WELLAND GOULDSMITH SCHOOL

ENGLISH LANGUAGE WORKSHEET

<u>CLASS – 3</u>

COMPARISON OF ADJECTIVES

- Adjectives are describing words which also help us to compare people and things. For e.g. Shayan is <u>taller than</u> Manish.
- There are three degrees of comparison. They are:
 - a) <u>Positive Degree</u> It helps us to compare people and things. It is the simple form of the adjective. E.g. The box is <u>heavy</u>.
 - b) <u>Comparative Degree</u> It is used to compare two people or things. We add <u>–er</u> to the simple form of adjectives to change them into the comparative form. The comparative degree is always followed by the word <u>than</u> in a sentence.
 E.g. This box is <u>heavier than</u> that box.
 - c) <u>Superlative Degree</u> it is used to compare three or more people or things. We usually add -<u>est</u> to the simple form of the adjectives to change them into the superlative degree. The superlative degree always has the word <u>the</u> before it. E.g. This box is <u>the heaviest</u> of all these boxes.
- Some adjectives do not take <u>er</u> and <u>est</u> for making comparisons. Adjectives with three or more syllable take <u>more</u> to form the comparative and <u>most</u> to form the superlative. E.g. more important, most important.
- Some adjectives change their form completely while forming the comparatives and the superlatives. E.g. good, better, best

Do it in your exercise book.

Q1.Write the positive form of each underlined adjective in the blank:

- a) Yesterday was the <u>wettes</u>t day of the year. _____
- b) Mary is the <u>slimmest</u> in the class.
- c) Who has the largest feet? _____
- d) That was the <u>nicest</u> birthday party I've ever had. _____
- e) This pink car is <u>faster</u> than that blue one. _____

Q2. Fill in each blank with the correct form of the adjective given in the brackets:

- a) That's the ______ story I've ever heard. (strange)
- b) Grandfather is the _____ person in our family.(wise)

- c) My brother's desk is ______ than mine.(tidy)
 d) Which is the ______ river in the world? (long)
 e) Karim is ______ than Jai. (thin)

Q3. Complete the table.

| <u>Positive</u> | <u>Comparative</u> | <u>Superlative</u> |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| a) Dark b) | simpler | |
| c) Charming | | |
| d) | | worst |
| e) Many | | |