

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-reading Activity  
Teacher Guide**Title: Start With Similes**

1. Write an incomplete simile on the board that is related to the topic of the article. For example, *Alaska is like a \_\_\_\_\_*.
2. Ask students to complete the simile on the worksheet.
3. Have students read the article.
4. After reading, ask students to write new similes that better reflect what they've just read.

**Extension:** Ask students to write additional similes using other content in the article.

