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Name: _____

Date: _____

What happens when your teeth aren't brushed?

Now you will write your own series of similes to answer a single question, just like Hughes does.

Your similes will answer the question, "What happens when your teeth aren't brushed?"

To write your similes, you'll use the word bank below. In it are nine verbs, or action words. For each of those verbs, you will write a simile by adding an adjective, a noun, and the word *like* or *as*. Your teacher will show you an example using the verb *charge*.

Type your similes as a question and put one question on each line.

Word Bank		
charge	howl	sour
clash	sting	wilt
weaken	decay	ooze