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Similes or Metaphors Worksheet (Part 1)

A metaphor is a figure of speech that compares two things. It often uses the words "like", "as", "are" or "were."

A simile is a comparison between two things using the words "like" or "as."

Directions: Read each sentence or phrase below. Circle the two subjects being compared. Label it as either a simile or metaphor.

Example 1 - The noise at the concert is music to his ears.

Answer - noise, music to his ears / Metaphor

1. That man is an angel. _____

2. He is as smart as a fox. _____

3. The football player is a giant. _____

4. My sister is as hard like a rock. _____

5. That girl is very bright. _____

6. The boy is a volcano ready to explode. _____

7. He is quick as a bat. _____

8. My student is an angel. _____

9. Please do not cry like a baby. _____

10. The boy runs like the wind. _____

11. He has a heart of a lion. _____

12. My teacher told me that idlers are dragons. _____

13. His mind is as sharp as a samurai's sword. _____