

Talking About Equality

Now that we know how to use comparatives and superlatives, it is important that we understand how to make comparisons of equality. How do we manage when someone is the same height, weight, color, etc. than other?



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How can we compare in equality of circumstances?

In Spanish we say: “**tan ... como**” or “**no tanto como**”.

In English it is very simple. We use: “**as as**”.

Examples:

*Richard is **as** tall **as** his brother.*

*Eva is not **as** good in Mathematics **as** her sister.*



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A NOTE TO REMEMBER:

When using **“as ... as”** the adjective used is without any changes, just as you see it on Dictionary. This is true for adverbs too.

Example:

The service in this restaurant goes as quickly as in that other restaurant.

(quickly (adv.) It is modifying how it goes –rápidamente).

The service in this restaurant is as quick as in that other restaurant.

(quick (adj.) It is modifying how it is –rápido).

