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## Figurative Language Worksheet

### I. Identify Figurative Language

**Directions:** We have discussed and worked with five types of figurative language, onomatopoeia, alliteration, personification, similes, and metaphors. In the following examples please identify which figurative language is being used and if it is a simile or metaphor explain what two subjects are being compared. Yes some use more than one type, and you must identify all types.  
**EX:** Her **skin** was **as clear as porcelain**. **SIMILE** (skin and porcelain)

1. The man snaked through the crowd.
2. The cat's eyes were like emeralds.
3. The swimmer's arm sliced through the water with a soft swishing sound.
4. The door banged against the wall.
5. Snow's icy cold fingers crept down my back.
6. Jane is as light as a feather.
7. Creamy and crunchy peanut butter spread easily on the crackers.
8. The man zigzagged through the traffic in his Porsche.
9. His stinky socks sat smelled like a skunk had sprayed the room.
10. Snow is cottony dandelion seeds.