

# Personification

## Figurative Language

Personification gives human characteristics to things that are not human.



**Read each sentence. Explain the personification (what is the author saying?)**

For example:

**Personification:** The sailors were wary of the angry sky.

**Meaning:** This shows the sky was dangerous and there might be a storm.

1) The thirsty trees pleaded with the clouds for rain.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

2) The stubborn boulder refused to move.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

3) The smell of the freshly baked pie beckoned me.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

4) The shy moon hid behind the clouds.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

5) The artist's paintbrush danced over the canvas.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

6) The sun chased away the darkness.

**Meaning:** \_\_\_\_\_