

1.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things are being compared?

Can I get a different slice of bread? This one is as thin as a blade of grass.

2.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes the figure of speech: **simile** or **metaphor**?

Beckham and Alora watched the curtain of night close on the world.



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Write the complete sentence.

Ms. Lew has thousands of unread emails.

Ms. Lew has a(n) _____ of emails.

- a. pond
- b. ocean
- c. iceberg
- d. mist

Use a **simile** to describe a **hot day**.

Write the complete sentence.

5.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**Mr. Herrera was
a busy bee,
flitting around and
setting things up
for the lesson.**

6.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**Now that it's fixed,
Mom's car will be
a rocket on the
highway again.**



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Write the complete sentence.

**Gian loves
to play.**

Gian is as playful
as a ____.

- | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| a. puppy | b. hippo |
| c. worm | d. tiger |

Use a **metaphor**
to describe
green eyes.

Write the complete sentence.

9.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**Leif always has
a spare pair of
glasses because
he's blind as a bat
without them.**

10.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**The TV sounded
like a roaring
train, so we
turned down
the volume.**



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Write the complete sentence.

**Mckenzie knows
the plan will result
in bad things.**

This is a _____ for disaster.

- a. towel
- c. comb

- b. diary
- d. recipe

Use a **simile**
to describe
a **tall woman**.

Write the complete sentence.

13.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**You have to listen
to Ayaan sing!
His voice is
smoother than silk.**

14.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**Mrs. Camacho
says our futures are
blank canvases
that we can paint
however we'd like.**



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Write the complete sentence.

**Cali moves
gracefully.**

Cali moves like a ____.

- a. doctor b. ballerina
- c. lobster d. motorcycle

Use a **metaphor**
to describe
a **cold room**.

Write the complete sentence.

17.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**After all we've
been through
this year, I can
safely say life is
a roller coaster.**

18.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**When Isabelle
gets angry,
she explodes
like a volcano.**



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Write the complete sentence.

**Ari will tell you
anything
about herself.**

Ari is a(n) _____.

- a.** charging phone **b.** locked safe
c. open book **d.** tall hat

Use a **simile**
to describe
**something
slippery.**

Write the complete sentence.

21.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**Last night,
the moon was
a silver coin
in the dark sky.**

22.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**Grandma's
garden was
drier than a desert
when we visited.**



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the simile?
Write the complete sentence.

**Uriel only does
things his way.**

Uriel is more stubborn
than a _____.

- | | |
|----------|-----------|
| a. tulip | b. stream |
| c. sheep | d. mule |

Use a **metaphor**
to describe
fluffy clouds.

Write the complete sentence.

25.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**Be extra kind
to Jasmine.
Her emotions are
as fragile as glass.**

26.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**Outside the
cabin windows,
the wind was a
howling wolf.**



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Write the complete sentence.

**Noel is proud
of himself and
his looks.**

Noel is a _____.

- | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| a. stomping
rhino | b. racing
shark |
| c. strutting
peacock | d. fluttering
moth |

Use a **simile**
to describe
a **bright smile**.

Write the complete sentence.

29.

Similes and Metaphors

What two things
are being compared?

**When it comes
to guarding
the house,
Tessa's dog is
fiercer than a lion.**

30.

Similes and Metaphors

Which best describes
the figure of speech:
simile or **metaphor**?

**As the popular
saying goes,
books are
doorways to
other worlds.**



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Task Cards: Similes and Metaphors

1. _____ and _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____ and _____

6. _____



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10. _____

11. _____

12. _____

13. _____ and _____

14. _____

15. _____

Name: _____

Task Cards: Similes and Metaphors

16. _____

17. _____ and _____

18. _____

19. _____

20. _____



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25. _____ and _____

26. _____

27. _____

28. _____

29. _____ and _____

30. _____

ANSWER KEY

Task Cards: Similes and Metaphors

1. a slice of bread and blade of grass
2. metaphor
3. Ms. Lew has an ocean of emails.

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13. Aydan's voice and stark
14. metaphor
15. Cali moves like a ballerina.

ANSWER KEY

Task Cards: Similes and Metaphors

16. Answers will vary but must use a metaphor to describe a cold room.

17. life and roller coaster

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29. Tessa's dog and a lion

30. metaphor