

SIMILES WILL MAKE YOU SMILE

BY THE THIRD GRADERS
IN MS. BENJAMIN & MS. VINSON'S CLASSES

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This is the creative work of the third graders in Ms. Vinson and Ms. Benjamin's classes at Mary M. Bethune School. During the 2019-2020 school year, teaching artist, Cynthia Larsen from Lake Erie Ink: a writing space for youth, taught third grade students how to write similes and use sensory details to write descriptively about themselves and the places they love, and even more exciting, the third grade students created and described MONSTERS!! Unfortunately, the students' monster writing could not be included due to the abrupt closure of the school due to the pandemic. (If we can get our hands on all of it, we'll publish those stories and pictures later this summer!)

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POEMS FROM MS. BENJAMIN'S CLASS

My name is Bernard

I'm as lazy as a tree that doesn't want to move.

I'm sleepy like the moon in the sky.

I'm generous as a cow.

I'm as funny as a TV show.

I'm so cool like a youtuber.

I can be your best friend.

My name is A'niyha.

I'm fast like a lion.

I'm cute like a cat.

I'm smart as a teacher.

I'm bad as a monkey.

I'm fancy as my sis and mom.

I'm slimy like a dog.

I'm an awesome girl.

My name is Dai'Mire.

I'm helpful as a doctor.

I'm as shy as a bat.

I'm as plain as a cactus.

I'm as endearing as a flower.

I'm fun like hide and seek.

I'm as bright as a star.

My name is Amelia.

I am sweet as gummy bears.

I am as happy as a person who got a surprise.

I'm as quiet as a library.

I'm hardworking like a hammer.

I'm loving like a puppy snuggling.

I am a rock star.

My name is Destiny

I'm happier than a cat.
I'm smart as a scientist.
I'm helpful as a teacher.
I'm funny as a mouse.
I'm loveable as a mom.
I'm a Rockstar.

My name is De'Carlo

I'm quiet as mice.
I'm as funny like Funny Mike.
I'm lazy like a sloth.
I'm athletic like OBJ.
I'm good at Fortnite.
Please give me a skin.

My name is Brandon.

I'm smart as a scientist.
I'm funny as a clown.
I'm daring like a fire.
I'm creative as a drawing.
I'm friendly as a cat.
I'm a good brother!

My name is Ni'Zeer.

I'm fast like a rhino.
I'm smart like a teacher.
I'm sweet like a lemon.
I'm helpful like a butler.
I'm strong like a gorilla.
I am like a blowing flower.

My name is Roccxi.

I'm as fast as a dog.
I'm as cute as a puppy.
I'm as cool as a car.
I'm as hot as a sun.
I'm as strong as an ox.
I got one dog.
I really love dogs.

My name is Julianna.

I'm as beautiful as a queen.
I'm as friendly as a mouse.
I'm as caring as a mom.
I'm as fun as a bouncy house.
I'm as fast as a lion.
I'm as friendly as a beautiful flower.

My name is Lailah.

I'm as smart as a scientist.
I'm fast like a cheetah.
I'm bright like a light.
I'm bossy like a boss.
I'm nice like a mom.
I'm good at reading.

My name is Ryan.

I'm creative like art.
I'm stylish like a barbershop.
I'm loud like a horn.
I'm squirmy like a worm.
I'm funny like a clown.
I'm the G.O.A.T.

My name is Alaisa.

I'm fancy like a cat.

I'm pretty as a pink car.

I'm as friendly as a unicorn.

I'm as smart as a bee.

I'm thankful as an elephant.

I'm pretty as a car and smart as a bee.

My name is Autumn.

I'm as smart as a scientist.

I'm as artistic as an artist.

I'm helpful as a police officer.

I'm nice as a superhero.

I'm caring as dogs.

I am a great artist!

My name is Daruell.

I'm as thoughtful as a friend.

I'm as humorous as a joke.

I'm as sweet as candy.

I'm as fast as a lion.

I'm as friendly as a cat when he's playing with toys.

I love school math.

POEM'S FROM MS. VINSON'S CLASS

My name is La'Nayshia.

I'm funny as a bubble.

I'm loud as an elephant.

I'm kind as Malia.

I'm caring as Ms. Vinson.

I'm happy as Deon.

I love Ms. Vinson.

My name is Devilin.

I'm smart as a 5th grader.

I'm cool like a dirt bike.

I'm respectful like my mom.

I'm caring as my teacher.

I'm fast like my teacher.

I'm as lovely as Ms. Vinson.

My name is Givonte.

I'm dangerous as a gorilla.

I'm fast as a fox.

I'm fun as a rollercoaster.

I'm mean as a clown.

I'm loud as a megaphone.

I'm as happy as a family.

My name is Za'Riah.

I'm funny as a clown.

I'm smart as my teacher.

I'm fast as a cheetah.

I'm loud as my mom.

I'm mean as my dad.

I'm the coolest person at basketball.

My name is Jibreel.

I'm fast as a cat.

I'm funny as a bee.

I'm as fun as bats.

I'm smart like Vinson.

I'm a good student.

My name is Malia.

I'm goofy as a dog.

I'm lazy as a turtle.

I'm cute as a puppy.

I'm fun as a cat.

I'm as funny as a Funny Mike.

I'm cute and funny.

My name is Kay.

I'm creative as a fox.

I'm smart as a teacher.

I'm hardworking as a dog.

I'm sweet as my mother.

I'm helpful as a book.

I am addicted to puppies.

My name is Chassidy.

I'm energetic as a rabbit.

I'm funny as Funny Mike.

I'm helpful as a teacher.

I'm sleepy as a cat.

I'm fast as a cheetah.

I'm cute.

My name is Kenneth.

I'm fast as ZOOM!

I am as funny as a clown.

I am as scary as a Pennywise.

I am as energetic as Albert Einstein.

I am as shocking as a wire.

My name is Nazir.

I am handsome like my brother.

I'm smart like my teacher.

I'm fast like a cheetah.

I'm funny like a Devilin.

I'm good like my mom.

I like to learn.

My name is La'Chyna.

I am funny as a smiling cat.

I am smart as my teacher.

I am goofy as a clown.

I am fun like my family.

I am happy as myself.

I am as mean as my mom.

My name is lyira.

I am lazy as a turtle.

I am sleepy as a bear.

I am pretty as my mom.

I am mean as my dad.

I am funny as my sister.

I am loud.

My name is Se-onne.

I am good as games.

I am sleepy as a dog.

I am happy as a cat.

I am fun as a pig.

I am funny as a bat.

I am so good at home.

My name is Deon.

I'm goofy like my cousin.

I'm kind as my mom.

I'm tall as the door.

I'm playful as my cousin.

I'm lazy as my brother.

I'm mean.