

SENTENCE TRANSFORMATIONS 9

Complete the second sentence using the word in brackets so that it has the same meaning as the first one.

- 1 Doing that was harder than I expected.
Doing that was not _____. (AS)
- 2 Tom isn't as old as me.
Tom _____. (THAN)
- 3 Women generally live longer than men.
Men generally don't live _____. (AS)
- 4 No sport is as popular as football in America.
Football _____. (MOST)
- 5 Kyoto is not as large as Osaka.
Osaka _____. (THAN)
- 6 For me, skiing is more interesting than skating.
For me, skating _____. (NOT)
- 7 I don't think this city is as safe as it used to be.
I think this city _____. (MORE)
- 8 The test wasn't as difficult as I expected it to be.
The test _____ I expected it to be. (EASIER)
- 9 Mary isn't as generous as she used to be.
Mary _____. (MORE)
- 10 Tom isn't as strong as you.
Tom is _____. (THAN)
- 11 There are many things worse than death.
Death isn't _____ in the world. (THE)
- 12 Tom is more famous than Mary.
Mary _____. (AS)
- 13 You are worse than Tom.
Tom _____. (AS)
- 14 There is nothing as important as friendship.
Friendship _____. (WORLD)
- 15 Tom's speech wasn't as boring as I thought it would be.
Tom's speech _____. (INTERESTING)

KEY

- 1 Doing that was harder than I expected.
Doing that was not **AS EASY AS I EXPECTED**.
- 2 Tom isn't as old as me.
Tom **IS YOUNGER THAN ME**.
- 3 Women generally live longer than men.
Men generally don't live **AS LONG AS WOMEN**.
- 4 No sport is as popular as football in America.
Football **IS THE MOST POPULAR SPORT IN AMERICA**.
- 5 Kyoto is not as large as Osaka.
Osaka **IS LARGER THAN KYOTO**.
- 6 For me, skiing is more interesting than skating.
For me, skating **IS NOT AS INTERESTING AS SKIING**.
- 7 I don't think this city is as safe as it used to be.
I think this city **IS MORE DANGEROUS THAN IT USED TO BE**.
- 8 The test wasn't as difficult as I expected it to be.
The test **WAS EASIER THAN** I expected it to be.
- 9 Mary isn't as generous as she used to be.
Mary **USED TO BE MORE GENEROUS**.
- 10 Tom isn't as strong as you.
Tom is **WEAKER THAN YOU**.
- 11 There are many things worse than death.
Death isn't **THE WORST THING** in the world.
- 12 Tom is more famous than Mary.
Mary **ISN'T AS FAMOUS AS TOM**.
- 13 You are worse than Tom.
Tom **ISN'T AS BAD AS YOU (ARE)**.
- 14 There is nothing as important as friendship.
Friendship **IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IN THE WORLD**.
- 15 Tom's speech wasn't as boring as I thought it would be.
Tom's speech **WAS MORE INTERESTING THAN I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE**.