

Zara the Zebra's Adjective Art Gallery

Learning objective: To identify and use adjectives to describe nouns, and to understand how adjectives make our writing more interesting.

Zara the Zebra is painting pictures in her art studio, but she has run out of describing words! Read the sentences below and choose the perfect adjective from the word bank to fill in the gaps. Make sure the adjective makes sense with the noun.

Word bank: sparkly · fluffy · gigantic · crunchy · bright · soft

1. 1. Pip the caterpillar crawled across a _____ leaf to find his lunch. (1 mark)

2. 2. Nova the owl looked up at the _____ stars in the night sky. (1 mark)

3. 3. Max the monkey climbed a _____ tree to reach the top branches. (1 mark)

4. 4. Ellie the elephant felt the _____ blanket with her trunk. (1 mark)

5. 5. Finn the dolphin found a _____ shell on the sandy floor of the sea. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of your favourite animal. Underneath your drawing, write two _____ adjectives to describe it (for example: 'a tiny, grey mouse').



Extension challenge: Can you think of one more adjective for each of the animals in the questions? For example, if the apple is 'crunchy', what else could it be? Write your new sentences in your book.