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**Answer Key****Write Your Own Hyperboles #2**

**Hyperboles** (hy-PER-buh-leees) are exaggerated statements that are overly dramatic. They can be used to make a point or emphasize a feeling. Remember, hyperboles are not meant to be taken literally!

**Directions:** Rewrite each statement using hyperbole to exaggerate the meaning.

Statement	Write it with hyperbole.
<b>Example:</b> I'm so tired.	I could sleep for one hundred years!
1. I'm really happy.	I feel like I'm on top of the world.
2. I'm very wet.	I'm soaked to the bones.
3. I feel cold.	I'm freezing to death!
4. This cat is very fat.	This cat is as fat as a pig.
5. That blanket is thin.	A piece of paper is thicker than that blanket.
6. My backpack is so dirty.	My backpack looks like it's made of dirt.
7. Her house is really big.	Her house has its own area code.
8. The news makes me feel sad.	I cry a river of tears whenever I watch the news.
9. The CEO is rich.	The CEO could buy her own planet.
10. He can run really fast.	He runs faster than a cheetah.