**Week 14 - August 20 and 22, 2013**

Common Phrasal Verbs with GET

* Get along (with) -To have a good relationship with
* Get back (from) – 1) return from somewhere 2) receive again
* Get in, get into – 1) enter a car 2) arrive
* Get off - Leave any vehicle
* Get on - Enter any vehicle (except car)
* Get out of – 1) leave a car 2) avoid some unpleasant activity
* Get over – 1) Recover from an illness 2) not be bothered by something/someone anymore
* Get through- finish
* Get up - Arise from bed, a chair etc.

**Get Well Soon Song**

You´re my best friend, best friend

Friend you are the best

And you´re just not feeling well

Get some rest today

So tomorrow we can play

I want my best friend to get well.

Read a book, take a nap,

Eat a fruity, juicy snack,

Write a letter, draw a picture,

It´s your day to just relax.

(Repeat 3 times)

**Get Funky (Dance song) (starts at 1:20)**

(To play with their kids, more about following instructions than singing, show directions)

Can you hear me? Yeah! Can you hear me now? Uh-huh!

Everybody please stand up, because it´s time to get funky. Get in Line.

Get funky do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Step to the right and shake,

Step to the left and snake,

Step backwards, step forwards,

Now jump, jump again,

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Slide to the right, real smooth,

Slide to the left, in the groove,

Right foot stomp, stomp two times,

Left foot stomp, stomp two times,

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Jump, jump two times, jump, jump two times,

Now reach, and sway, and shake it your way,

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Can you hear me? Yeah! Can you hear me now? Uh-huh!(4 times)

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Take two steps to the right and shimmy,

Take two steps to the left, now gimme

Backstroke, uh-huh, Now jump, jump two times

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Jump two times, right foot stomp,

Jump three times, left foot stomp,

Jump, jump two times, jump, Now freeze!

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Reach, now touch the floor, twist, do you want some more?

Get funky, do the monkey, get clappy, get happy!

Can you hear me? Yeah! Can you hear me now? Uh-huh! (Repeat 4 times)

Tall Short Sleepy Happy Patient Impatient Nervous Angry Fat Thin Bored Old Young

**Marcia Herbert Jeremy John Lana Billy Sam Michelle George**



Thursday, August 22

**Forming Comparative and Superlative Adjectives**

**One-syllable adjectives-** Form the comparative and superlative forms of a one-syllable adjective by adding –er for the comparative form and –est for the superlative.

| **One-Syllable Adjective** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| tall | taller | tallest |
| old | older | oldest |
| long | longer | longest |

* Mary is **taller** *than* Max.
* Mary is **the tallest** *of* all the students.

If the one-syllable adjective ends with an e, just add –r for the comparative form and –st for the superlative form.

| **One-Syllable Adjective with Final -e** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| large | larger | largest |
| wise | wiser | wisest |

* Mary's car is **larger** *than* Max's car.
* Mary's house is **the tallest** *of* all the houses on the block.

If the one-syllable adjective ends with a single consonant with a vowel before it, double the consonant and add –er for the comparative form; and double the consonant and add –est for the superlative form.

| **One-Syllable Adjective Ending with a Single Consonant with a Single Vowel before It** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| big | bigger | biggest |
| thin | thinner | thinnest |
| fat | fatter | fattest |

* My dog is **bigger** *than* your dog.
* My dog is **the biggest** *of* all the dogs in the neighborhood.

**Two-syllable adjectives-** With most two-syllable adjectives, you form the comparative with more and the superlative with most.

| **Two-Syllable Adjective** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| peaceful | more peaceful | most peaceful |
| pleasant | more pleasant | most pleasant |
| careful | more careful | most careful |
| thoughtful | more thoughtful | most thoughtful |

* Jill is **more thoughtful** *than* your sister.
* Mary is **the most thoughtful** *person I've ever met*.

If the two-syllable adjectives ends with –y, change the *y* to *i*and add –er for the comparative form. For the superlative form change the *y* to *i and* add –est.

| **Two-Syllable Adjective Ending with -y** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| happy | happier | happiest |
| angry | angrier | angriest |
| busy | busier | busiest |

* John is **happier** today *than* he was yesterday.
* John is **the happiest** boy *in* the world.

Two-syllable adjectives ending in –er, -le, or –ow take –er and –est to form the comparative and superlative forms.

| **Two-Syllable Adjective Ending with -er, -le, or -ow** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| narrow | narrower | narrowest |
| gentle | gentler | gentlest |

* The roads in this town are **narrower** *than* the roads in the city.
* This road is the**narrowest** *of* all the roads in California.

