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Descriptive Worksheets

Similes compare things which are alike in some respect, although they may be different in their general nature. Observe the pictures of these animals and in the following questions. Then match a distinctive quality to the creature.

1. 1. QUESTION

As _____ as a bat.



☐ heavy ☐ blind ☐ brave ☐ slow

2. 2. QUESTION

As _____ as a lamb.



☐ meek ☐ graceful ☐ happy ☐ fierce

3. 3. QUESTION

As _____ as a swan.



☐ industrious ☐ graceful ☐ frisky ☐ feeble

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4. 4. QUESTION

As _____ as a rabbit



☐ old ☐ swift ☐ fat ☐ timid

5. 5. QUESTION

As _____ as cow



☐ cunning ☐ happy ☐ stolid ☐ sure-footed

6. 6. QUESTION

As _____ as Methuselah



☐ old ☐ cunning ☐ wise ☐ playful

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7. 7. QUESTION

As _____ as a two-year-old



frisky



devoted



busy



bright

8. 8. QUESTION

As _____ as thieves



timid



proud



thick



loyal

9. 9. QUESTION

As _____ as a horse



proud



strong



tenacious



poor

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10. 10. QUESTION

As _____ as a sheep



☐ swift ☐ playful ☐ pleased ☐ silly

Choose two pictures to write a descriptive paragraph.

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Similes show qualities of things. Match quality the thing.

1. 1. QUESTION

Match the sentences with a suitable word.

SORT ELEMENTS

feather. lark. deer. ice. fish. diamond. monkey. velvet. leaf. glue.

The coward was trembling like a	
The man could swim like a	
The boy ran like the	
His hands were as cold as	
The lake shone like a	
The smooth sea was like	
The girl was happy as a	
The box was as light as a	
The boy climbed the tree like a	
His terrified companion stuck to him like	

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2. QUESTION

Type in the missing words in the following phrases.

As cold as _____.

As sharp as a _____.

As clear as _____.

As _____ as vinegar

As _____ as water

As _____ as sin

As _____ as grass

As _____ as two peas

As _____ as a furnace

As _____ as a daisy

As _____ as a doorpost

As _____ as a button

As _____ as a doorknob