

Analogy Examples for Grade 6

1. **Seed is to growth as education is to: *knowledge*.** Just as a seed needs soil, water, and sunlight to grow, education requires study, attention, and experience to gain knowledge.
2. **Library is to books as museum is to: *artifacts*.** A library houses books for learning, just as a museum houses artifacts for historical understanding.
3. **Chef is to kitchen as captain is to: *ship*.** A chef commands the kitchen, creating meals, just as a captain navigates a ship across the seas.
4. **Roots are to a tree as foundation is to: *building*.** Roots provide stability and nutrients to a tree, just as a foundation supports and holds up a building.
5. **Stars are to night sky as sand is to: *beach*.** Stars fill the night sky with specks of light, just as grains of sand cover the beach.
6. **Pencil is to writing as brush is to: *painting*.** A pencil is a tool for writing words, while a brush is a tool for creating art.
7. **Oxygen is to breathing as water is to: *drinking*.** Oxygen is essential for respiration, just as water is essential for hydration.
8. **Compass is to direction as clock is to: *time*.** A compass provides guidance on direction, just as a clock provides the current time.
9. **Novel is to chapters as play is to: *acts*.** A novel is divided into chapters, just as a play is divided into acts.
10. **Bee is to hive as ant is to: *colony*.** A bee lives and works in a hive, just as an ant operates within a colony.
11. **Telescope is to stars as microscope is to: *cells*.** A telescope helps us see distant stars, just as a microscope allows us to see tiny cells.

12. **Dictionary is to words as atlas is to: *maps*.** A dictionary contains definitions of words, just as an atlas contains maps of different places.
13. **Heart is to circulate as lungs are to: *breathe*.** The heart circulates blood, just as the lungs are used to breathe air.
14. **Key is to lock as code is to: *cipher*.** A key opens a lock, just as a code can decrypt a cipher.
15. **Leaf is to tree as petal is to: *flower*.** A leaf is part of a tree, just as a petal is part of a flower.
16. **Judge is to verdict as umpire is to: *decision*.** A judge gives a verdict in court, just as an umpire makes a decision in a game.
17. **Egg is to bird as pupa is to: *butterfly*.** A bird hatches from an egg, just as a butterfly emerges from a pupa.
18. **Solar is to sun as lunar is to: *moon*.** Solar energy comes from the sun, just as lunar phases are related to the moon.
19. **Pen is to poet as brush is to: *painter*.** A pen is a tool for a poet to write verses, just as a brush is a tool for a painter to create art.
20. **Battery is to flashlight as fuel is to: *car*.** A battery powers a flashlight, just as fuel powers a car.
21. **Sailor is to sea as astronaut is to: *space*.** A sailor navigates the sea, just as an astronaut explores space.
22. **Wax is to candle as ink is to: *pen*.** Wax is used to make candles, just as ink is used in pens to write.
23. **Anchor is to ship as roots are to: *tree*.** An anchor secures a ship, just as roots anchor a tree to the ground.
24. **Gloves are to hands as boots are to: *feet*.** Gloves cover hands for protection, just as boots cover feet.
25. **Chef is to restaurant as director is to: *movie*.** A chef is in charge of the kitchen in a restaurant, just as a director is in charge of making a movie.
26. **Novel is to fiction as biography is to: *life*.** A novel tells a fictional story, just as a biography tells the story of someone's life.

27. **Debate is to spoken words as correspondence is to: *written words*.**
A debate involves speaking, just as correspondence involves writing.
28. **Oven is to baking as stove is to: *cooking*.** An oven is used for baking, just as a stove is used for cooking.
29. **Brush is to canvas as chisel is to: *stone*.** A brush applies paint to canvas, just as a chisel carves shapes into stone.
30. **Magnet is to metal as gravity is to: *mass*.** A magnet attracts metal, just as gravity pulls on mass.
31. **Brush is to painter as instrument is to: *musician*.** A brush is a tool for a painter to create art, just as an instrument is a tool for a musician to create music.
32. **Author is to book as composer is to: *symphony*.** An author writes books, just as a composer creates symphonies.
33. **Leaf is to photosynthesis as engine is to: *combustion*.** A leaf performs photosynthesis to make food, just as an engine uses combustion to generate power.
34. **Bicycle is to cyclist as horse is to: *rider*.** A bicycle is ridden by a cyclist, just as a horse is ridden by a rider.
35. **Nest is to bird as den is to: *bear*.** A nest is a home for a bird, just as a den is a home for a bear.
36. **Pilot is to airplane as captain is to: *ship*.** A pilot flies an airplane, just as a captain steers a ship.
37. **Caterpillar is to butterfly as tadpole is to: *frog*.** A caterpillar transforms into a butterfly, just as a tadpole transforms into a frog.
38. **Pen is to poet as camera is to: *photographer*.** A pen is a tool for a poet to write poetry, just as a camera is a tool for a photographer to take pictures.
39. **Election is to democracy as coronation is to: *monarchy*.** An election is a process in a democracy, just as a coronation is a ceremony in a monarchy.
40. **Oven is to heat as freezer is to: *cold*.** An oven generates heat for cooking, just as a freezer maintains cold for preserving food.
41. **Dawn is to day as dusk is to: *evening*.** Dawn signifies the beginning of the day, just as dusk signifies the beginning of the evening.

