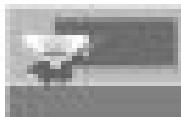## Using Similes

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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 rain danced on the roof like _____

7. My little brother is as funny as _____

8. The old bread was as dry as _____

9. The yowling of the cat at night was like _____

10. Jessie's taco chips were as crunchy as _____

11. After his huge dinner, Mark's belly was round like _____

12. Jennifer's bedroom was as messy as _____

13. Albert was as curious as _____

14. Our new jigsaw 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 _____