

# Everyday Communication Practice

Transform boring sentences into vivid, memorable sentences using the figurative language techniques learned in class.

Your Task:

1. Read each boring sentence
2. Rewrite it using at least one figurative language device
3. Make it more interesting, memorable, and vivid
4. Think about real situations where you'd say this
5. Be ready to share your best transformations

Remember: you can use similes, metaphors, personification, hyperbole, or imagery. You can create 'films' with continuous tenses or 'pictures' with simple tenses. Be creative! Make these sentences come alive.

# Everyday Communication Practice Example

'I'm very cold today.' How could we transform this?"

## Options:

'I'm as cold as an ice cream cone.' (simile)

'I'm a snowflake in human clothes, floating from car to Costco.'

(metaphor + imagery)

'My feet are screaming for a warm pair of socks.' (personification)

'I could climb into a hot frying pan and still be cold.' (hyperbole)

Same basic meaning—cold—but vivid and memorable.

Someone hearing these sentences can feel how cold you are.

# "BORING SENTENCES" WORKSHEET:

Transform these everyday sentences using figurative language:

## Group #1

Boring: "I'm very tired today."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "My children are very energetic."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "I'm nervous about my mammogram."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "The traffic was really bad this morning."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "I'm very happy about my daughter's success."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

## Group #2

Boring: "My house is always messy."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "I have too much work to do."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "My friend always supports me."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "I love spending time with my family."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_

Boring: "Learning English is difficult but rewarding."

Your vivid version: \_\_\_\_\_