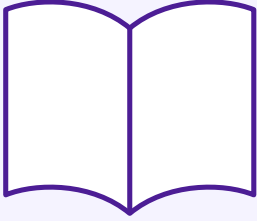


# Personification

6th Grade

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- Example: the wind whispered
- Example: the old house groaned
- Example: opportunity knocked
- How to spot it: A non-human thing doing something only a person could do.
- Effect: Makes the setting feel alive, and often menacing or comforting.

## LOOK FOR IT

A non-human thing doing something only a person could do.

Naming it earns half the mark. Explaining its effect on the reader earns the other half.