

Identifying Personification _____

Underline the phrase in the sentence that shows personification.

Circle the verb in the phrase that shows the human quality.

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The brakes groaned as the school bus came to a slow stop.

The garbage disposal devoured the leftover hotdog.

The classroom door whined as each student entered the classroom

My bagel jumped from the toaster while the tea kettle sang.

The washing machine hummed as it circulated the clothes.

The leaf skipped across the road as it was blown by the wind.

The lawnmower roared as it cut the grass.

When my mom finished icing the cupcakes, they were calling my name!

The vending machine ate my money!

My laptop threw a fit and I couldn't do my homework.

The dishwasher refused to work, so I had to wash the dishes by hand.

When identifying examples of personification, I feel:

_____ confident _____ unsure _____ I need more help!

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