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There's water dripping from the faucet in the kitchen.

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Rhea was so upset that she was mumbling to herself.

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The rain has been pitter-pattering on the roof for two hours.

4) The snake moved slowly across the lawn.

The snake slithered slowly across the lawn.

5) The branch of the tree broke.

The branch of the tree broke with a thud.

6) The train came to a stop.

The train hissed and screeched to a stop.

7) The fireworks exploded in the sky.

The fireworks boomed in the sky.

8) Terry opened the door of the haunted house.

Terry opened the door of the haunted house with a creak.