

Similes: Analyze & Complete

simile

a comparison of two unlike things using the words like or as
Rachel's Purse felt as cold as ice.

Directions: Read each simile, and indicate what is being compared on the lines.

as soft as a cloud *as tall as a tree*

1. The sparkling water of the lake glistened like sapphires. _____ to _____
2. Both had brown eyes and hair as dark as the midnight sky. _____ to _____
3. The students charged up the stairs like a herd of elephants. _____ to _____
4. The bee's wings beat fast as butterflies. _____ to _____
5. The don's nose was as tough and lightning as thunder. _____ to _____
6. Andrew's room smelled like the inside of an old bookbox. _____ to _____
7. The mountain rabbit fur was as white as paper. _____ to _____
8. As soon as they entered the park, the children scattered like ants. _____ to _____

Directions: Complete each common simile with a word from the box.

green

yellow

brown

white

red

9. Dad helped his son clean his clothes like a _____.
10. While watching the scary movie, Kim's face was as white as a _____.
11. The lime-gelatin is as smooth as a _____.
12. Mom's pork roast was as tough as a _____.
13. The school day passed by slowly like a _____.

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