

Teacher Survey for Examining Similarities and Differences

1. I engage students in comparison activities.

Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree
Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

2. I ask students to create analogies.

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Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

3. I ask students to create similes and metaphors.

Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree
Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

4. I engage students in classification activities.

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Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

5. I ask students to explain how things are similar and different.

Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree
Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

6. After comparison or classification activities, I ask students to summarize what they have learned.

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Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

7. After comparison or classification activities, I ask students to explain what the activity has added to their understanding.

Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree
Nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

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