**Comparatives and Superlatives: Adverbs**

**Adverb Comparative Superlative**

carefully **more** carefully **than**  **the most** carefully

**less** carefully **than**  **the least** carefully

**FORM:**

**USE:** Adverbs modify verbs or adjectives. Adverbs often answer the

question “how” or “how often” about the verb. **MORE/LESS**

**+ ADVERB + THAN** is used for the comparative form and

**THE MOST/LEAST + ADVERB** is used for the superlative form.

**EXAMPLES:** *Shawn drives more carefully than Ted.*

*Paul drives the most carefully of all my friends.*

*Lucy studied less carefully than Mabel.*

*Carrie studied the least carefully of all the students in our class..*

*Fill in the blanks with suitable ADVERBS in the COMPARATIVE or SUPERLATIVE.*

1. Anna speaks \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Tina.

2. My car drives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your car.

3. Frank works \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his coworkers.

4. He eats \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than his sister.

5. She sings \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of all the people in the choir.

6. My dog runs \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his dog.

7. Pat goes shopping every day. She shops \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ than I do.

8. Janet received the highest mark on the test because she studied\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

of everyone in the class.