

## BASEBALL ALLITERATIONS

**Alliteration** is what happens when the words in a phrase or a sentence begin with the same letter and sound. Alliteration is used to make writing more interesting. It is also used to write tongue twisters.

Here is an example of an alliteration using the word **BASEBALL** and its beginning **B** sound:



Bad baseball players  
beat bicyclists with baseball bats.

Many times the alliterations and tongue twisters are funny. Try your hand at writing alliteration. Use a dictionary to help you find words.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Draw an illustration of one of the alliteration/tongue twisters above.

## BASEBALL SIMILES



Similes compare two things by using the words **like** or **as**. Think of things about the game of baseball. Write some similes about them.

Here are two examples about baseball:

*The sun's heat was **as** harsh **as** their coach's voice.*

*The baseball flew across the field **like** a comet.*

Now your turn:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Pick the one you like the best. Write it in the box below and illustrate it.

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## BASEBALL ACROSTIC POEM



Begin each line with a word that starts with the letter on that line.

**B** \_\_\_\_\_

**A** \_\_\_\_\_

**S** \_\_\_\_\_

**E** \_\_\_\_\_

**B** \_\_\_\_\_

**A** \_\_\_\_\_

**L** \_\_\_\_\_

**L** \_\_\_\_\_