42. **Lungs are to breathing as stomach is to: *digesting*.** Lungs are organs for breathing, just as the stomach is an organ for digesting food.
43. **Kitten is to cat as puppy is to: *dog*.** A kitten is a young cat, just as a puppy is a young dog.
44. **Detective is to clues as scientist is to: *data*.** A detective gathers clues to solve cases, just as a scientist collects data to prove hypotheses.
45. **Scales are to fish as feathers are to: *bird*.** Scales cover the body of a fish, just as feathers cover the body of a bird.
46. **Quiz is to questions as marathon is to: *miles*.** A quiz consists of questions, just as a marathon consists of miles.
47. **Diary is to thoughts as album is to: *photographs*.** A diary is a record of personal thoughts, just as an album is a collection of photographs.
48. **Typewriter is to letter as telephone is to: *conversation*.** A typewriter is used to write letters, just as a telephone is used for conversations.
49. **Leaf is to tree as petal is to: *flower*.** A leaf is part of a tree, just as a petal is part of a flower.
50. **Crown is to king as tiara is to: *princess*.** A crown is a headpiece for a king, just as a tiara is a headpiece for a princess.
51. **Flashlight is to beam as faucet is to: *stream*.** A flashlight emits a beam of light, just as a faucet releases a stream of water.
52. **Chef is to recipes as mechanic is to: *manuals*.** A chef uses recipes to cook, just as a mechanic uses manuals to repair vehicles.
53. **Sponge is to absorb as towel is to: *dry*.** A sponge absorbs liquids, just as a towel dries wet surfaces.
54. **Clock is to time as thermometer is to: *temperature*.** A clock measures time, just as a thermometer measures temperature.
55. **Bee is to pollinate as earthworm is to: *aerate*.** A bee pollinates flowers, just as an earthworm aerates soil.
56. **Kite is to wind as boat is to: *water*.** A kite flies with the help of wind, just as a boat moves with the help of water.

57. **Library is to quiet as concert is to: *music*.** A library is a place for quiet reading, just as a concert is a place for live music.
58. **Pen is to ink as printer is to: *toner*.** A pen uses ink to write, just as a printer uses toner to print.
59. **Moon is to tide as sun is to: *photosynthesis*.** The moon influences ocean tides, just as the sun enables photosynthesis in plants.
60. **Crayon is to coloring as calculator is to: *calculating*.** A crayon is a tool for coloring, just as a calculator is a tool for arithmetic.
61. **Gloves are to hands as socks are to: *feet*.** Gloves cover hands for warmth, just as socks cover feet.
62. **Anchor is to boat as brakes are to: *car*.** An anchor stops a boat from moving, just as brakes stop a car.
63. **Ball is to bounce as drum is to: *beat*.** A ball is made to bounce, just as a drum is made to be beaten for sound.
64. **Butterfly is to metamorphosis as human is to: *growth*.** A butterfly goes through metamorphosis, just as a human goes through growth.
65. **Compass is to navigation as recipe is to: *cooking*.** A compass aids in navigation, just as a recipe guides cooking.
66. **Flash is to camera as horn is to: *car*.** A flash is used in photography, just as a horn is used for signaling in a car.
67. **Leaf is to chlorophyll as human is to: *hemoglobin*.** A leaf contains chlorophyll for photosynthesis, just as human blood contains hemoglobin for carrying oxygen.
68. **Elevator is to vertical as escalator is to: *diagonal*.** An elevator moves vertically, just as an escalator moves diagonally.
69. **Candle is to wax as fireplace is to: *wood*.** A candle burns wax to produce light, just as a fireplace burns wood for heat.
70. **Ruler is to straight line as compass is to: *circle*.** A ruler is used to draw straight lines, just as a compass is used to draw circles.
71. **Dictionary is to definition as thesaurus is to: *synonym*.** A dictionary provides definitions of words, just as a thesaurus provides synonyms.

