

Metaphor and Simile

A simile uses **like** or **as** to compare two things.

Metaphors **do not use** like or as to compare.

Directions: If the sentence is a simile write **S**. If the sentence is a metaphor write **M**

1. My dad is a bear in the morning before he drinks his coffee! ____
2. His feet were like baby dolphins. ____
3. The wind was an angry witch, howling across the night sky. ____
4. The lake was as smooth as glass. ____
5. When it was her turn to dance, Melissa was a graceful butterfly flitting across the stage. ____
6. " She had eyes like coffee saucers" ____
7. Steven's angry words were bullets that hit Greg right in his heart. ____
8. "His feet were like baby dolphins." ____
9. Summer in Mayville was an oven set to broil. ____
10. Her son was a bottomless pit. ____
11. It was as quiet as a library. ____
12. The paper was a leaf clinging to a tree in a windstorm. ____
13. Mrs. Poole's class was a zoo! ____
14. There was something about her that was like sunshine. ____
15. This tiny office was a prison cell. ____