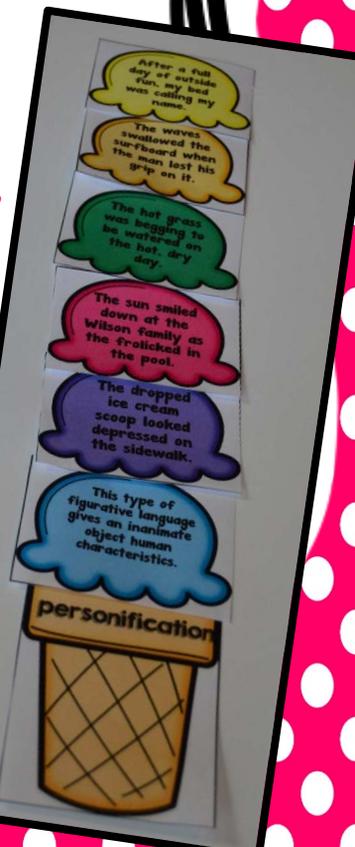


Build an Ice Cream Cone:

Figurative Language Activity



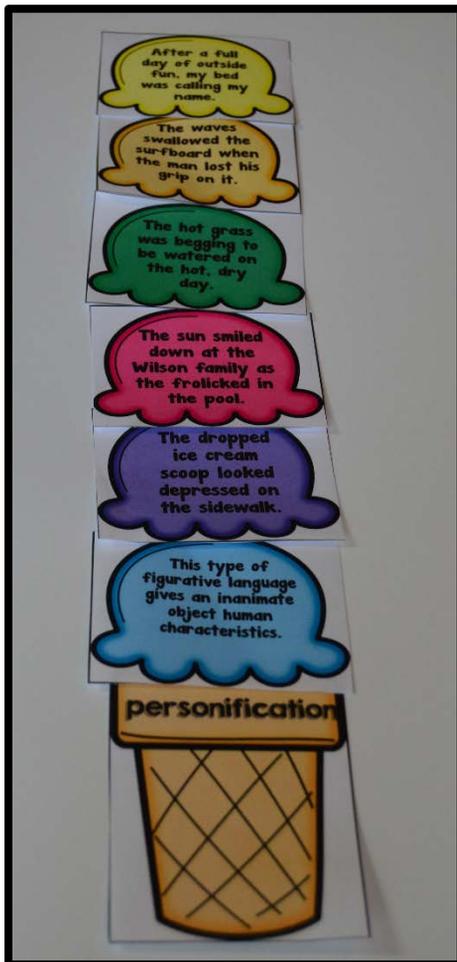
Note to the Teacher

If you like this Exclusive Newsletter Freebie, make sure you check out my other seasonal figurative language activities. [Click here to see them all!](#)

This resource is available in color and black and white. The figurative language examples on the back and white scoops are all mixed up. This would allow you to have the students cut and create an ice cream craftivity.

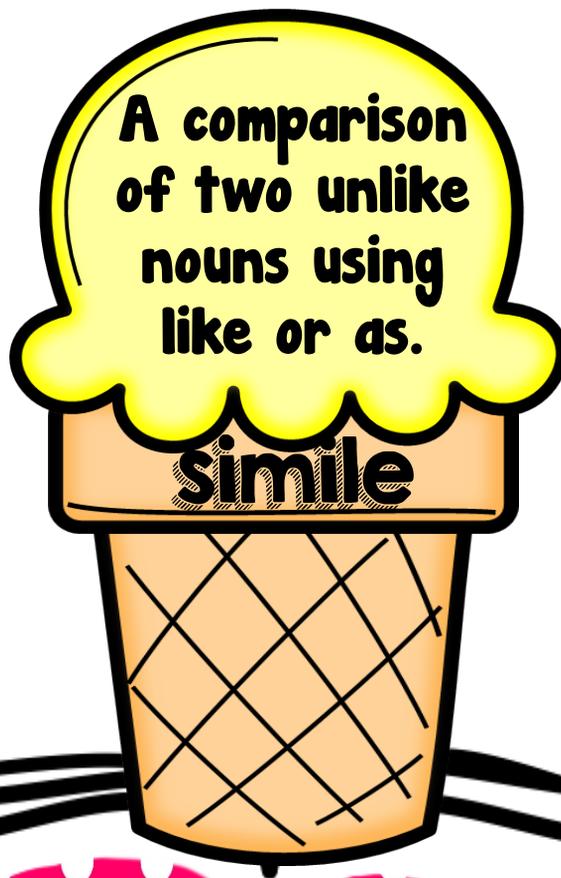
Cut along the lined border for easy prep.

Or cut each element out without using the lined border.



