







#### THE SAME AS...

is used to compare two things or concepts that are identical or similar in some way.

## + verb (ing)

• Doing a job well is not the same as spending a lot of time on it.

#### + noun / pronoun

• I think the same as you do about this.

I did the same as <b>he</b> .	less common /old-fashioned (did is taken as understood and omitted)
I did the same as <b>he did.</b>	more common
I did the same as <b>him</b> .	most commonly used / less formal (not considered correct in formal writing)

## THE SAME + NOUN + AS + NOUN/PRONOUN

- We were staying at the same hotel as our parents.
- My new car is the same model as my old one.
- Your jacket is the same colour as mine.

# THE SAME + NOUN + THAT + CLAUSE

We use "the same + noun + that + clause" to refer to a particular noun previously mentioned and to introduce a clause that describes an action or situation related to that noun. We can often leave out that, who or which:

- She's the same person (that) I spoke to when I phoned their office.
- Is this the same car (that) you had when you were in college?
- That is the same man (who) I met yesterday.

## **COMPARE:**

- We were staying at the same hotel as Emily and her husband. (the same+ noun+ as + noun)
- We were staying at the same hotel that Emily and her husband had stayed at for their honeymoon. (the same + noun + that + clause)