



Primary 3/4

Week 7

The Write Tribe

PERSONIFICATION

PART 1

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Giving human qualities to everyday objects

The diary, like a dear friend, guarded Sarah's secrets fiercely. No matter how hard I tried to pry the lock open, the diary like a stubborn mule, refused to budge.

Here are more examples

"Ahhhhh!" I screamed loud enough to wake the dead. I looked on the floor and found my attacker. That yellow lego brick again! It was as if it had a lifelong grudge against me, waiting for me in the dark to ambush me yet again!



What is the lego brick feeling?

Having only two minutes to complete my composition examination, it was a race against time. I proceed to write as fast as the wind but was promptly betrayed by my pen. It had to run out of ink right when I needed it! Why, pen? Why?



What is the pen feeling?

I put my hand in the cookie jar to retrieve the last cookie. No matter how I tried, it was as if the cookie was evading my hand, refusing to come to me, as if aware of its impending fate.

What is the cookie feeling?



Circle the personification

1.

The candle danced in the dark.

2.

The sunflowers nodded in the wind.

3.

The thunder grumbled and the raindrops reported to duty.

4.

The silence crept into the classroom

5.

The city never sleeps

6.

The diary guarded the secrets.

7.

The angry storm pounded at the windows.

8.

The washing machine beat the stains out of the clothes.

Match up!

The tree

haughtily looked down on everyone like it was the queen

The bee

played bumper cars in the skies, crashing onto one another merrily.

The moon

hummed a summer song

The mountain

stretched its arms

The dark clouds

held snow on its shoulders

Fill in the blanks

coughed	nagged
stubbornly	danced
whistled	embraced
hiding	incinerate

1. The sun, bearing a grudge against the citizens, was determined to _____ the townspeople to death with its heat!
2. I was searching high and low for my maths textbook. It was as if it was _____, playing a game of hide and seek with me.
3. The alarm clock, like a mother, _____ at me to wake up.
4. The car _____ and wheezed like an old man before starting up.
5. No matter how hard I scrubbed, the stain _____ clung onto the walls.
6. The trees _____ back and forth in the wind.
7. The warmth from the fireplace, _____ me like a mother in the dark scary night, comforting me.
8. The wind _____ throughout the day.



groaned	devoured	winked
warning	alighted	jumped
shielded	begging	nodded

9. The dried up grass was _____ for water.

10. The stars in the night sky _____ at me playfully.

11. The sunflowers _____ their yellow heads as people passed by.

12. The slices of bread _____ out of the toaster giving me a heart attack.

13. The flames _____ the papers hungrily.

14. The old lady fell and all her groceries rolled in unison and _____ from the bus.

15. The old door _____ as I opened it.

16. The windows of the haunted house looked like eerie eyes, _____ of the dangers that lie inside.

17. My umbrella _____ me against the cold harsh rain like a soldier.

