1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. She’s the **politest** child I know.

* R
* W

1. Lucy is definitely the **most polite** child in the class.

* R
* W

1. Jones is the **most common** surname in Wales.

* R
* W

1. The **commonest** reason given for absence from work is flu.

* R
* W

1. Can these words complete the sentence correctly: yes (Y) or no (N)?

He’s … friendly as she is.

1. as

* Y
* N

1. so

* Y
* N

1. not as

* Y
* N

1. not so

* Y
* N

1. Which sounds most natural?

* You ought to rest **as much time** as possible.
* You ought to rest **for as much** as possible.
* You ought to rest **as much** as possible.

1. Can the words below complete the sentence correctly: yes (Y) or no (N)?

It’s … as cold as yesterday.

1. almost

* Y
* N

1. not nearly

* Y
* N

1. just

* Y
* N

1. like

* Y
* N

1. nothing like

* Y
* N

1. every bit

* Y
* N

1. exactly

* Y
* N

1. not quite

* Y
* N

1. Which sounds more natural?

I used to think he was clever. Now ...

* ... I’m not **as** sure .
* ... I’m not **so** sure .

1. Can phrases A–D finish the sentence correctly: yes (Y) or no (N)?

This room is ...

1. ... as cold as ice.

* Y
* N

1. ... cold as ice.

* Y
* N

1. ... as small as a cupboard.

* Y
* N

1. ... small as a cupboard.

* Y
* N

1. Do expressions A–D complete the sentences naturally: yes (Y) or no (N)?

Can you drive a bit .. , please?

1. slower

* Y
* N

1. more slowly

* Y
* N

I am pleased to report that inflation has risen … than last month.

1. slower

* Y
* N

1. more slowly

* Y
* N

1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?

Strawberry and chocolate are my favourite flavours, but I think chocolate is **the nicer** of the two.

* R
* W

1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. **More** it is dangerous, **more** I like it.

* R
* W

1. **The more** it is dangerous, **the more** I like it.

* R
* W

1. Right (R) or wrong (W)?
2. The more coffee **that** you drink, the more excitable **that** you’ll be.

* R
* W

1. The more coffee **that** you drink, the more excitable you’ll be.

* R
* W

1. The more coffee you drink, the more excitable you’ll be.

* R
* W

1. Which sounds more natural?

* You’re more stubborn than **anybody** I know.
* You’re more stubborn than **everybody** I know.

1. Which expressions complete the sentences correctly? If both are possible, select ‘both’.
2. Your computer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ better than the one I bought.

* much
* quite
* [both]

1. I’m feeling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ better after the flu I had last week.

* much
* quite
* [both]

1. This is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the best wine I’ve tasted this year.

* much
* quite
* [both]

1. Can expressions A–D complete this sentence correctly: yes (Y) or no (N)?

Your new house is … in the street.

1. the very nicest

* Y
* N

1. the much nicest

* Y
* N

1. much the nicest

* Y
* N

1. by far the nicest

* Y
* N