**Adjectives with three or more syllables -** For adjectives with three syllables or more, you form the comparative with more and the superlative with most.

| **Adjective with Three or More Syllables** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| generous | more generous | most generous |
| important | more important | most important |
| intelligent | more intelligent | most intelligent |

* John is **more generous** *than* Jack.
* John is **the most generous** *of* all the people I know.

**Exceptions -** Irregular adjectives.

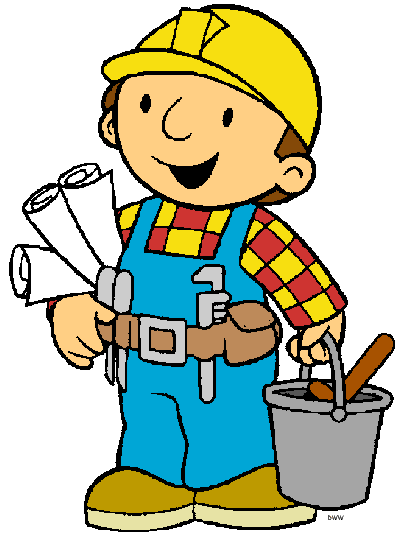
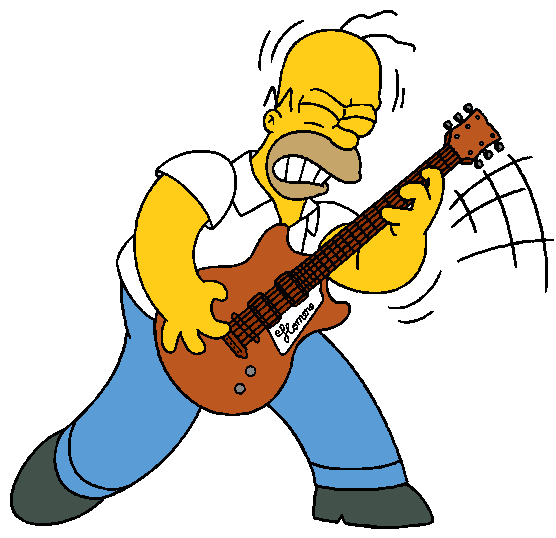
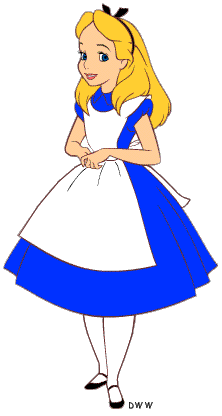
| **Irregular Adjective** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| good | better | best |
| bad | worse | worst |
| far | farther | farthest |
| little | less | least |
| many | more | most |

* Italian food is **better** *than* American food.
* My dog is **the best** dog *in* the world.
* My mother's cooking is **worse** *than* your mother's cooking.
* *Of* all the students in the class, Max is **the worst**.

Two-syllable adjectives that follow two rules. These adjectives can be used with -er and -est and with more and most.

| **Two-Syllable Adjective** | **Comparative Form** | **Superlative Form** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| clever | cleverer | cleverest |
| clever | more clever | most clever |
| gentle | gentler | gentlest |
| gentle | more gentle | most gentle |
| friendly | friendlier | friendliest |
| friendly | more friendly | most friendly |
| quiet | quieter | quietest |
| quiet | more quiet | most quiet |
| simple | simpler | simplest |
| simple | more simple | most simple |

* Big dogs are **gentler** *than* small dogs.
* *Of* all the dogs in the world, English Mastiffs are **the gentlest**.
* Big dogs are **more gentle** *than* small dogs.
* *Of* all the dogs in the world, English Mastiffs are **the most gentle**.

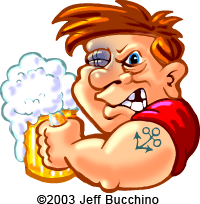
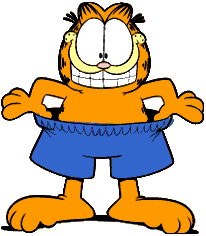
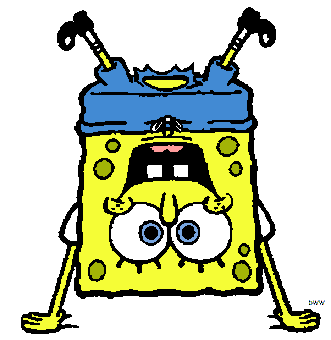
Compare the following people:                  
  
Bob                                       Homer                         Alice  
28 years old                           39 years old             9 years old  
55 kilos                                  80 kilos                 33 kilos

1.50 mt                                  1.55 mt                 1.20 mt     
Bob is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(YOUNG) than Homer.  
Homer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (OLD) than Alice.  
Alice is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (SLIM) than Bob.  
Bob is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (SHORT) than Homer.  
Homer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (FAT) than Bob.  
Alice is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (SHORT) than Homer.  
Homer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (UGLY) than Alice.

