

Year 8 Homework

Objectives:

To identify examples of personification in a text.
To employ this device in students' own writing.

Look at the short extract below. Copy it out and identify any examples of personification you can find by underlining them.
Now continue this extract, using your own examples of personification and underlining them. You might like to think about continuing to personify the sky, or the weather, the landscape, buildings.

The description must be a side of A4.

EXTRACT

With heavy hearts and wearied by the pressures placed on their shoulders by day, the clouds slowly darkened into tender bruises; their purple skin blistering across the sky...