

Metaphors

Metaphors compare different things.
They suggest that two things are the same.

Here are some examples:



The children
in my class
are a dream!

You are the apple of my eye.

It's raining
cats and dogs.

I have the heart
of a lion!

I'm standing at
the foot of the
mountain.

All the world's a stage,
And all the men and women merely players;
They have their exits and their entrances;



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Lesson 2

The difference between a simile and a metaphor is that a simile says something is *like* something else, but a metaphor says that something *is* something else.

Simile

The girl was as beautiful as a rose.

Is LIKE a rose

Metaphor

The girl was a beautiful rose.

IS a rose

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Circle/write out the metaphors from the ones below - be careful! Some will not be metaphors!

He was a soldier, ready for battle.

She is a walking dictionary.

He was as busy as a bee.

She is an angel

Her eyes were as bright as the moon.

He was a rhino, rampaging through the house.

My bedroom is a tip!

His hands were as cold as ice.