

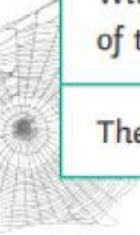
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# Similes and Metaphors

Identify whether the sentences below contain a simile or a metaphor by ticking the boxes in the correct column.

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| The giant was as tall as a mountain.                                                                                                                              | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sam woke up to the ground outside covered in a soft, white blanket.                                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| The bass drum in her chest was getting louder and louder.                                                                                                         | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Like a mouse, the boy crept down the corridor.                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| With a sound as loud as a foghorn, the elephant came charging out of the trees.  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| The diamond-encrusted spider webs glistened in the early morning sun.                                                                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Now, have a go at completing the sentences by selecting an appropriate simile or metaphor from the box and writing it on the lines provided.

1. The cat hissed \_\_\_\_\_.

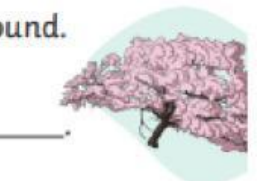
2. \_\_\_\_\_ zig-zagged across the sky during the storm.

3. \_\_\_\_\_ licked the bubbling cauldron.

4. The bed felt \_\_\_\_\_ when she finally lay down.

5. Outside, \_\_\_\_\_ fell from the sky and pummelled the ground.

6. The cherry blossoms bloomed \_\_\_\_\_.



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| Fiery tongues licked | like candy floss on sticks. | Silver slashes         |
| like fluffy clouds   | sheets of grey              | as angrily as a snake. |