

Max's Maths Shop: A Descriptive Writing Frame

Learning objective: To use expanded noun phrases and coordinating conjunctions to describe a setting.

Max the monkey has opened a shop full of interesting objects! Use the prompts below to describe what is inside his shop. Remember to use adjectives to make your writing exciting and use 'and', 'but', or 'so' to join your ideas.

Max the monkey skipped through the wooden door and gasped at the wonderful things inside his brand new shop.

Word bank: sparkly · enormous · shiny · and · but · so · because · underneath · beside · brightly coloured

1. The Display Table: Describe one object you can see on the table. Start your sentence with: On the wooden table, there is a... (2 marks)

2. The Busy Shopkeeper: What is Max doing? Start your sentence with: Max felt very happy because... (2 marks)

3. The Price Tags: Describe a price tag on an item. Start your sentence with: A small label said the item cost £2... (2 marks)

4. The Best Part: What is your favourite thing in the shop? Start your sentence with: My favourite item is the... (2 marks)

5. The Finishing Touch: Where is the shop located? Start your sentence with: The shop is hidden... (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Can you add a sentence using an exclamation mark to show how excited Max is about his shop?