

Onomatopoeia

Answer Key

Underline the onomatopoeic word in each sentence, and write down who or what made the noise.

- 1) We heard birds chattering in the trees.

Who or what made the noise? birds

- 2) Cal dipped the tortilla chip in salsa and bit into it with a satisfying crunch.

Who or what made the noise? the tortilla chip

- 3) Stuck in traffic, Meg could hardly stand the vehicles honking incessantly.

Who or what made the noise? the vehicles

- 4) Little Mary is six months old, so she has just started to babble a bit.

Who or what made the noise? Little Mary

- 5) Jeremy turned around and shushed his friends as the lecture began.

Who or what made the noise? Jeremy

- 6) The ding-dong of the doorbell was loud enough to rouse the sleeping baby.

Who or what made the noise? the doorbell

- 7) The bacon and eggs sizzled in the pan.

Who or what made the noise? the bacon and eggs

- 8) We heard a telltale crack, and then the old couch gave out under our weight.

Who or what made the noise? the old couch