

Max the Monkey's Grammar Adventure

Learning objective: To identify and use capital letters and full stops to demarcate sentences.

Read the story about Max the Monkey. Look closely at the sentences. Use a coloured pencil to circle the capital letters and underline the full stops. Then, answer the questions below.

Max is a happy monkey. He lives in a big green jungle. Today, Max found a yellow banana. He sat on a branch to eat it. The banana was very sweet. Max felt happy.

Word bank: Max · banana · jungle · swing · hungry

1. How many sentences are in the story about Max? (1 mark)

2. Why does every sentence start with a capital letter? (2 marks)

3. Write a new sentence about Max using a capital letter and a full stop. (2 marks)

4. Find the word 'banana' in the passage. What letter does it start with? (1 mark)

5. If Max bought a banana for 20p and an apple for 30p, how much did he spend in total? Show your working. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Max the Monkey eating his banana in the jungle. Make sure you draw a tree and some leaves!



Extension challenge: Write two more sentences about what Max might do next. Remember to use a capital letter at the start of each sentence and a full stop at the end.