

Looks, (feels smells etc), looks like, feels like, smells like, etc, looks as if, feels as if, smells as if etc

If it precedes a **noun** – cabbage, strawberries, thunder, a herd of elephants, use **the sense word + like**

If it precedes an **adjective** – damp, sick, cold, unhappy, terrible, awful, use **the sense word on its own**

If it precedes a **phrase** – it is going to rain, it is damp, the food is burning, she is sick, it is going to get cold, she is unhappy, there is going to be a thunderstorm, she is struggling, it is lost, you are being murdered, use **the sense word + like OR the sense word + as if**

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| 1. Their kitchen is dreadful. It | cabbage! (smells) |
| 2. The weather is changing. It | it is going to rain. (looks) |
| 3. Don't bring the washing in yet. It still | damp. (feels) |
| 4. Don't bring the washing in yet. It still | it is damp. (feels) |
| 5. This dessert is delicious. It | strawberries. (tastes) |
| 6. Take the pot off the stove. It | the food is burning. (smells) |
| 7. She should not be at work today. She | sick. (looks) |
| 8. She should not be at work today. She | she is sick (looks) |
| 9. Take your coat with you. It | it is going to get cold. (feels) |
| 10. Take your coat with you. It | cold. (feels) |
| 11. What is wrong with her? She | unhappy. (looks) |
| 12. What is wrong with her? She | she is unhappy. (looks) |
| 13. Come inside! It | there is going to be a thunderstorm (sounds) |
| 14. Come inside! It | thunder! (sounds) |
| 15. Please tidy your room. It | terrible. (looks) |
| 16. Help the old lady across the road. She | she is struggling. (looks) |
| 17. That poor puppy! It | it is lost. (looks) |
| 18. What is that noise? It | a herd of elephants. (sounds) |
| 19. Why are you screaming? It | you are being murdered! (sounds) |
| 20. You should go to the doctor! That cough | awful (sounds) |