

Topic: Using Figurative Language

1 Think about



These four building tasks will help you express your thoughts and ideas about using figurative language such as similes in daily life.

Build: Build a model that represents a simile that you have heard or read recently.

Building Time: 3-4 minutes

Share: When the building time is up, take turns telling each other about what you have built.

Keep your model on your own building plate.



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2 Remember



Now that you have thought about a specific example of a simile, it is useful to recall a time when you heard it used and who used it.

Build: Build a model that represents a situation or story in which you have heard this simile used.

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3 Imagine



Now you will use your imagination and creativity to think about how you can use figurative language such as similes.

Build: Build a model that represents a simile that describes how a friend or classmate is feeling today.

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4 Conclude



Now you will build a model that sums up what you have learned so far.

Build: Build a model that represents the kind of day you have had today and create a simile to explain it.

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