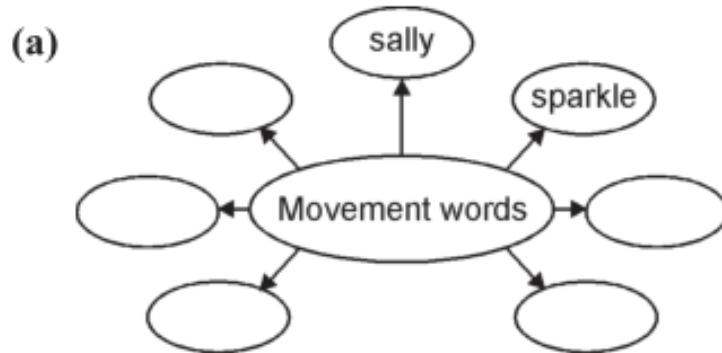




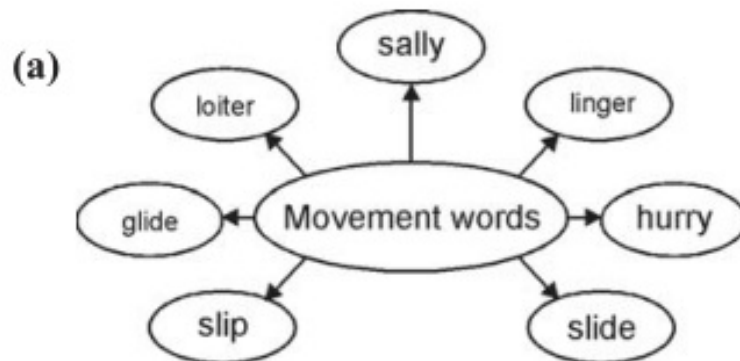
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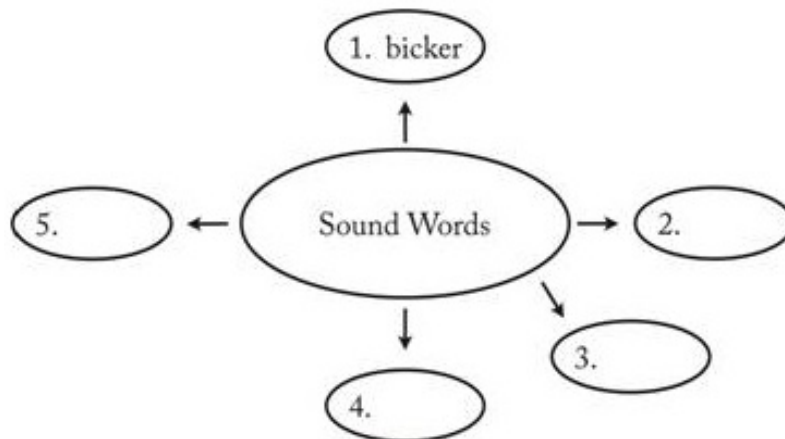
4. After reading the poem answer the following questions.



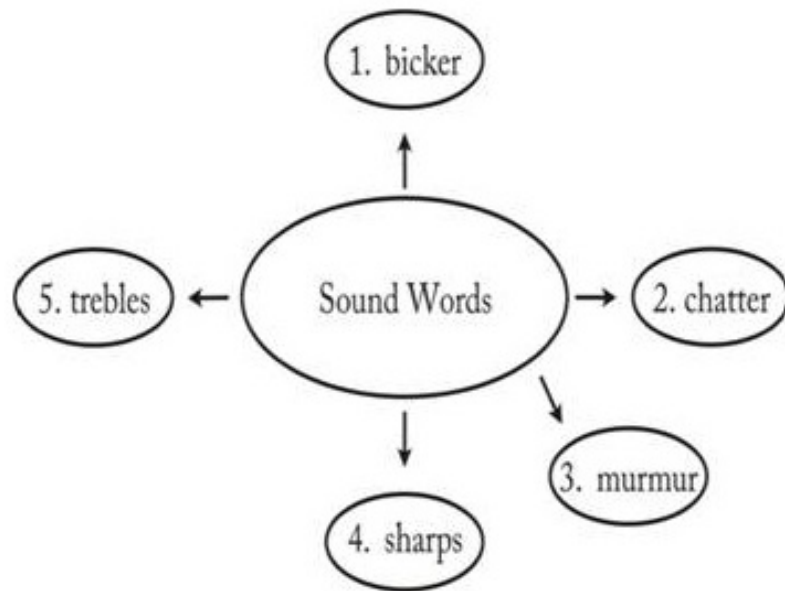
Answer:



(b)



Answer:



(c) A word or a combination of words, whose sounds seems to resemble the sound it denotes (for example: “hiss”, “buzz”, etc.) is called onomatopoeia. From the words that you have filled in the blurbs above, point out these words.

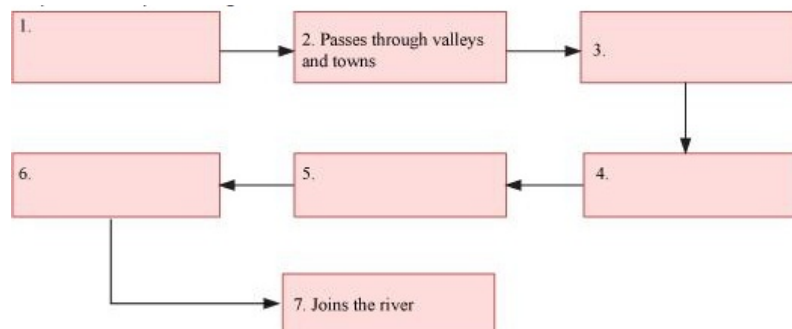
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5. The following is a flow chart showing the course of the brook. Can you fill in the blank spaces with help from the phrases given below?

Answer:



6. On the basis of your understanding of the poem, answer the following questions by ticking the correct choice.

(a) The message of the poem is that the life of a brook is

_____.

- (i) temporary
- (ii) short-lived
- (iii) eternal
- (v) momentary

Answer:

(iii) eternal

(b) The poet draws a parallelism between the journey of the brook with _____.

- (i) the life of a man
- (ii) the death of man
- (iii) the difficulties in a man's life
- (iv) the endless talking of human beings

Answer:

(i) the life of a man

(c) The poem is narrated in the first person by the brook. This figure of speech is _____.

- (i) Personification
- (ii) Metaphor
- (iii) Simile
- (iv) Transferred epithet

Answer:

- (i) Personification

(d) In the poem, below mentioned lines:

"And here and there a lusty trout ,

And here and there a grayling"

suggest that _____.

- (i) the brook is a source of life
- (ii) people enjoy the brook
- (iii) fishes survive because of water
- (iv) the brook witnesses all kinds of scenes

Answer:

- (i) the brook is a source of life

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