

# Comparisons of Equality, Inequality & Superlatives

Whoo-hoo...

# Equality – as...as...

- Use **tan + adjective + como** to compare people and things.
- The adjective must agree in gender & number with the person or thing you compare!
  - Esta estatua **a** es tan bonita **a** como la otra.
  - Estos dibujos **os** son tan feos **os** como los que vimos ayer.

# Inequality – more or less....

- Use **más + adjective + que** to say more.
- Use **menos + adjective + que** to say less.
- The adjective must agree in gender & number with the person or thing you compare!
  - Este dibujo es más bonito que aquel dibujo.

# Shorter...

- You can use an article + adjective
  - Las películas de horror no son tan divertidas como **las cómicas**.
- Or a pronoun to avoid repetition.
  - Este retrato es tan bonito como **ése**.
  - Therefore, we need to review the demonstratives??

# Demonstratives Pronouns

- Éste – éstos -> this / these (m.)
- Ésta – éstas -> this / these (f.)
- Ése – esos -> that / those (m.)
- Ésa – esas -> that / those (f.)
- Aquél – aquéllos -> that/those over there (m.)
- Aquélla – aquéllas -> that/those over there (f.)

# Superlatives

- Two ways to do it:
  - El/la/los/las + más or menos adjective + de
    - Miguel es el más inteligente de todos.
  - Add ísimo/a/os/as to the end of an adjective.
    - Es grandísima.
      - go – guísimo
      - co – quísimo

# Práctica

- That drawing is as ugly as this one.
- This sculpture is the prettiest.
- That student is not as funny as that one over there.
- That bridge is the biggest.
- This museum is not as boring as the gallery.