

Max's Spooky Shapes and Spells

Learning objective: To recognise and draw 2D shapes and count groups of objects up to 10 within a themed context.

Max the monkey is getting ready for a fun autumn party! Help him decorate his pumpkin patch by following the drawing steps below. Use your pencils to add the items and solve the maths puzzles.

Draw: Draw a large, friendly garden scene at twilight. Include a grassy patch at the bottom for the pumpkins. In the sky, draw a large circle for the moon. Use simple shapes to draw Max the monkey standing next to the pumpkins, wearing a small party hat. Ensure the style is bright, cheerful, and clear for young children to replicate shapes.



Label words: pumpkin · triangle · circle · square · star

Steps:

1. Max has 3 pumpkins. He finds 2 more in the garden. How many pumpkins does Max have altogether? Draw them in the garden.
2. Draw a square box for Max to keep his spooky toys in. How many corners does your square have?
3. Draw 4 little star shapes in the night sky above the pumpkins.
4. If one pumpkin costs £1, how much would 2 pumpkins cost?
5. Can you draw a triangle shape on the front of one pumpkin to make it look like a nose?