**ESTRATEGIA DE APOYO TERCER PERÍODO – NINTH GRADE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**NAME:**

**DATE:**

**WHICH IS CORRECT?**

**1. We have an older / more old brother who lives in Miami.**

**2. Her illness is more serious / most serious than what the doctors expected.**

**3. I like warm weather. If the weather is more cold / colder, I feel ill.**

**4. This dress is more beautiful / the most beautiful than that.**

**CHOOSE THE RIGHT ANSWER:**

1. **Q1 - It's better \_\_\_\_ I thought.**

as  
then  
than  
like

1. **Q2 - Brazil is \_\_\_\_\_ England.**

biger than  
bigger as  
bigger than  
biger as

1. **Q3 - She is \_\_\_\_\_ in the class**

the best  
best  
better than  
as good as

1. **Q4 - I'm not as successful \_\_\_ she is.**

as  
like  
than

READING COMPREHENSION

      Read the text and answer the questions

        Alice Jones works in St. Louis, Missouri, as a sales representative for a big publishing company. She has a job offer from a smaller publishing company in New York City to become the marketing director for college textbooks. She can't decide if she should take the job or not.

      In a smaller company, there may be more chances for advancement and promotion because more people get to know you. Her company now is so big that she doesn't know anyone outside her department. But the company in New York doesn't pay as well as the company in St. Louis. They are offering her $2,000 less than her present salary. But the new job title, marketing director, is more impressive than her current job title, sales representative. A marketing job is probably more challenging than her sales job. It also involves a lot more responsibility.

       The move from St. Louis to New York is also a big change. New York is an exciting place to live in, but it is expensive and dangerous, especially for a single woman. However, it really is the centre of the publishing industry, so it seems like a better city to work in than St. Louis.

      Alice needs to make a decision soon.

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Comprehension Questions:

**1.**     **Fill in the table with the right information from the text.**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Title | City | Company size |
| Current job |  |  |  |
| New Job |  |  |  |

**2.**     **Are the following statements true or false? Tick  the proper box.**

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| Statements | True | False |
| a) The company in New York is bigger than the company in St. Louis. |  |  |
| b) The job in New York pays less than the job in St. Louis. |  |  |
| c) New York is a safe city. |  |  |

**3.**     **Tick  the appropriate title for the text?**

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                                                                                 A big decision     