

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE 5**

SUBJECT: Literary Elements

TOPIC: Similes

**A simile uses the words *as* or *like* to compare TWO things.**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** a. Write **SIMILE** next to each sentence that shows comparison.  
b. Circle the **TWO** things being compared.

**EXAMPLES:** a. A {poinciana tree in bloom} is as beautiful as a {rose garden}. Simile  
b. {Politicians} are like {pastors}, they both have a lot to say. Simile

1. The sun is as bright as a million stars. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Many children like to eat ice-cream. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The ligaments in our bodies are round like ropes. \_\_\_\_\_
4. The Antarctic is as cold as ice. \_\_\_\_\_
5. The athletes jogged as far as the curb and back. \_\_\_\_\_
6. The juicy watermelon was as sweet as honey. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do you like visiting other countries? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Just as the dusk dawned, the rain poured down. \_\_\_\_\_
9. Energy is like matter, it cannot be created or destroyed. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Cold water on a hot summer's day is like medicine to the body. \_\_\_\_\_

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