

Figurative Language Worksheet

WORD BANK:

exaggerated	same	non-human	like
beginning	without	compares	connection

INSTRUCTIONS: Use the word bank to fill in the blanks (you will not be able to type ONTO the lines. You may underline your answers or just leave them not underlined)

- 1) A **simile** _____ one thing to another using _____ or as.
(example: Her eyes are as blue as the sky.)
- 2) A **metaphor** is a comparison that makes a hidden _____ between two ideas _____ using like or as.
(example: The stars are diamonds in the sky)
- 3) A **hyperbole** is an _____ claim that emphasizes a point.
(example: My book weighs a ton)
- 4) **Personification** is when the writer gives a _____ object human characteristics. (example: My pencil danced across my page)
- 5) **Alliteration** means that the _____ consonant sounds in words are the _____ in order to add a poetic feel to the writing.
(example: As the sun sizzled in the sky, I was sweating profusely)