

Rewrite similes and metaphors

Grade 5 Vocabulary Worksheet

For each sentence, write S if it is a simile and M if it is a metaphor. Then, if it is a simile, rewrite it as a metaphor, or vice versa. The cat's fur was as soft as a blanket.	
Eating cake is just heaven.	
She was as fast as a cheetah.	
He was as hungry as a bear.	
Her eyes were as blue as the ocean.	
The little girl was a brave lion.	
The bath water was as hot as the sun.	
Jake was a greedy goblin.	
The leaves fell as gently as a soft breeze.	



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Answers:
S The cat's fur was as soft as a blanket.
The cat's fur was a soft blanket.
M Eating cake is just heaven.
Eating cake is as wonderful as heaven.
M She was as fast as a cheetah.
She was a cheetah.
S He was as hungry as a bear.
The hungry man was a bear.
Her blue eyes were the ocean.
M The little girl was a brave lion.
The little girl was as brave as a lion.
The bath water was as hot as the sun.
The hot bath water was the sun.
M Jake was a greedy goblin.
Jake was as greedy as a goblin.

The falling leaves were a soft breeze.

_____ The leaves fell as gently as a soft breeze.