

比較

原級

I am as tall as you.

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比較級

I am taller than you.

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最上級

I am the tallest of the four.

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I am the tallest in my family.

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比較級を使わない比較級表現

I am not as tall as you.

(比較級) →

最上級を使わない最上級表現

Mt.Fuji is the highest mountain in Japan.

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=No (other) mountain in Japan is as high as Mt.Fuji. (原級)

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=Mt.Fuji is higher than any other mountain in Japan. (比較級)

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=No (other) mountain in Japan is higher than Mt.Fuji.(比較級)

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Nothing is as important as money.

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=Nothing is more important than money.

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比較の慣用表現

This is one of the most beautiful pictures.

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He is the second tallest boy in this class.

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My room is half as big as his./My room is twice as big as his.

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He is two years older than me. / He is older than me by two years.

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More and more people use A.I.

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The more money you earn, the more things you can buy.

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You need to buy it as soon as possible.(you can)

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You need at least 100 yen./I can give you at most 100 yen.

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Than を使わない比較級

I prefer apples to oranges./My phone is superior to yours.

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比較の強調表現

He is much richer than me.

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強調表現:much/a lot/far

最上級の強調表現

This is by far the most difficult question.

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強調表現: By far/much