

Unit 9



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Grade four /

Dictation List

- 1) I like the enormous playground in my school because there is lots of space to run around and play.
- 2) I like the big school because there are many classrooms.
- 3) I like the healthy food in my school.
- 4) I don't like the short break because there is no time to eat and play.
- 5) I prefer to live in a city because there are many shops and cafe's.
- 6) There are museums and cinemas. / There are different people.
- 7) I prefer to live in a town because there is more space and fresh air.
- 8) There aren't many people. / There is less traffic.
- 9) I don't like the small screens because the subtitles are tiny.
- 10) massive - noisy - scary - village - fast - slow - tall - short
- weigh

Read and answer:

Hello. My name is Rashid. I live in a village in the countryside. My school isn't very big. I like my school because it's really friendly. There are children of all ages in the same classroom. The older children help the younger ones. The only problem is that the playground is tiny.

1- The best title is :

- a. Rashid and his family
- b. Rashid and his school
- c. The life in the countryside



2- Rashid lives in the :

- a. city
- b. village
- c. mountain

3- Rashid likes his school because it's :

- a. tiny
- b. big
- c. friendly

Read and answer:

Hi. I'm Tariq. There are 800 children at my school. My school has got a large playground. So there's lots of space to run around and play ball. I like my school because there are lots of different kids to work and play with. My school can be very noisy when we are all having our lunch at the same time.

1- There are children at Tariq's school.

- a. 80
- b. 800
- c. 8000

2- The playground is

- a. small
- b. tiny
- c. large

3- Tariq loves his school because

- a. it has a small playground
- b. it's noisy
- c. There are lots of kids to play with



Complete the table:

Things you like about your school	Things you don't like about your school
1-	1-
2-	2-
3-	3-

Answer the following questions:

1- Do you go to a big or a small school?

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2- What do you like about your school?

At my school I like

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3- What don't you like about your school?

At my school I don't like

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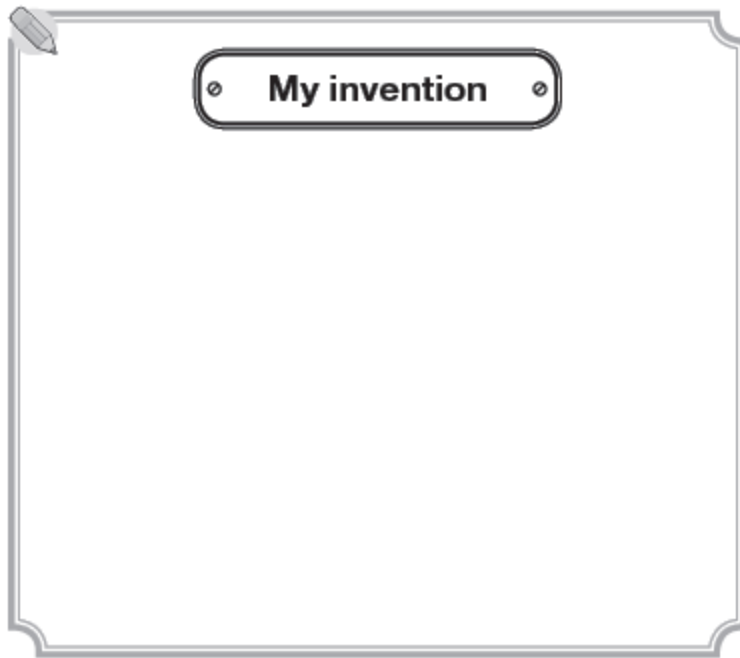
4- When can your school be noisy?

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5- When can your school be quiet?

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Write about an invention that you would invent to help people.
Draw a picture of your invention.



I would invent a It is

..... It has

My invention can

.....

My invention helps people and makes their life

Language detective

When we compare two things, we add *-er* to the adjective. If the adjective ends in *y*, we add *-ier*.



A car **is bigger** than a bike.

The lion **is hungrier** than the cat.

Examples:

- # My mother is shorter than my sister.
- # My car is bigger than your car.

Choose the correct answers:

- 1- Ahmad is than Ali. (tall - taller - tallest)
- 2- My mother is than my father. (young - younger - youngest)
- 3- My friend is than me. (old - older - oldest)
- 4- Rashid's car is than your car. (fast - faster - fastest)

Correct the adjectives:

- 1- Majid is (short) than Saleh.
- 2- His car is (slow) than my car.
- 3- The elephant is (big) than the cat.
- 4- Her neck is (long) than my neck.

Complete the sentences:

screen - subtitles - museum - traffic - cinema - cafe'

- 1- I like to go to the to watch a movie. It has a big
- 2- I can't understand Japanese films without Arabic
- 3- The good thing about a small town is having less
- 4- We can see old things in the

Language detective

When we compare one thing with lots of other things, we use **the** ____est.

If the adjective ends in **y** then we use **the** ____iest.

For longer words, we use **the most** _____ .

The ghaf tree is **the tallest** tree in the desert.

He is **the funniest** person I know.

I think the oryx is **the most beautiful** animal in the desert.



