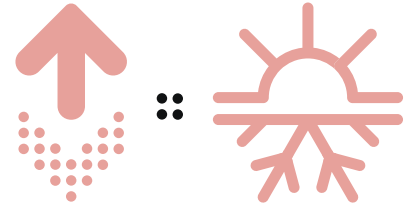


Relating Words **With Analogies** #1

Analogies show the relationships between two pairs of words.

EXAMPLE: up is to down as hot is to cold
*Up is the opposite of down. Hot is the opposite of cold.
 These are both antonym pairs.*

EXAMPLE: day is to week as chapter is to book
*A day is part of a week. A chapter is part of a book.
 These are both part/whole pairs.*



Some common relationships found in analogies are synonyms, antonyms, degree, cause/effect, part/whole, item/category, item/purpose, worker/tool, and worker/product.

Part 1 Choose the word to complete each analogy. Circle your answer.

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| 1. plentiful is to scarce as reality is to
a. illusion b. life | 6. biography is to book as guitar is to
a. band b. instrument |
| 2. drought is to famine as earthquake is to
a. hurricane b. tsunami | 7. chef is to knife as carpenter is to
a. hammer b. building |
| 3. pack is to wolves as swarm is to
a. bees b. honey | 8. clumsy is to adept as taunt is to
a. praise b. tease |
| 4. comfort is to solace as secret is to
a. public b. covert | 9. lion is to mammal as iguana is to
a. reptile b. Komodo dragon |
| 5. geologist is to rocks as botanist is to
a. insects b. plants | 10. poet is to poem as artist is to
a. paintbrush b. painting |

Part 2 Write a word to complete each analogy. There may be multiple possible answers.

- hot is to boiling as cool is to _____
- toe is to foot as nose is to _____
- seamstress is to dress as cobbler is to _____
- astronomer is to telescope as biologist is to _____
- waffle is to breakfast as ice cream is to _____
- confused is to baffled as timid is to _____



Bonus! Create your own analogy.

_____ is to _____ as _____ is to _____