

Personification

Answer Key

Explain the personification in each sentence. (Answers may vary.)

Example: The TV has had a busy day.

The TV has been used a lot today.

- 1) The snow was holding on to the tree branch for dear life.

The snow could fall off the laden tree branch any minute.

- 2) The animals were at loggerheads with the farmer over food.

The animals didn't eat the food that was given to them.

- 3) The withering plant gulped down the water and sprang to life.

The water was quickly absorbed by the withering plant.

- 4) The city welcomed job seekers with open arms.

There were a lot of opportunities in the city for people looking to be employed.

- 5) My car became bruised and battered by the end of the trip.

A lot of wear and tear had been inflicted on my car by the end of the trip.

- 6) The busy street made room for more shops.

Space was created in the busy street so more shops could be put up.