

## Using Similes

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Figurative language includes special forms that writers use to help readers make a strong connection to their words. A **simile** is one kind of figurative language. It makes a comparison of two unlike things using the words "like" or "as".



Complete the sentences below by finishing the simile in each sentence.



1. He quickly discovered that his new friend was as smart as \_\_\_\_\_.
2. With his long legs and neck, he stretched as tall as \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The crashing waves in the ocean were foamy like \_\_\_\_\_.
4. When her parents left, she felt as lonely as \_\_\_\_\_.
5. He sharpened his pencil until its point was sharp like \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The man danced on the roof like \_\_\_\_\_.
7. My little brother is as funny as \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The sidewalk was as dry as \_\_\_\_\_.
9. The vesting of the rat at night was like \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Jesse's two drops were as roundly as \_\_\_\_\_.
11. After his huge dinner, Peter's belly was round like \_\_\_\_\_.
12. Jennifer's bedroom was as messy as \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Albert was as curious as \_\_\_\_\_.
14. Our new igloo puzzle is as impossible as \_\_\_\_\_.
15. The little girl plays the piano as expertly as \_\_\_\_\_.
16. Grandpa Joe's singing was out of tune, like \_\_\_\_\_.
17. Whoever designed the mural at school is as creative as \_\_\_\_\_.
18. Getting ready for school in the morning is as crazy as \_\_\_\_\_.