

FILM REVIEW		What I think	My teacher thinks
LO: To be able to use figurative language.			
<i>I can remember to:</i>			
identify similes as comparisons using 'like' or 'as'.	☐		
identify metaphors as comparisons which state something is another thing.	☐		
write your own similes and metaphors to describe.	☐		

Can you think of a comparison for a film you've watched recently using figurative language?



Example

If this film was an animal it would be...

If the film *Toy Story* was an animal it would be a puppy because it is playful and cute.

Simile: Watching *Toy Story* is like playing with a cute, playful puppy.

Hyperbole: *Toy Story* is more entertaining than any puppy could ever be!



If this film was a well-known person it would be...



If this film was an animal it would be...



If this film was a book it would be...



If this film was an ice cream flavour it would be...

Cut out the types of **figurative language** and match them to their **definitions** and **examples**.

Figurative Language

Instructions:

Match the definition and use the subheadings to sort the phrases under the correct category.

Simile

Metaphor

Personification

Hyperbole

Compares two things using the words 'like' or 'as.'

Gives human qualities to animals, non-living objects or ideas.

Obvious exaggeration to make a point.

Compares one thing to another without using 'like' or 'as.'

Her anger erupted like a volcano.

We haven't seen each other forever!

My memory is foggy.

Lightning danced
across the sky.

We are like two
peas in a pod.

The trees were as
tall as skyscrapers.

They go together
like peanut butter
and jelly.

I'm so hungry
I could eat
a horse!

You are my
sunshine.

That cake is calling
my name!

He is the greatest
athlete in the world.

She swims
like a fish.

Your room is a
disaster zone!

The snow was a
white blanket over
the town.

My phone shouted
at me from across
the room.

Ten calculations!?
That will take days!

The electric car
hummed to itself at the
traffic lights.

You've already
told me that story a
million times.

Tim, Sam and Ali
are great friends;
they're like the three
Musketeers.

Mrs.White's maths
test was a piece of
cake.

Don't you feel well?
You're as white as a
sheet.

The fabric cascaded
out of the cupboard in
a rainbow of colours.

The model's
beautiful teeth were
pearls in his smile.

The wind sighed
through the field of
wheat.

The floorboards
moaned as I tiptoed
across the room.

The spicy food
danced around my
taste buds.

The reception
children played in the
sandpit like a litter of
puppies.