Simile

A **simile** is a phrase or figure of speech that compares two things using **like** or **as**.

Example: The cat was **as** big **as** a horse.

Jack hopped **like** a kangaroo.

In the first sentence, the size of the cat was compared to that of a horse. The second sentence compares the way Jack hops to the way a kangaroo does.

Use the words in the box below as clues to complete each simile.

elephant	bee	bat	feather	desert	tree

1. I'm so thirsty my mouth is as dry as a _____.
2. Sam ate so much, he was as big as an _____.
3. The baby kitten is as light as a _____.
4. I am as busy as a _____ as I worked to finish my homework.
5. My older brother is as tall as a _____.

Complete the sentences by writing similes.

6. He crawled like a _____.
7. Tony ran like a _____.
8. Tim was as tiny as a _____.
9. She was as pretty as a _____.

Now make up your own simile!

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