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## Grammar – Making Comparisons

### 20 Great Vocabulary Phrases for Making Comparisons – Exercise 2

Complete each gap with one of the following options and say which number example\* it matches:

(\*See worksheet: '20 Great Vocabulary Phrases for Making Comparisons')

*the newest*

*in common with*

*compared with*

*however*

*the equal of*

*the same as*

*in terms of*

*better*

*whereas*

*in spite of*

*similar*

*likewise*

*each*

*both*

*times as, as*

1. Foxes differ from wolves \_\_\_\_\_ height and weight. (No. \_\_\_\_)
2. I did \_\_\_\_\_ than last time in the test. (No. \_\_\_\_)
3. *Community* is a great show, \_\_\_\_\_ *The Big Bang Theory* is kind of boring. (No. \_\_\_\_)
4. That new café is pretty expensive. \_\_\_\_\_, the quality of the food is much better. (No. \_\_\_\_)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ the efforts of the Police and local community leaders, crime has been on the rise lately. (No. \_\_\_\_)
6. My friend has a lot \_\_\_\_\_ Jemma. (No. \_\_\_\_)
7. My mother's cooking is \_\_\_\_\_ any restaurant in this town! (No. \_\_\_\_)
8. \_\_\_\_\_ types of Bromeliad spiders have red fangs and small bodies. (No. \_\_\_\_)
9. Your garden party sucks! \_\_\_\_\_, your barbecuing skills! (No. \_\_\_\_)
10. Journalism will be a tough degree \_\_\_\_\_ Drama. (No. \_\_\_\_)
11. My ex's curtains are \_\_\_\_\_ to the ones you used to have. (No. \_\_\_\_)
12. This assignment is \_\_\_\_\_ the one you handed in last week. (No. \_\_\_\_)
13. \_\_\_\_\_ of these paintings took over twenty years to create. (No. \_\_\_\_)
14. The new model is five \_\_\_\_\_ fast \_\_\_\_\_ the previous version. (No. \_\_\_\_)
15. That car is \_\_\_\_\_. (No. \_\_\_\_)

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*Answers:*

1. Foxes differ from wolves **in terms of** height and weight. (No. 9)
2. I did **better** than last time in the test. (No. 3)
3. *Community* is a great show, **whereas** *The Big Bang Theory* is kind of boring. (No. 6)
4. That new cafe is pretty expensive. **However**, the quality of the food is much better. (No. 7)
5. **In spite of** the efforts of the Police and local community leaders, crime has been on the rise lately. (No. 11)
6. My friend has a lot **in common with** Jemma. (No. 15)
7. My mother's cooking is **the equal of** any restaurant in this town! (No. 17)
8. **Both** types of Bromeliad spiders have red fangs and small bodies. (No. 18)
9. Your garden party sucks! **Likewise**, your barbecuing skills! (No. 20)
10. Journalism will be a tough degree **compared with** Drama. (No. 4)
11. My ex's curtains are **similar** to the ones you used to have. (No. 12)
12. This assignment is **the same as** the one you handed in last week. (No. 17)
13. **Each** of these paintings took over twenty years to create. (No. 19)
14. The new model is five **times as fast as** the previous version. (No. 5)
15. That car is **the newest**. (No. 2)