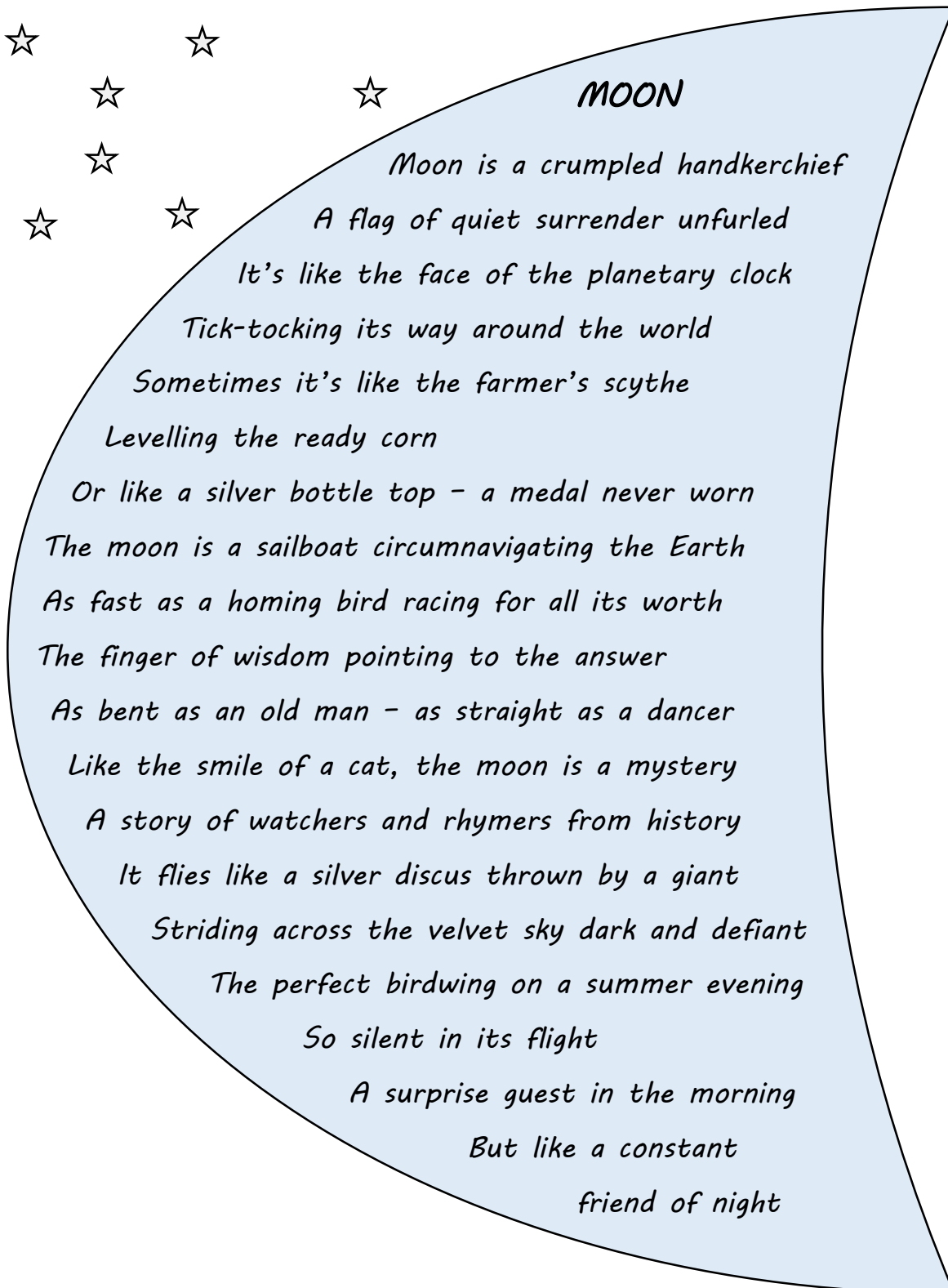


LOOK AT THE MOON

Here is a poem about the moon comparing it to different things, using a mixture of metaphors and similes. After you've read it, decide whether the things it's compared to are metaphors or similes. Then tick the correct boxes.



Now decide whether the words and phrases in the table are part of a metaphor or a simile and put a **tick** in the correct box. Do you remember the difference between a simile and metaphor?

word or phrase	metaphor	simile
crumpled handkerchief		
flag of quiet surrender		
face of the planetary clock		
farmer's scythe		
silver bottle top		
medal		
sailboat		
homing bird		
finger of wisdom		
old man		
dancer		
smile of a cat		
mystery		
story of watchers and rhymers		
silver discus		
perfect birdwing		
surprise guest		
constant companion		