Using Adjectives to Compare

1. as _adj._ as
   
   (A = B)

   The cat is as tall as the dog.
The cat is as intelligent as the dog.
   
   (Question: Who is taller? Who is more intelligent?)

2. _adj._ + -er than
   more _adj._ than

   (A > B)

   The woman is taller than the dog.
The woman is more intelligent than the dog.
   
   (Question: Who is taller? Who is more intelligent?)

3. not as _adj._ as
   less _adj._ than

   (A < B)

   The cat isn’t as tall as the man. (“is not”)
The cat isn’t as intelligent as the man.
   
   (Question: Who isn’t as tall? Who isn’t as intelligent?)

   The cat is less tall than the man.
The cat is less intelligent than the man.
   
   (Question: Who is less tall? Who is less intelligent?)

4. the _adj._ + -est
   the most _adj._

   (A > all)

   The giraffe is the tallest.
The woman is the most intelligent.
   
   (Question: Who is the tallest? Who is the most intelligent?)

5. the least _adj._

   (A < all)

   The dog is the least tall.
The dog is the least intelligent.
   
   (Question: Who is the least tall? Who is the least intelligent?)