

## Grammar Practice - Comparisons

**Instructions:** Complete the tasks below with your partners.

### Task 1: Comparing Adjectives

Look at the transportation options below. Which do you prefer? Why?

- Bus
- Train
- Motorcycle
- Bicycle
- Personal Car
- Uber
- Taxi
- Other kind of transportation

Look at the adjectives below. Which can describe the different transportation options above? Write additional adjectives in the four green spaces. If you don't know how to say it in English, use Google for help!

<b>Cheap</b>	<b>Exciting</b>	<b>Boring</b>	<b>Stressful</b>
<b>Dangerous</b>	<b>Slow</b>	<b>Expensive</b>	<b>Safe</b>
<b>fast</b>	<b>comfortable</b>	<b>interesting</b>	<b>insecure</b>

### Task 2: Comparing

Write the correct form of the adjective in parentheses.

1. I think traveling by bus is cheaper\_\_\_**cheaper**\_\_\_ (**cheap**) than taking the train.
  - a. I don't think so. The bus from Cartago to San Jose is more expensive (**expensive**) than the train.
2. I think bicycles are **cheaper** (**cheap**) and **faster** (**fast**) than cars.
  - a. Well, you're right. Cars are \_\_\_**more**\_\_\_ (**expensive**), but they are not \_\_\_**slower**\_\_\_ (**slow**) than bikes.
3. An Uber ride is \_\_\_**more**\_\_\_ (**relaxing**) than driving your personal car.
  - a. I agree. Driving your personal car is \_\_\_**more**\_\_\_ (**stressful**) because you have to look for parking.
4. I think taking the bus at night is \_\_\_**more**\_\_\_ (**dangerous**) than walking.
  - a. Really? I think they're both dangerous. I don't think one option is safer (**safe**) than the other.

5. Which place do you think is **\_\_better\_\_** (**good**) for a nice bike ride with friends, Puriscal or Cartago?
- a. I don't know. I think they're both great. I don't think one is **\_more\_\_** (**exciting**) than the other.

### Task 3: Your Comparisons

Use the adjectives from Task 1 to make sentences comparing different transportation options in Costa Rica. Use the phrases in **blue** to help structure your ideas.

- I think ... is \_\_\_\_\_ than ... because ....
- I don't think that \_\_\_\_\_ is ... because ....

#### Adjectives

Cheap	Exciting	Boring	Stressful
Dangerous	Slow	Expensive	Safe

#### Your Comparisons

- Personal car is safer than bicycle because in the crash can hold the impact.
- ...ride a motorcycle is more dangerous than drive a personal car
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- Bus is cheaper than taxi because only have to pay one rate.