



## Lesson B2-08 | High Intermediate | CEFR B1

### As -- As Comparatives

Use the words in the Grammar Challenge to complete the gaps.

#### Conversation 1

**Man:** How is your new job?

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**Man:** Oh, really? Why?

**Woman:** Well, there \_\_\_\_\_ as many social events and it is not as chill as my last job.

**Man:** Oh, no, that's too bad. What about pay and benefits?

**Woman:** I earn about as \_\_\_\_\_ as before, but I had better benefits.

**Man:** Well, so it's not all \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Conversation 2

**Man:** I hear you got a new house.

**Woman:** I did. We just \_\_\_\_\_ in last week.

**Man:** How is it?

**Woman:** Good. It is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as my last place, but it is cheaper.

**Man:** How is the \_\_\_\_\_?

**Woman:** It is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as my last place, but I like it.

#### Conversation 3

**Man:** Can you pick up my friend at the airport? I have to work tonight.

**Woman:** \_\_\_\_\_, I can do that. What does he look like?

**Man:** Well, he's about as \_\_\_\_\_ as me, and he has blonde \_\_\_\_\_ . It's the same color as mine.

**Woman:** Wow, he sounds like your twin.

**Man:** No, I am not \_\_\_\_\_ as handsome as he is. You'll see.

**Woman:** I'll be the judge of that.

#### Conversation 4

**Man:** How's the new cafe?

**Woman:** Not good. It's not as \_\_\_\_\_ as the last one.

**Man:** How are the prices?

**Woman:** About the same, but the coffee is not as good as \_\_\_\_\_.

**Man:** Oh, no! I'm bummed to hear that.

**Woman:** There is one good thing, though.

**Man:** Oh, yeah? What's that?

### Quiz

1) She says the new job is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as his last job.

- a) fun
- b) easy
- c) stressful

2) Se says her new place is not as \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) bright
- b) clean
- c) convenient

3) He says he is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as his friend.

- a) tall
- b) thin
- c) handsome

4) The new cafe is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as the last cafe.

- a) big
- b) bad
- c) crowded

### Grammar Challenge

Use the words below to complete each conversation.

Con #1	Con #2	Con #3	Con #4
much	big	tall	crowded
fun	neighborhood	nearly	good
bad	moved	hair	before
are not	convenient	Sure	seat

### Speaking Challenge

Match the answers with the questions.

- 1) Are your new shoes comfortable?
- 2) How do you like your new neighbourhood?
- 3) What do you think about the new teacher?
- 4) Do you want the first or the second combo meal?
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**What about you?** Share your answers to the questions.

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