Homer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (SLOW) than Bob.  
Bob is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (TIDY) than Homer.  
Alice is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (BEAUTIFUL) than Bob.  
Alice has got \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (LONG) hair than Bob.  
Homer can play the guitar \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (GOOD) than Alice.  
Alice can run \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (FAST) than Homer.  
Alice draws \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (BAD) than Bob.

Bob is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (INTELLIGENT) than Homer.

Homer is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (INTERESTING) person than Bob.

Now, compare the following people:       

   Harry                               Garfield                    Sponge Bob

32 years old                         10 years old            6 years old

75 kilos                               60 kilos                     3 kilos  
  1.90 mt                               0.57 mt                  0.20 mt      
  
**ex: Harry is older than Garfield. (OLD-YOUNG)**

**Write ONE word per gap**  
  
Garfield \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Sponge Bob. (YOUNG-OLD)  
Sponge Bob \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Harry. (FAT-SLIM)  
Harry \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Sponge Bob. (SHORT-TALL)  
Garfield \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­ Harry. (SHORT-TALL)  
Garfield \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Harry. (FUNNY-BORING)  
Sponge Bob's eyes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Harry's. (SMALL-BIG)  
Harry \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Garfield. (STRONG-WEAK)  
Garfield \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Harry. (BEAUTIFUL-HORRIBLE)  
Bob Sponge \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at sports \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Garfield. (GOOD-BAD)

**Record Breakers**

It may be the smallest, it may be the tallest, it may be the fastest that there has ever been. The highest, the deepest, the road that´s the steepest, the longest and widest the world has ever seen.

There are many kinds of records, serious or odd. Running, jumping, lifting weights or catching fish like cod. If you can think of something new and put it to the test, maybe you could be the one who´s better than the rest. (Repeat chorus)

If you sit inside a bath up to your neck in beans, or walk about with seven people all inside your jeans. Stand up on the highest pair of stilts and run a mile, or on your face for two whole weeks you always wear a smile. (Repeat chorus)

I think my sister holds the record talking on the phone. I think I´ll go and beat the time around the world alone. I could cycle, ride a horse, or do it on my hands. Maybe there´s a record for stretching rubber bands. (Repeat chorus)

1. Kelly Clarkson – *Stronger*

*What doesn’t kill you makes you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*Stand a little \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*Doesn’t mean I’m lonely when I’m alone*  
*What doesn’t kill you makes you a fighter*  
*Footsteps even \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*Doesn’t mean I’m over cause you’re gone  
What doesn’t kill you makes you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

2. Cristina Aguilera – Fighter

*So I wanna say thank you*  
*‘Cause it*  
*Makes me that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*   
*Makes me work \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Makes me that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*   
*So thanks for making me a fighter*  
*Made me learn \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*Made my skin \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Makes me that much \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*So thanks for making me a fighter*

3. Kanye West – *Stronger*

*N-na-now th-that that don’t kill me*  
*Can only make me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*I need you to hurry up now*  
*Cause I can’t wait \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*   
*I know I got to be right now*  
*Cause I can’t get much \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*  
*Man, I’ve been waiting all night now*  
*That’s how long I’ve been on ya*

4. Justin Bieber – *Never Say Never*

*Now he’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than me  
\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_than me  
He’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than me, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_than me  
And his arms are a little bit \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than me  
But he ain’t on a jb song with me.*

5. The Corrs – *Would You Be Happier?*

*Would you be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if you were someone together?*  
*Would the sun shine \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if you played a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part?*  
*Would you be wonderful if it wasn’t for the weather?*  
*You’re gonna be just fine (gonna be just fine)*

6. India Arie – *Beautiful Flower*

*‘Cause you’re beautiful like a flower*  
*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a diamond*  
*You are powerful like a fire*  
*You will heal the world with your mind  
There is nothing in the world that you cannot do  
When you believe in you*