to the adjectives and write the new words on the lines below.

**high**

**clean**

**low**

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Write the focus words.

louder

fresher

quicker

colder

How confident do you feel?



**loudest**

**freshest**

**quickest**

**coldest**

When the **-est** suffix goes at the end of an adjective, the adjective becomes the 'most' it can be, e.g. clean, cleanest.



**1. Read and match.**

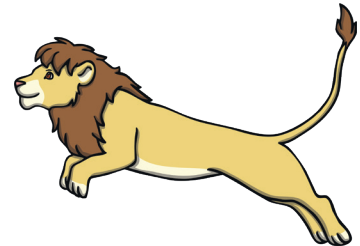
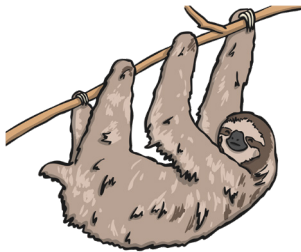
Read these words and match them to the correct picture.  
Add in sound buttons to help you.

**loudest**

**quickest**

**quietest**

**slowest**



One of the words does not match a picture. Can you draw a picture to match the word?

**2. Read the sentences.**

Tick the sentence that matches the picture.

**The drums were the loudest instrument in the band.**

**The boy ran the quickest.**

**The yellow light was the brightest on the tree.**



**3. Write the root word and add the suffix.**

Add **-est** to the adjectives and write the new words on the lines below.

**sweet**

**long**

**high**

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How confident do you feel?



Focus: adding **-est** to adjectives

**1. Read the text.**

Read the text and highlight all of the words that contain the -est suffix.

In Kenya, there are lots of animals that live in the wild.

**Elephant:**

The African elephant is the largest terrestrial animal. It has white tusks and huge ears, which help to keep it cool on the hottest days.

**Crocodile:**

With its powerful jaws, the crocodile is the strongest reptile in Africa.

**Lion:**

The lion is one of the largest wild cats. When they are not hunting, lions spend lots of time resting in the shade. The lion is also the loudest big cat. You can hear them from five miles away!

**Cheetah:**

The cheetah is the fastest land animal. The cheetah's beautiful spots help it to blend in so it can hunt for food.

**2. Write the -est words you found.**

Write the adjective without the -est suffix in the second column.

<b>-est</b>	<b>adjective</b>
loudest	loud

How confident do you feel?



**-er**

**-est**

**1. Write the sentence your teacher says.**

Think carefully about which graphemes to use to spell the words and how to add the suffixes.

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How confident do you feel?





**1. Write your own silly sentence.**

Use words containing the **-er** and **-est** suffixes.

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u_e flute	e_e trapeze	ou mouth	a acorn	e equal	i lion	o hotel	u unicorn
ch chef	ch Christmas	ir girl	ue statue	ue glue	y sunny	aw saw	au autumn
ow window	oe toe	wh wheel	c city	g gem	ph dolphin	ea bread	ie shield
tch witch	are bare	ear pear	ore core	ew screw	ew stew		

**2. Practise spelling the focus words.**

Look and Say	Look, Say and Write	Cover and Write	Check
louder			
fresher			
quicker			
colder			
loudest			
freshest			
quickest			
coldest			
Monday			
Tuesday			