

Today you are going to practise using expanded noun phrases to make similes more detailed!

Look at the example showing how expanded noun phrases work to help you.

Example:
as stopped as a **clock**

as stopped as a **long-forgotten clock**

Clock is the **noun** in this simile

An expanded noun phrases will generally use two or more **adjectives** to describe the **noun**.

Expanded noun phrases tell you more about the **noun**.

Look at the similes below. Mr Spencer has written out some more similes but they are all a little boring!

Identify the noun in each simile and then rewrite the simile with an expanded noun phrase included.

As old as a tortoise.

As powerful as a cannon.

As loud as thunder

As bright as a light bulb.

As brilliant as a superhero.

As terrifying as a lion.

As tall as a skyscraper.

As terrifying as a tiger.