Writing • Figurative Language

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Identify comparisons and explain their meanings.

Student: _____ Date: _____

Reminder: A simile compares using like, as, or sometimes than. A metaphor compares directly.

1. The laptop was an aging dinosaur. Simile or metaphor? What does it mean?

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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2. The idea came to me like a flash of lightning! Simile or metaphor? Explain.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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3. Alejandra went as still as a statue. Simile or metaphor? Explain.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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4. Zuri always has sunshine in her pocket. Simile or metaphor? Explain.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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5. Uncle Jesse is a walking dictionary. Simile or metaphor? Explain.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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6. This homework is trickier than a magician! Simile or metaphor? Explain.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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7. Write your own simile and explain its meaning.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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8. Write your own metaphor and explain its meaning.

Simile or metaphor? _____ Meaning / explanation:

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