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Is It *Figurative Language*?

Directions: Read the sentences below. Write “M” next to the sentences with metaphors. Write “N” next to the sentences without metaphors.

1. We made mom breakfast for her birthday, but now the dirty kitchen is the aftermath of a storm with chaos is strewn in every corner. ___
2. Charles grabbed his heavy backpack and dragged it slowly toward the door. ___
3. The photograph of my grandparents’ wedding has been sitting on Grandma’s mantel for forty years. ___
4. The newly- opened restaurant is a beacon drawing food lovers from all over the state. ___
5. Willow and I decided to study together at the local cafe that serves freshly baked goods. ___
6. The hot sidewalk is a griddle that sizzles under the afternoon sun. ___
7. My dad’s fishing rod is a silent sentinel, patiently watching for the gentle tug of life below the lake’s surface. ___
8. My little brother zoomed down the large slide on the neighbor’s playground. ___

