Grade 5 English

Onomatopoeia

Onomatopoeia is when a word's pronunciation is formed/imitates its sound.

Examples: Chirp: The birds chirp was like music to the ears.

Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the word box which are onomatopoeia in nature.

roar, murmuring, knocking, honking, sprayed, meowing, gulped, screeched

- 1. There is someone _____ on the door.
- 2. Alice's cat was _____ this morning.
- 3. Gloria ______ down the fruit juice in a jiffy.
- 4. Stella kept _____ the whole day.
- 5. The driver was silly and kept ______ while driving.
- 6. We could the lion's _____ at the gate of the zoo.
- 7. The driver applied the brake so suddenly that his car tyres _____
- 8. Jim playfully _____ water on Anne.

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