

# WORKBOOK

## Language

A term used for language and description that appeals to our

A figure of speech that is an exaggeration.

A figure of speech where human qualities are given to animals or objects

A figure of speech that contains phrases that are not supposed to be taken literally.



EXAMPLES OF IDIOM:-  
 Having cold feet- Means you are nervous  
 She gave him a dirty look- Means she was angry at him  
 The car stopped on a dime- Means the car can stop quickly

A figure of speech that occurs when a series of words begin with the same sound (not just the same letter).



EXAMPLES OF A METAPHOR:  
It is raining cats and dogs.  
You have a heart of gold.  
You lit up my life.

A figure of speech that mimics the sound of the object or action it refers to.



EXAMPLES OF OXYMORON:  
Alone Together  
Growing Smaller  
Open Secret

A figure of speech that compares two things and generally uses the words "like" or "as."



**EXAMPLES OF SIMILES:**  
This is as easy as pie.  
She is as fast as lightning.  
He is sleeping like a lion.

MARCY'S  
Mayhem

# FREE posters & activity

# 9 FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE POSTERS

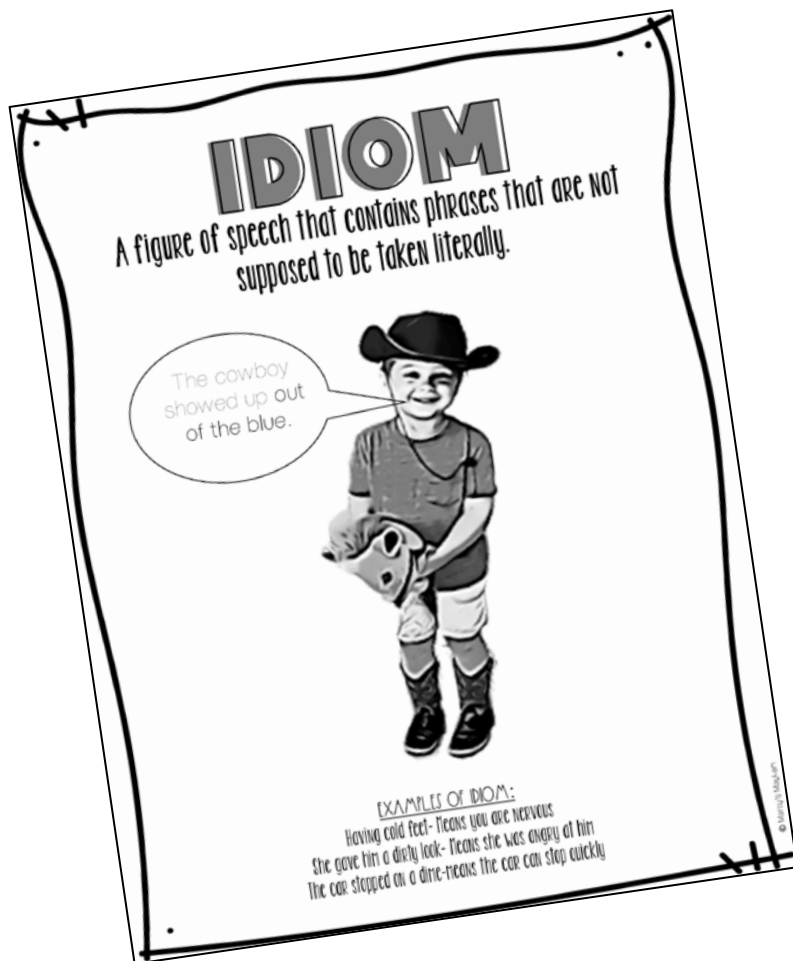
idiom, simile, metaphor, alliteration, imagery, hyperbole, personification, onomatopoeia & oxymoron

each poster contains:

\*Definition

\*Picture of Character using the example

\*Additional Examples



# MATCHING ACTIVITY INCLUDED

## with answer key inside

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

MATCHING ACTIVITY

Directions: Draw a line from the figurative language word on the left-hand column to the correct example of figurative language on the right-hand side.

<u>WORD</u>	<u>FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE EXAMPLE</u>
1. Oxymoron	A. Be back in a flash of light.
2. Metaphor	B. I can smell the blazing fire and hear the crackling sound of the roaring flame.
3. Simile	C. I am here to protect my people from potential predators by patrolling many places.
4. Onomatopoeia	D. It is time to call it a day.
5. Alliteration	E. I am so hungry; I could eat a horse.
6. Idiom	F. That is a terribly good description.
7. Imagery	G. The wind whips through my sails as I hunt for buried treasure.
8. Hyperbole	H. I am as strong as an ox.
9. Personification	I. Clomp, bang, boom.


MATCHING ACTIVITY ANSWER KEY

1. F
2. A
3. H
4. I
5. C
6. D
7. B
8. E
9. G



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# USE THIS BOOK TO TEACH FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE



This book pairs  
perfectly with the FREE  
Lesson.

Using this book is not  
mandatory to use the  
FREE Lesson.

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