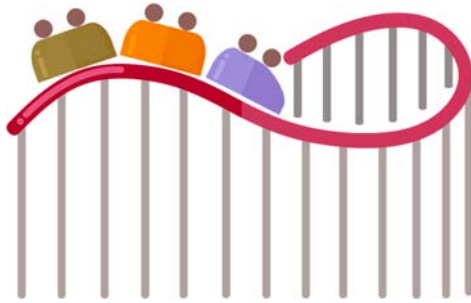


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Figurative Thrills

Directions: Read the short passage below.

Look for **similes** (comparisons using *like* or *as*) and **metaphors** (comparisons without

using *like* or *as*). **Highlight or underline** the figurative language in the passage. Write whether each one is a **simile or metaphor**.

As the roller coaster climbed the track, my heart pounded like a drum in a parade. When we reached the top, the cars raced down, a rocket shooting through the sky. The twists and turns made me feel like a leaf in the wind. By the end, I laughed and shouted, feeling a king of the world.

Figurative Language	Simile or Metaphor?