Collective nouns

A _____ of alligators.

A _____ of apes.

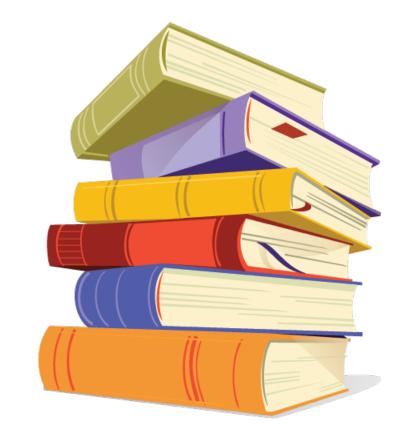
Year 6

English
Lesson 7

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A **murder** of crows.

A parliament of owls.





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Task one:

Remember to let me know the name of the poem and the poet you are going to memorise, if you haven't done so already.

Spend at least 15 minutes each day reading through the poem and trying to memorise it.

Task two: Similes and Metaphors

Remember:

- A simile is when we use the words like or as to make a comparison between two things.
- A metaphor makes a comparison by saying one thing is another thing.

Examples:

I was as quiet as a mouse; I was like a ninja!

He is a star!

Task two: Similes and Metaphors

Fill in the blanks:

Simile:

The birds flew across the sky like _____.

Metaphor:

The fish in the lake is _____.



Task:

Now write similes and metaphors for each of your noun phrases from yesterday (examples are on the next slide).

Task two: ideas for a poem

Remember the pictures and phrases from yesterday?













Luscious eyelashes fluttering in the breeze like reeds of grass.

A row of young trees stand to attention, like the guards at Buckingham Palace.

Cherry blossom are exploding fireworks in the blue sky.

Task three: Alliteration

Remember:

 Alliteration is when you use the same letter or sound in words that are together or closely connected.

Examples:

Luscious lashes fluttering in the breeze like reeds or trees.

The red-bricked building boldly stands staring at stragglers in the street.

Task three: Alliteration



Now write sentences using alliteration for your similes and metaphors.

Daily tasks

- Complete a Comprehension task on readtheory.org
- Read your book for half an hour
- Go over your spellings for ten minutes