

Onomatopoeia

A word that sounds like what it is describing is known as onomatopoeia.

Task One

Write down this list of words in your book.

If you think the word is an example of onomatopoeia put a capital O next to it, if not put a capital X next to it.

Bang	Hoover	write	plop
Scream	splash	scrape	clang
Slap	spell	shout	splash
Whoosh	fall	trickle	smack
Mix	drip	weep	swoop

Task Two

Copy this poem in your books and under line words, which are examples of onomatopoeia.

When Carly Eats Spaghetti

When Carly eats spaghetti,
She chomps and gobbles and slurps,
The spaghetti disappears with a whoosh
Sauce slapping and smacking
Round her chops.
She scrapes the toast round the plate
Crunching, grinding every mouthful.
She burps, gurgles and leaves the table!

Task Three

Look at this list of places. Can you think of things inside the places and make up a word to describe a sound that it might make.

For example:

Place – Kitchen Kettle – Fassshhh.

**Places: Kitchen Bathroom Living/Dining Room
Bedroom Classroom any other places you can think of.**