Superlatives مقارنة شيء بجميع الأشياء	يجب أن يكون قبل الكلمة theest the most
large → the largest wide → the widest	الصفة التي تنتهي بحرف e نضيف st فقط
big → the biggest sad → the saddest wet → the wettest	الصفة التي تنتهي بحرف متحرك يتبعه حرف ساكن نضاعف الحرف الأخير
funny → the funniest happy → the happiest scary → the scariest dry → the driest easy → the easiest sunny → the sunniest	الصفة التي تتكون من مقطع واحد صغير ينتهي ب y نحوله إلى i
interesting → the most interesting dangerous → the most dangerous	الصفة التي تتكون من حروف كثيرة (طويلة) لا تتغير الكلمة، إنما يضاف قبلها the most
strong → the strongest tall → the tallest	أما غير ما ذكر سابقا فتضاف فقط the est

Read and circle the answer:

- 1- The desert is the land in the U.A.E. (dry - drier - driest)
- 2- A frog is than a dog. (small - smaller - smallest)
- 3- English test is the test. (easy - easier - easiest)
- 4- The film tonight is than yesterday's film. (scary - scarier - the scariest)
- 5- Mr. Ben is the Person. (funnier - funny - funniest)

Comparing two or more things with **more**, **most**, **less** and **few**.



Joud has 20 balls.



Elham has 10 balls.



Salma has 30 balls.

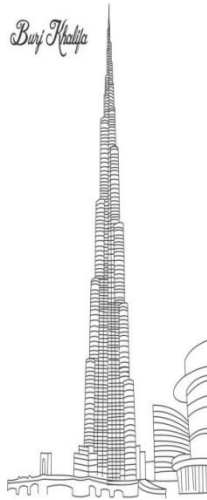
Read and circle the answer:

- 1- Joud has balls than Elham. (more - fewer - less)
- 2- Salma has the balls. (most - fewest - least)
- 3- Joud has the juice. (most - least - fewest)
- 4- Elham has juice than Salma. (fewer - less - more)
- 5- Elham has the balls. (most - fewest - least)

- Use **more** if you are comparing two things or people.
- Use the **most** if you are comparing more than two things or people.
- Use **few** to compare things you can count.
- Use **less** to compare things you can't count.

Complete the sentences using the superlative adjectives:

- 1- My sister is theperson in my family. (short)
- 2- The lion is the animal in the forest. (dangerous)
- 3- I think superman is the man. (powerful)
- 4- Mountain Everest is the mountain on Earth. (high)
- 4- Burj Khalifa is the building in the U.A.E. (tall)



Read and answer:

A Tall Tale - part 1

Paul Bunyan was the biggest baby ever born. He was a good baby but he was always very hungry. When Paul was hungry, he cried so loudly that the house used to shake and the windows used to break. The frogs in the pond started wearing earplugs!

For breakfast every day, Paul Bunyan's mum and dad fed him 12 eggs, a loaf of bread, 10 bananas and 24 pancakes with lots of syrup. Pancakes were Paul's favourite food.

Paul grew bigger and bigger. He grew two centimetres every day. By the time Paul was seven, he was taller than the tallest home in his village.



1- Paul was thebaby ever born.

- a- smallest
- b- oldest
- c- biggest

2- He was always

- a- hungry
- b- angry
- c- sad

3- His favourite food was

- a- banana
- b- eggs
- c- pancake

4- Paul was the in the village.

- a- shortest
- b- youngest
- c- tallest

5- The best title is

- a- The biggest baby
- b- The crying baby
- c- Paul and pancakes

Read and answer:

Paul went to school, but he was too big to fit inside. He had to lie outside on the grass and watch through the window. After school, the children used to come and play with Paul. But sometimes he felt lonely.

'What's the matter?' Paul's mum asked.

'I wish I had a friend who was my size,' Paul said to his mum.

One winter, there was a huge snowstorm.

Paul heard something crying outside. He went out in the storm to see who was there. He dug through the snow and found a baby ox – a very big baby ox, just the right size to be Paul's friend. 'Hello!' exclaimed Paul. The ox was so cold that it had turned blue. Paul brought the ox inside. He called the ox Babe.

Paul and Babe the Blue Ox became best friends. They loved wrestling together. At night, Paul used to read bedtime stories to Babe.



1- Paul wished to have

- a- an ox
- b- a friend
- c- a bed

2- He found an.....

- a- ox
- b- snow
- c- school

3- The ox was

- a- small
- b- big
- c- short

4- The best title is

- a- The new friend
- b- The snowstorm
- c- Sad Paul

5- The ox was

- a- blue and small
- b- red and big
- c- blue and big

Read and answer:

A Tall Tale - part 2

On his 18th birthday, Paul's parents gave him a huge axe for cutting down trees.

Paul loved his axe. He could cut down a tree with one chop of his axe.

'I'm going to be a logger,' said Paul.

Paul and Babe the Blue Ox set out for the big forests. They met a group of strong men and together they became a team of loggers.

The men cut down trees and Babe dragged the logs to a long curvy river. The logs floated down the river to the town to be sold.

Paul and the loggers worked so fast that the river filled with logs. The logs got stuck in the curves of the river.

Paul tied Babe to the end of the river. Babe pulled and pulled until the river was straight.

The logs became unstuck and floated quickly to the town.



1- Paul's parents gave him a huge axe when he was

- a- 17
- b- 18
- c- 80

2- He became a

- a- baker
- b- doctor
- c- logger

3- Circle the words that describe Paul:

- a- angry
- b- lazy
- c- strong
- d- friendly
- e- helpful
- f- scary
- g- enormous