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2. Tick the sentences that contain a simile:

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She was wearing a really old, disgusting coat.

I like your hair.

He was as old as the hills.

3. Underline the best of choice of word for each simile.

His heart was beating like a piano/drum/egg.

The cushion was as soft as a kitten/mushroom/smile.

4. Think of your own simile to describe:

1. being tired _____.

2. how angry someone is _____.

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ANSWERS

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A technique of figurative language that compares one thought with another, usually using 'as' or 'like'.

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suggestions

1. being tired as tired as a tortoise

2. how angry someone is as angry as a storm
