

Max's Magical Christmas Maths

Help Max the Monkey solve the winter puzzles to keep the festive season running smoothly!

■ If a box of festive crackers costs £4.50 and you buy three boxes, your total calculation is $£4.50 \times 3 = £13.50$.

■ To find the perimeter of a rectangular gift box, add the length and width together, then multiply by two.

■ If a gingerbread batch takes 25 minutes to bake and you put them in at 14:15, they will be ready at 14:40.

■ When working with money, always line up your decimal points so the pounds and pence are in the correct columns.

■ If you have 48 baubles to share equally between 6 small trees, use division to find that each tree gets 8 baubles.

Did you know? Did you know? If you had a string of fairy lights 10 metres long, that is the same length as a tall giraffe! Always remember to estimate your measurements before you start decorating.

Key vocabulary: Calculation · Estimate · Perimeter · Budget · Digital time · Multiplication