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It's Raning Cats and Dogs Today

Read this poem and fill in the blanks with the words from the list on the right

It's raining cats and dogs today.	
I couldn't tell you why.	
When I went outside this morning,	
they were falling from the	_•

A Schnauzer hit my trousers
and a tabby whacked my
There's a puddle full of Poodles
near some Persians in the dirt.

I almost got knocked over by a Dachshund and Dalmatian, and I had to dive to dodge a Himalayan and _____.

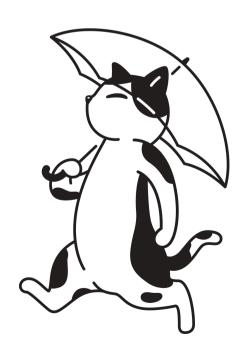
A Boxer's on my noggin.
An Angora's on my ______.
There's a Burmese in a tree
beside a frightened Irish Setter.

If it continues raining cats and dogs for too much longer, I may need a new umbrella, one that's much, much, much, much

— Kenn Nesbitt

Word List

sweater shirt stronger sky Alsatian



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Match each word from the poem to its correct definition.

A type of dog known for its distinctive beard and eyebrows:	Word List
Another word for pants	Alsatian Poodle
A type of housecat with a striped coat pattern:	trousers Shnauzer umbrella
A breed of dog with a spotted coat:	tabby noggin Dalmatian
Another name for a German Shepherd:	
A slang term for the head:	
A breed of dog known for its curly hair:	
Something that protects you from the rain:	