

AS ... AS SIMILES



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As busy as a bee: Very busy and actively engaged in various tasks.

During the holiday rush, the store employees were as busy as bees, helping customers and restocking shelves.

As clear as a bell: Very clear and easily understood.

The speaker's voice was projected so well that his words were as clear as a bell to everyone in the auditorium.

As clear as mud: Very unclear or confusing.

The instructions for setting up the new software were as clear as mud, leaving many users frustrated.

As cool as a cucumber: Extremely calm and composed, especially in stressful situations.

Even during the crisis, he remained as cool as a cucumber, providing reassurance to the team.

As easy as pie: Very easy and straightforward.

After practicing a few times, using the new software became as easy as pie.

As fit as a fiddle : to be very healthy and strong

My grandmother's 89, but she's as fit as a fiddle.

As fresh as a daisy: Very refreshed and full of energy, often after a good night's sleep.

Despite the long flight, he woke up the next morning feeling as fresh as a daisy.

As hard as nails: Very tough and resilient, both physically and emotionally.

The athlete's rigorous training made her as hard as nails, enabling her to endure challenging competitions.

As heavy as lead: Extremely heavy.

The old antique chest was as heavy as lead, making it a challenge to move.

As large as life: Present and easily noticeable.

There he was, as large as life, standing at the entrance to the party.

As light as a feather : extremely light

I can pick you up easily – you're as light as a feather.

As red as a beetroot: Having a very red complexion, often due to embarrassment or exertion.

When she was caught off guard, her face turned as red as a beetroot.

As safe as houses: Very safe and secure.

The neighbourhood's low crime rate made it feel as safe as houses.

As sober as a judge: Completely sober and not affected by alcohol.

Despite the celebrations, he remained as sober as a judge, choosing not to drink.

As steady as a rock: Extremely stable and unwavering.

The experienced sailor remained as steady as a rock, even in the roughest waters.

As stubborn as a mule: Extremely stubborn and unyielding.

No matter how convincing the argument, she remained as stubborn as a mule in her decision.

As thick as thieves: Very close and friendly, often used to describe a close friendship.

The two siblings have always been as thick as thieves, sharing secrets and supporting each other.

As wise as an owl : Being very knowledgeable, insightful, and wise. Owls are often associated with wisdom.

Despite his young age, Jacob's advice was always sought after by his friends because he was as wise as an owl and had a unique perspective on many matters.