

Adjective Adventures with Pip the Caterpillar

Learning objective: To identify, choose, and use adjectives to describe nouns in sentences.

Read each question carefully. Use your best handwriting and remember your capital letters and full stops.

Pip the caterpillar is hungry. He crawls across a leaf. He finds a piece of fruit. He feels very cheerful.

Word bank: shiny · soft · bumpy · enormous · tiny · bright · green · happy

1. An adjective describes a noun. Circle the two adjectives in this sentence: 'The tiny caterpillar eats a green leaf.' (2 marks)

2. Look at the word bank. Choose one adjective to describe the sun and write it in a full sentence. (3 marks)

3. Max the monkey has a toy. Write two adjectives to describe the monkey's toy. (2 marks)

4. Rewrite this sentence adding an adjective to describe the noun: 'The elephant walked to the shop.' (3 marks)

5. Max the monkey goes to the shop to buy a banana. It costs £1. Write a sentence describing the banana using at least two adjectives. (5 marks)

6. Why do we use adjectives when we write stories? Explain your answer. (5 marks)

7. Change the adjective in this sentence to make it mean the opposite: 'The rock felt very soft.' (5 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Pip the caterpillar sitting on an apple. Label your drawing using at least three different adjectives.



Extension challenge: Total: /25