Directions:

Match the ice cream scoops with the correct cone that names the type of figurative language being used or described.



This type of figurative language is an extreme exaggeration.

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It was so hot outside that I could get a tan after 5 seconds.

The sun caused me to sweat a river.

After swimming all day, I could sleep for a month.

When my dad mows the grass, he always drinks a ton of water.

This type of figurative language gives an inanimate object human characteristics.

After a full day of outside fun, my bed was calling my name.

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This type of figurative language compares two unlike nouns without using like or as.

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The melting ice cream cone was a leaking faucet.

After being in the sun all day, my skin was a bright red tomato.

This type of figurative language compares two unlike nouns using like or as.

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During the summer, I sleep like a hibernating bear.

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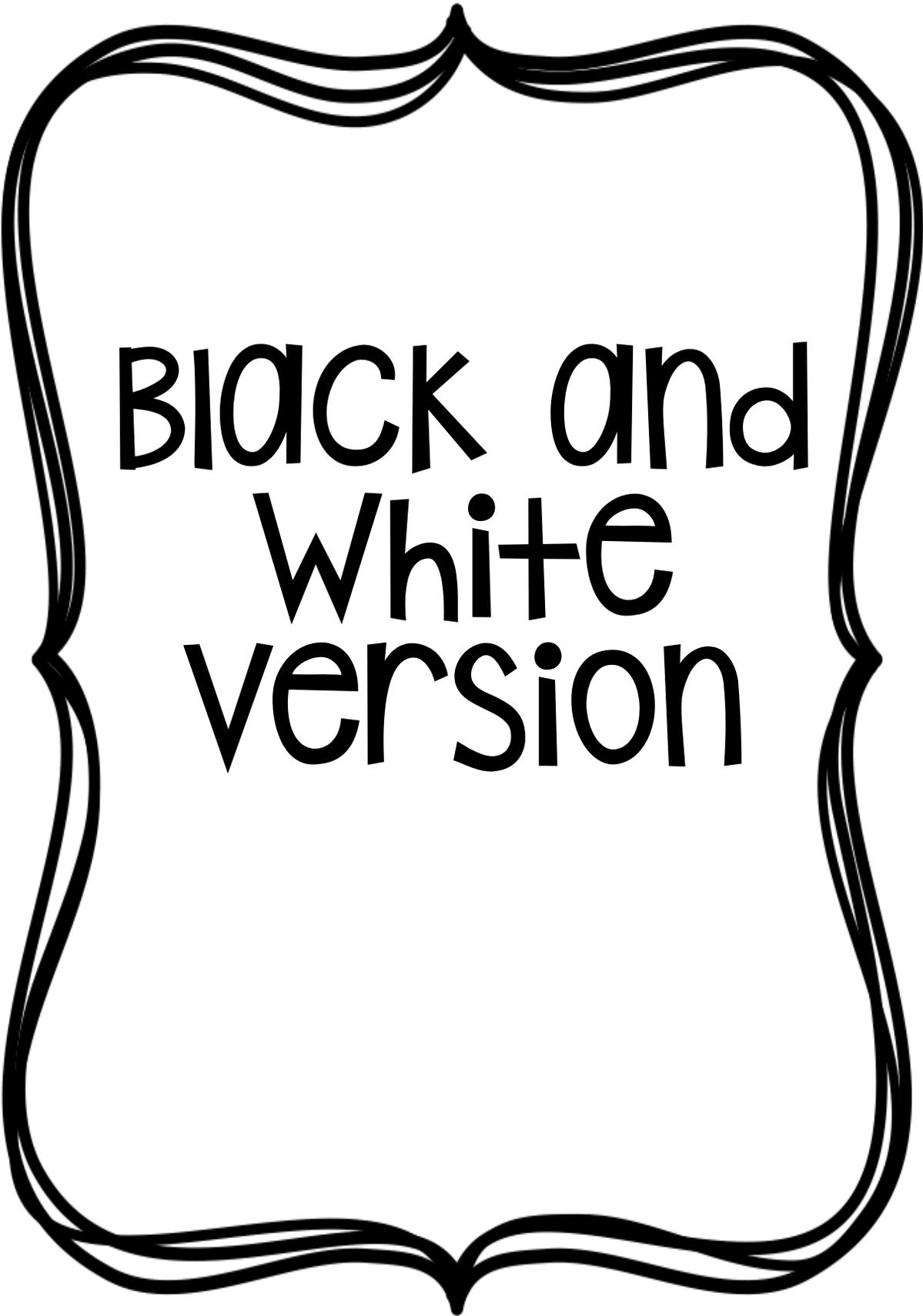
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