

## 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)