



Primary 3/4

Week 3

The Write Tribe

SIMILES





BRAVE AS A BEAR

SIMILES make comparisons to objects or situations that are widely accepted. Fat as a pig. Pigs are commonly known to eat a lot. Therefore, when we compare a person to pig, we get the idea that they may be lazy or fat.

If we say someone is brave as a bear, we think the person must be courageous. Why? Are bears really brave? Bears are huge. We humans tend to think big animals have nothing to be afraid of. That's why we compare a brave person to a bear.

Similes	
1. As _____ as two peas in a pod	6. As _____ as as a bat
2. As _____ as a coot	7. As _____ as as a lion
3. As _____ as a sickle	8. As _____ as a bee
4. As _____ as a pig	9. As _____ as as ice
5. As _____ as coal	10. As _____ as a fox

blind	brave	busy	cold	sly
black	fat	bent	bald	alike



Fill in the blanks

as blind as a bat		as fat as a pig		as bald as a coot	
as black as coal		as busy as a bee		as sly as a fox	
as brave as a lion	as bent as a sickle	as cold as ice		as alike as two peas in a pod	

1. Garfield and Ali looked identical. They were _____.
2. Her dark hair was _____.
3. The witch had a hooked nose that was _____.
4. The tiny boy fought the bullies off _____.
5. Mr. Degree had poor eyesight. He was _____.
6. Being a glutton, it is no wonder Taylor was _____.
7. Galileo's head was a smooth egg. He was _____.
8. _____, Bill Sykes can scam anyone out of their money.
9. With a mountain of homework to do, Charlotte was _____.
10. The old crone's demeanor was _____, sending shivers down the spines of everyone.

