

Sensory Details

Sensory details describe the way something looks, sounds, feels, tastes, or smells.

Directions Read each description. Decide whether it appeals mainly to the sense of *sight*, *sound*, *touch*, *taste*, or *smell*.

1. The air is perfumed with the sweetness of roses in bloom and recently mown grass.

smell

2. I am awakened by the soft chirps of robins, the nasal honks of geese, and the rowdy cries of crows.

sound

3. The moon is like a big golden pumpkin in the autumn sky.

sight

4. The chill stings my nose and hands and creeps under my coat.

touch

5. I love salty pretzels dipped in mustard sauce.

taste

Directions Write a sentence that appeals to one of the five senses.

Possible answer: The sky looks as dark and stormy as an angry lion.
