

# Explaining Choices

As (adjective) as...

Function: Shows equality

"The donuts from The Daily Donut **are as good as** the donuts from Flour Power Bakery."

"I got coffee from Flour Power Bakery. I think their coffee **is just as good as** the coffee from The Daily Donut."



Not as (adjective) as...

Function: Shows inequality

"The donuts from The Daily Donut **are not as good as** the donuts from Flour Power Bakery."



Too / Enough

Function: describes a degree of an adjective.

The office is **too noisy** to have a meeting. Let's go to the cafe.

The office is **not quiet enough** to have a meeting. Let's go to the cafe.



Instead of

Function: presents an alternative option.

I bought donuts **instead of** bagels because I think donuts are more popular.

My boss scheduled the meeting for Friday **instead of** Tuesday because it's a very busy week!



Practice assignment:

- Describe a decision you made at work. What were your options? Use "instead of" to describe why you made the choice you made.
- Compare 2 companies you think are similar. Then, compare 2 companies you think are different. Use "as (adj) as" / "not as (adj) as".

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