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## MIXED PRACTICE

# Similes and Metaphors #2

Read each sentence and circle the two words being compared. Determine whether each sentence is a **simile** or a **metaphor**. Then write down the meaning based on the context.



**EXAMPLE:** The moon was a spotlight on the lake.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** *The moon's reflection created a circle of light on the lake.*

1. The bird flew away, quick as a wink.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. Those girls are like two peas in a pod!

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

3. This contract is as solid as the ground we stand on.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

4. The world is my oyster.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

5. I can hear you as clear as a bell.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

6. This computer is a dinosaur.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

7. Don't just sit there like a bump on a log!

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

8. He's a diamond in the rough.

simile

metaphor

**Literal meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_