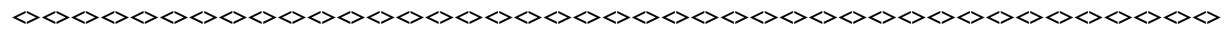


Simile

Scene: A clubhouse after school

Parts: 11 boys and/or girls.



- 1: Your head looks just like a bullet!
- 2: Your ears are like snails!
- 3: Your nose looks like a banana!
- 4: Your neck is like a tree stump!
- 5: You have legs like twigs!
- 6: Hey, what's going on here?
- 7: Oh, hi! You guys are late.
- 8: Maybe we shouldn't have come at all.
- 9: Why are you insulting each other?
- 10: We're not really insulting each other, are we, Brain?
- 11: Absolutely not!
- 1: Your eyes are like BB's!
- 2: You have a voice like a siren!
- 3: Your skin is as soft as cement!
- 4: You walk like a hipopotamus on roller skates.
- 6: Wait a minute! There you go again.
- 5: There we go again, what?
- 8: The insults again.
- 9: They're terrible!
- 7: The Brain will tell you what we are doing.
- 10: Tell them, Brain
- 11: We are practicing similes.
- 6: What's a simile?
- 1: If you had been in English today...
- 2: Instead of on that field trip ...
- 3: You'd know!
- 4: A simile is comparing two things that are different...
- 5: In order to make a strong description.
- 7: And it usually has the words *like* or *as* joining two parts.
- 1: We were just having some fun by practicing similes as insults.
- 2: But they can be used in many ways.
- 3: You could say, "Quick as a wink," or "Sharp as a tack."
- 5: And twice as flat-headed!
- 6: There you go again. Let's try something else.
- 8: Every day I say, "The school bus is as slow as molasses."
- 9: And the food in the cafeteria is as cold as ice.
- 7: And you always hear someone say, "This school is like a jail."
- 10: Remember the old joke about teeth that uses a simile?
- 11: Sure. "Your teeth are like stars..."
- 1: They come out at night."
- 2: Say, I can use similes to make a hit with my steady.
- 3: What are you going to say?
- 2: Your hair is like soft silk. Your eyes are like pools of crystal water.
- 4: Wow! That should put you in good standing.
- 6: For compliments like that, I'll be your steady.

7: You'd never fit that description. Your hair is like newspaper string; your eyes are like flying saucers.

6: And your humor is as funny as a plane crash.

1: Similes, here we come!

2: My love for you is like a raging volcano.

3: I'm as strong as a Saturn rocket.

6: Hey!

7: What?

8: Simile . . .

9: You're on TV.

10: This program is brought to you by CRUNCHY MUNCHIES.

11: The new breakfast cereal that's as crisp as crackers.

1: And the all new VITA-MINNIES.

2: The tiny capsules that're as powerful as the atom.

3: And now for today's episode of LOTTA LOVELORN.

4: As we left yesterday, our stars were about to have an argument.

5: You're as sweet as vinegar.

6: You're as honest as a two-headed nickel.

5: You're as trusting as the warden in a prison.

6: You're as lasting as a haircut.

7: Tune in tomorrow when our show will be brought to you by . . .

8: The Sweet As Sugar Candy Company.

9: Remember, if you're as sour as a lemon ...

10: You need a candy that's as sweet as honey!