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## Stormy Word Hunt

**Directions:** Read the passage carefully. Each bolded word may be tricky. For each one, identify the **explicit clues** in the passage that help you. Then, write what you think the word means (implied meaning).

### The Stormy Night

Lightning flashed across the sky, followed by a deafening *crash of thunder*. The wind grew **fierce**, rattling the windows and bending the trees outside. Maria wrapped herself in a blanket, trembling at the **ominous** sounds echoing through the night. Her brother tried to reassure her, saying the storm was only **temporary**, and it would soon pass.

### Word Clues Hunt Chart

Word	Explicit Clues in Text	Implied Meaning
crash of thunder		
fierce		
ominous		
temporary		