

## Mystery at Maple Street

**Instructions:** Read the paragraph below. Underline each verb you find.

Write "A" (Action) or "L" (Linking) above each underlined verb to show whether it's an Action Verb or a Linking Verb.

### Witness Statement

Last night, I was in the kitchen when I heard a loud crash. The windows looked fine, but something felt strange. I grabbed a flashlight and ran outside. The yard was quiet. My neighbor's dog barked from across the fence. The sky seemed darker than usual, and the wind whistled through the trees. Everything appeared still, but I was nervous. Suddenly, I saw a raccoon near the trash cans. It looked proud of its mess and scampered away quickly.

