

I THOUGHT the movie WOULD BE funnier! (1)

This sheet deals with times when your image of something is different from what it actually is or was

Think (sth → something) would be (adj-er/more adj):

The comedy movie wasn't very interesting, I **thought it would be funnier**.

Rewrite the sentences using think (sth) would be (adj-er/more adj):

ex.) Tom Cruise was shorter than I imagined when I met him. (tall)

I thought Tom Cruise would be taller.

1. The driving test was easier than I imagined. (hard)

I thought the driving test would be harder.

2. People from NY were meaner than I imagined. (nice)

I thought people from NY would be nicer.

3. This winter was warmer than I imagined. (cold)

I thought this winter would be colder.

4. Trains were more crowded during the holiday than I expected. (empty)

I thought the trains during the holiday would be emptier.

5. The huge red chili pepper was milder than I imagined. (spicy)

I thought the huge red chili pepper would be spicier.

6. That horror movie was lighter and softer than I imagined. (bloody)

I thought the horror movie would be bloodier.

7. Iceland was warmer and sunnier than I imagined. (cold / cloudy)

I thought Iceland would be colder and cloudier.

8. The supermodel was not as cute as I imagined. (beautiful)

I thought the supermodel would be more beautiful.

9. Dad wasn't so mad when he learned that I crashed his car. (angry)

I thought Dad would be angrier when he learned that I crashed his car.

10. The view from the mountaintop wasn't so great. (good)

I thought the view from the mountaintop would be better.

11. That fancy restaurant was cheaper than we imagined. (expensive)

I thought the fancy restaurant would be more expensive.

12. Typhoon #9 was weaker than everyone expected. (powerful)

Everyone thought typhoon #9 would be more powerful.

13. The kids Kim babysat were quieter than she expected. (wild)

Kim thought the kids she babysat would be wilder.

14. *The solar eclipse was less interesting than we imagined. (amazing)

We thought the solar eclipse would be more amazing.