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# Onomatopoeia Writing Challenge: The Ninja

Write a 10-sentence story about a ninja on a secret mission. Each sentence should include a different onomatopoeia — a sound word that lets your reader hear the story as it unfolds.

**Sentence 1:** Start your story with a **sudden**, **attention-grabbing sound**.

Example: Crack! A roof tile shattered beneath his landing foot.

Sentence 2: Use an eerie or quiet sound to build suspense.

Example: Creak... the door opened an inch as he slipped inside.

Sentence 3: Add an animal sound to connect with the environment.

Example: Hissss — a snake slithered away from the path ahead.

Sentence 4: Use a sound to show stealth or movement.

Example: Swish — his blade slid silently from its sheath.

Sentence 5: Include a mechanical or metallic sound.

Example: Click — he disabled the lock with a tiny tool.

**Sentence 6:** Use a sound that suggests **danger or surprise**.

Example: Bang! A hidden trap launched a dart past his head.

**Sentence 7:** Use a **repeated sound** for tension or rhythm.

Example: Tap. Tap. His footsteps echoed across the stone floor.

**Sentence 8:** Include a **sound from nature**.

Example: Whooosh — the wind gusted, scattering leaves across the ground.

Sentence 9: Use an onomatopoeia to describe a fight or action moment.

Example: Thwack! His fist struck the guard's armor with precision.

Sentence 10: End with a powerful sound or mysterious noise to leave readers wondering.

Example: Boom... something deep below the temple had awakened.











## **Examples of Onomatopoeia**

### Loud/Sudden Sounds



- Boom
- Bang
- Crack
- Slam
- Snap
- Pop



- Thud
- Clang
- Blam
- Wham

### **Quiet/Eerie Sounds**



- Tap Flutter
- Whoosh
- Murmur

### **Nature/Animal Sounds**



- Hoot
- Chirp
- Croak
- Roar
- Howl
- Crackle
- Meow
- Bark

### Mechanical/Metallic

### Sounds









Zing

Buzz

Whirr

Ding

Beep



### **Water Sounds**



- Drip
- Splash
- Plop
- Gurgle
- Swish
- Slosh
- Blub
- Glug

## Magical/Mysterious

#### Sounds







Poof

Zap

 Sizzle Crackle







