Similes List

A simile is a comparison between two things using the words “like” or “as.” Given below are a list of similes.

(AS)

Smart as a fox
Quick as a cat
Tough as nails
Hard as rock
Tough as a tiger

His mind is as sharp as a samurai’s sword.

As large as life
Busy as a bee
As clear as crystal
As bright as a button
As good as gold

(Like)

Cry like a baby
Run like the wind

He walks like a ninja and runs like a cat.

He drinks like a fish.

He fights like a lion.

He swims as fast as a fish.

He slithers like a snake.
Writing Similes Worksheet

A simile is a comparison between two things using the words “like” or “as.”

Directions: Write a sentence with each simile below.

Example A: slithers like a snake
Answer: The football player slithered like a snake on the field.

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2. thin as a rail-

3. run like the wind-

4. sleep like a baby-

5. hard as a rock-

6. tough as a tiger-

7. as good as gold-
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Circling and Writing Similes Worksheet

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**Directions:** Circle the simile in each sentence below.

*Example A*- The man was _______ at dinner.
*Answer*- hungry as a bear

1. The boy was smart as a fox when trying to pass his test.
2. The running back was quick as a cat on the football field.
3. My dad is tough as nails because he never shows weakness.

**Directions:** Write a sentence with each simile below.

*Example A*- Slithers like a snake
*Answer*- The football player slithered like a snake as he ran.

4- as gentle as a lamb

____________________________________________________

5- quick as a cat

____________________________________________________

7- cry like a baby

____________________________________________________
Matching Similes Worksheet

A simile is a comparison between two things using the words “like” or “as.”

**Directions:** Match each simile in the left column with its meaning in the right column.

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<td>2. busy as a bee</td>
<td>To fight very hard</td>
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<td>3. run like the wind</td>
<td>To be sturdy and strong</td>
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<td>4. slither like a snake</td>
<td>To understand something clearly</td>
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<td>5. clear as crystal</td>
<td>To cry a lot</td>
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<td>6. drink like a fish</td>
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<td>7. as good as gold</td>
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<td>8. as bright as a button</td>
<td>To move quickly and fast</td>
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Similes Worksheet (Like)

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Directions: Write a sentence with each simile below.

Example A- Slithers like a snake
Answer- The football player slithered like a snake as he ran for the touchdown.

Like

1. Cry like a baby

2. Drink like a fish

3. Run like the wind

4. Sleep like a baby
Creating Similes Worksheet

Directions: Create a simile by completing each comparison below.

Example A: as shiny as _________________________
Answer: as shiny as silver

1. as hot as _________________________
2. as bright as _________________________
3. shines like _________________________
4. eats like _________________________
5. drives like _________________________
6. fights like _________________________
7. as large as _________________________
8. hard as a _________________________
9. soft as a _________________________
10. sour like _________________________
11. as straight as _________________________
12. as small as _________________________
13. busy as a _________________________
14. beautiful like _________________________
15. as shy as _________________________

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