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Lesson 92

Similes

Similes: A figure of speech where two different ideas are compared using “as” or “like”.

Example: He was as **cold** as **ice**. The author is using the comparison of cold and ice to help you see that this person was extremely cold.

Example: She felt as **lonely** as **one tree standing in a field**. This author wants you to picture a lone tree standing in a field, and compare it to how lonely this girl was feeling.

Similes help the author to have power in their writing. They are very effective in helping the reader get a real sense as to what the author is trying to say.

Write what you know about the **subject** in each of the following sentences:

1. Rick stood as still as a statue. _____
2. Tom ran like the wind. _____
3. Sally was as happy as a singing bird. _____
4. The climbing bar was as cold as a popsicle. _____
5. The pizza flew in the air like a Frisbee. _____

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Lesson 93

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Complete the following sentences with similes:

1. I was as excited as _____
2. My slippers are warm like _____
3. His face was as red as _____
4. He is squirmy like _____
5. The sun was as hot as _____
6. Sandra’s face was as purple as _____
7. His little brother was as jumpy as _____
8. The ball flew high like _____
9. Mildred squealed as shrill as _____
10. Jaime rode his bike as fast as _____

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Lesson 94

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Similes: A figure of speech where two different ideas are compared using “as” or “like”. Example: The whale is big! (The whale is as big as a bus!)

Finish the similes:

1. Petra was as cold as _____
2. The monstrous giant was as tall as _____
3. Darrin felt as small as _____
4. The sound of the train whistle was as lonely as _____
5. The leaves in the grass were as crunchy as _____
6. The ant hill looked as crowded as _____
7. Our first day of school was as busy as _____
8. Her room is as messy as _____
9. The baby chicks were as noisy as _____
10. Last night was as black as _____

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Lesson 95

Similes

Similes compare two different things using “as” or “like”.

Finish the similes:

1. She ran like _____
2. The car roared like _____
3. He was nervous like _____
4. The ice cube melted like _____
5. She sang like _____

Fill in these similes:

1. He was as _____ as a jack rabbit.
2. It was as _____ as a red sports car.
3. They seemed as _____ as children on Christmas morning.
4. _____ like a bird.
5. _____ like a mouse.