72. **Novelist is to chapters as journalist is to: *articles*.** A novelist writes in chapters, just as a journalist writes articles.
73. **Bicycle is to pedal as car is to: *accelerator*.** A bicycle moves when you pedal, just as a car moves when you press the accelerator.
74. **Teacher is to classroom as conductor is to: *orchestra*.** A teacher leads a classroom, just as a conductor leads an orchestra.
75. **Fish is to aquarium as plant is to: *terrarium*.** A fish lives in an aquarium, just as a plant can live in a terrarium.
76. **Curtain is to window as door is to: *entrance*.** A curtain covers a window, just as a door provides an entrance.
77. **Nail is to hammer as screw is to: *screwdriver*.** A nail is driven by a hammer, just as a screw is turned by a screwdriver.
78. **Star is to constellation as tree is to: *forest*.** A star is part of a constellation, just as a tree is part of a forest.
79. **Brush is to paint as pencil is to: *draw*.** A brush is used to paint, just as a pencil is used to draw.
80. **Password is to login as key is to: *unlock*.** A password allows you to log in, just as a key allows you to unlock something.
81. **Oar is to rowboat as pedal is to: *bicycle*.** An oar propels a rowboat, just as a pedal propels a bicycle.
82. **Bookmark is to reader as waypoint is to: *navigator*.** A bookmark marks a place in a book for the reader, just as a waypoint marks a place on a route for the navigator.
83. **Bulb is to light as seed is to: *plant*.** A bulb illuminates when powered, just as a seed grows into a plant when nurtured.
84. **Caterpillar is to cocoon as human is to: *home*.** A caterpillar retreats into a cocoon for transformation, just as humans live in homes for shelter and comfort.
85. **Chef is to menu as author is to: *table of contents*.** A chef creates a menu for meals, just as an author creates a table of contents for a book.
86. **Piano is to keys as computer is to: *keyboard*.** A piano has keys for playing music, just as a computer has a keyboard for typing.

87. **Leaf is to tree as page is to: *book*.** A leaf is part of a tree, just as a page is part of a book.
88. **Eyes are to seeing as ears are to: *hearing*.** Eyes are used for seeing, just as ears are used for hearing.
89. **Wheel is to motion as heart is to: *circulation*.** A wheel enables motion in vehicles, just as the heart enables blood circulation in the body.
90. **Artist is to studio as scientist is to: *laboratory*.** An artist works in a studio, just as a scientist conducts experiments in a laboratory.
91. **Sail is to wind as solar panel is to: *sunlight*.** A sail captures wind to propel a boat, just as a solar panel captures sunlight to generate electricity.
92. **Anchor is to stability as foundation is to: *building*.** An anchor provides stability to a ship, just as a foundation provides stability to a building.
93. **Compass is to direction as clock is to: *time*.** A compass indicates direction, just as a clock indicates time.
94. **Pencil is to sketch as chisel is to: *sculpt*.** A pencil is used to sketch images, just as a chisel is used to sculpt materials.
95. **Actor is to stage as athlete is to: *arena*.** An actor performs on a stage, just as an athlete competes in an arena.
96. **Novel is to fiction as textbook is to: *facts*.** A novel is a narrative of fictional stories, while a textbook is a compilation of factual information.
97. **Leaf is to photosynthesis as engine is to: *combustion*.** A leaf performs photosynthesis to create food, just as an engine performs combustion to generate power.
98. **Baker is to bread as jeweler is to: *jewelry*.** A baker crafts bread, just as a jeweler crafts jewelry.
99. **Rain is to nourish as sun is to: *warm*.** Rain nourishes plants with water, just as the sun warms them and aids their growth.
100. **Glasses are to vision as hearing aid is to: *hearing*.** Glasses improve vision for the eyes, just as a hearing aid improves hearing for the ears.
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