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)

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