

Analyze Figurative Language: Explore and Explain



Use the matching sheet ID when checking answers.

Explore the material. Talk through your reasoning with suitable support.

1. Copy one metaphor from the passage.

Answer: The hallway was a river of voices.

2. What does river of voices suggest?

Look for:

- Connects the comparison to sound and movement.

One possible response: Many flowing, overlapping voices fill the hallway.

Open responses use criteria and an illustrative response. Other well-supported responses can be acceptable.