

Using and Creating Similes and Metaphors

Click on the following link to use BBC Bitesize to learn about metaphors and similes: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zk68wty>

TASK: Read through the information and complete Activity 1. Then, complete the 'Simile or Metaphor' worksheet on the next page.

EXTENSION TASK: If you feel able to challenge yourself, why not complete the 'I am as...' simile worksheet or playing the Simile or Metaphor online game at:

<https://staging.nightzookeeper.com/edu/zoo/curriculum/grouping/5ea82684a0c841001c4faf7b?public=true>

Simile or Metaphor?

If the sentence contains a simile, colour it blue. If it is a metaphor, colour it yellow.

The car moved
like a snail.

The house was a zoo.

The librarian was as
sweet as candy.

The stars are
diamonds in the sky.

The puppy was as
fast as a cheetah.

The test was a breeze.

He is a walking
dictionary.

Abigail is as tall
as a giraffe.

My dad is a teddy bear.

My brother eats
like a pig.

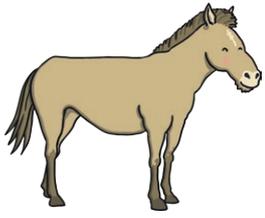
Her heart was as
big as the ocean.

Peter is an angel.

Simile or Metaphor? **Answers**

Simile	Metaphor
<p>Her heart was as big as the ocean.</p> <p>Abigail is as tall as a giraffe.</p> <p>My brother eats like a pig.</p> <p>The puppy was as fast as a cheetah.</p> <p>The car moved like a snail.</p> <p>The librarian was as sweet as candy.</p>	<p>Peter is an angel.</p> <p>He is a walking dictionary.</p> <p>The test was a breeze.</p> <p>My dad is a teddy bear.</p> <p>The house was a zoo.</p> <p>The stars are diamonds in the sky.</p>

I am as...



Quick as _____

Slow as _____

Small as _____

Large as _____

Sad as _____

Happy as _____

Nice as _____

Mean as _____

Cold as _____

Hot as _____

Weak as _____

Strong as _____

Loud as _____

Quiet as _____

Tough as _____

Gentle as _____

Brave as _____

Shy as _____

Tame as _____

Wild as _____

Lazy as _____

Busy as _____

Put it all together, and you've got me!

