

Figurative Language: The Garden of Imagination

Learning objective: To identify and illustrate examples of figurative language including similes, metaphors, and personification.

Read the figurative descriptions below and use them to create a detailed drawing in the space provided. Label your drawing using the words from the word bank to show where you have applied these techniques.

Draw: Draw a vibrant garden scene featuring Max the monkey. You must include: A row of sunflowers drawn to look like soldiers, a pond reflecting the sky like a mirror, and a bee flying near a group of flowers. Use a clear, detailed style. Use arrows to point to your drawings and label them with the correct term from the word bank (e.g., label the sunflowers 'Metaphor').



Label words: Simile · Metaphor · Personification · Alliteration · Onomatopoeia

Steps:

1. Identify the metaphor in the passage and explain why it is a metaphor rather than a simile.
2. Find the example of personification. What human action is the wind performing?
3. Write your own simile to describe the way Max the monkey moves through the garden.
4. Which word in the passage is an example of onomatopoeia?
5. Look at the phrase 'Bright, beautiful blossoms bloom'. What figurative language device is being used

here?