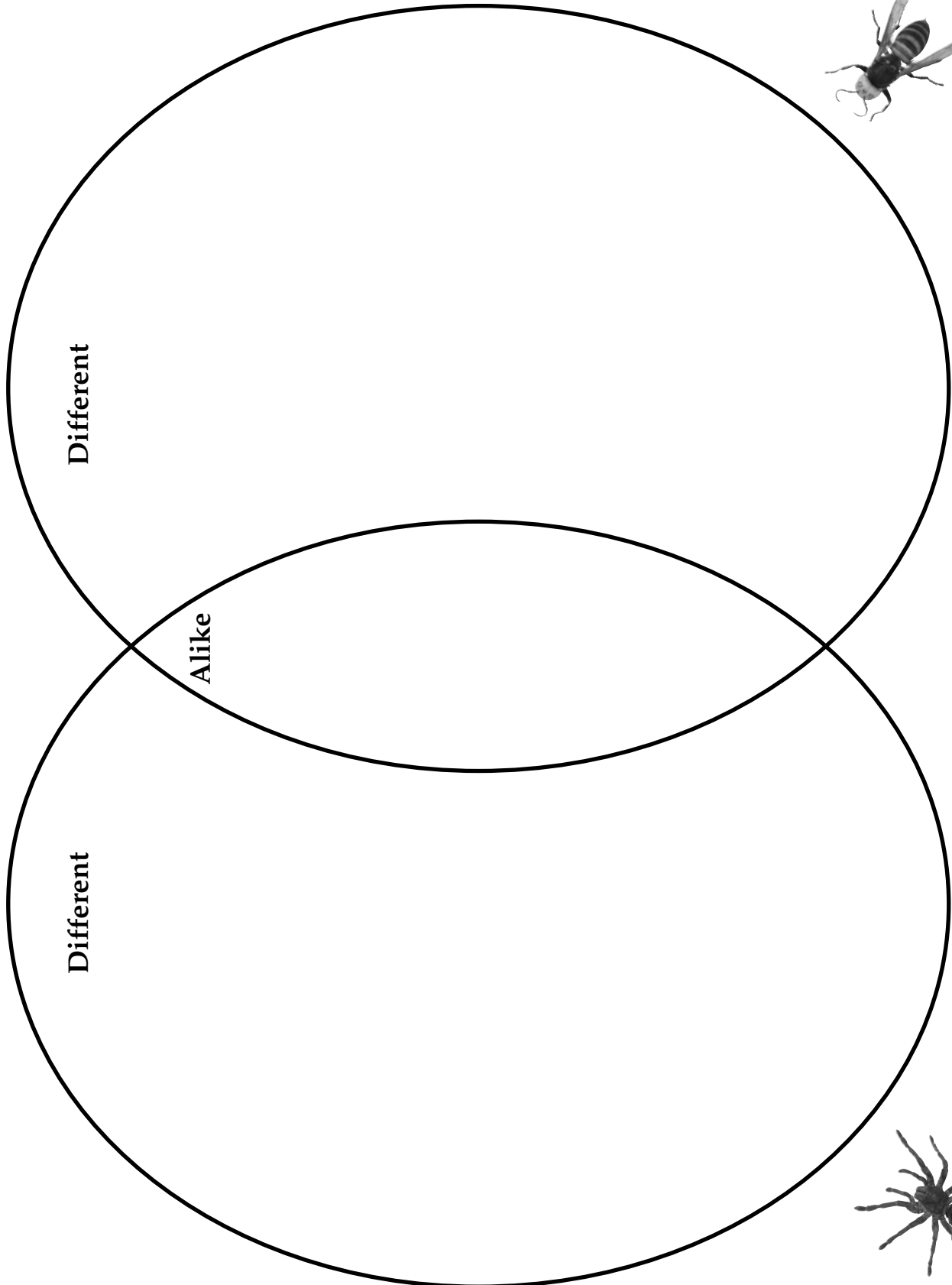


Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Write the two topics you are comparing. Write details that tell how the topics are different in the outer circles. Write details that tell how the topics are alike where the circles overlap.

Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

Topic: \_\_\_\_\_



BITES AND STINGS • LEVEL 5 • 1



SKILL: COMPARE AND CONTRAST

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** Read each sentence. Choose an adjective from the box that completes each sentence. Write the new word on the line in each sentence and circle the noun each adjective describes. Then write your own sentence using adjectives, circling the noun the adjectives describe.

stinging	smaller	snake	itchy
extreme	bark	little	muscle

1. Black widow spider bites cause a \_\_\_\_\_ pain at the site of the bite.

2. A child will get \_\_\_\_\_ cramping all his or her body from a black widow bite.

3. A sting from a \_\_\_\_\_ scorpion can be life threatening.



4. An allergic reaction causes an \_\_\_\_\_ drop in blood pressure.

5. \_\_\_\_\_ venom destroys the parts of the blood responsible for clotting.

6. A Gila monster's bite usually creates a \_\_\_\_\_ row or circle of teeth marks.

7. Many \_\_\_\_\_ mammals and cold-blooded animals can't carry rabies.



**My sentence:**

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