

A simile is a comparison between two things that uses the words “like” or “as”. We use similes when we write to give our writing more imagery and strength. In this exercise, you will create similes that can be used in writing stories.

1. He is as strong as an ox.
2. Sue ran like \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Bill swam like \_\_\_\_\_.
4. William is as stubborn as \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Hungry Martha ate like \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The flash of lightning lit the sky like \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The Toronto Maple Leafs play like \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The road was as straight \_\_\_\_\_.
9. The muddy pig was as slippery as \_\_\_\_\_.
10. The singer sang as poorly as \_\_\_\_\_.
11. The cat climbed the tree like \_\_\_\_\_.
12. The water was as cold as \_\_\_\_\_.
13. The shoe fit like \_\_\_\_\_.
14. Mary sang as happily as \_\_\_\_\_.
15. The green tractor ran like \_\_\_\_\_.
16. It rained like \_\_\_\_\_.
17. It was as cold as \_\_\_\_\_.
18. The garden looked like \_\_\_\_\_.
19. The clouds were as fluffy as \_\_\_\_\_.
20. The student was as sharp as \_\_\_\_\_.