Degrees Of Comparison Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an adjective of the appropriate degree of comparison.

1. James is as ...................... as his brother.
   tall
taller
tall than

2. Alexander was one of ....................... kings who ever lived.
great
the greatest
the greater

3. Martin is ......................... than any other boy in the class.
   more industrious
   the more industrious
   the most industrious

4. Chennai is ......................... than Mumbai.
   hot
   hotter
5. Very few cities in Asia are as .................. as Hong Kong.

big
bigger
biggest

6. This cathedral is the .................. in South India.

big
bigger
biggest

7. An airplane flies .................. than birds.

more fast
more faster
faster

8. Kitchen appliances have made cooking ..................
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more easy
more easier
easier

9. Very few countries are as rich .......................... America.

than
as
so

10. Some beans are at least .......................... as meat.

more nutritious
as nutritious
nutritious

11. Naomi is .......................... than her sister.

less clever
less cleverer
lesser clever
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12. Clara is ...................... than Sara.

more clever
more cleverer
cleverer

Answers

1. James is as tall as his brother.
2. Alexander was one of the greatest kings who ever lived.
3. Martin is more industrious than any other boy in the class.
4. Chennai is hotter than Mumbai.
5. Very few cities in Asia are as big as Hong Kong.
6. This cathedral is the biggest in South India.
7. An airplane flies faster than birds.
8. Kitchen appliances have made cooking easier.
9. Very few countries are as rich as America.
10. Some beans are at least as nutritious as meat.
11. Naomi is less clever than her sister.
12. Clara is cleverer than Sara.