

Bonfire Night Fun with Max and Zara

Learning objective: To develop descriptive language and recall skills by discussing the sights, sounds, and safety rules of Bonfire Night.

Read the questions carefully and talk about your ideas with your teacher or grown-up. Use your best phonics to help you write your answers.

Max the monkey and Zara the zebra are getting ready for a special night. They are going to watch the bright lights in the sky and feel the warmth of the fire. They remember to stand back and stay safe.

Word bank: sparkle · loud · bang · firework · colour · bright · safe · bonfire

1. Max sees a firework in the sky. Can you write two words to describe what the firework looks like? (2 marks)

2. What is the sound a firework makes? Draw a line to the word that describes the sound: Pop, Bang, Hiss. (1 mark)

3. Zara is wearing a woolly hat to keep warm. What other clothes do you wear when you go outside on a cold November night? (2 marks)

4. Why must we stand far away from the bonfire? (2 marks)

5. If a pack of sparklers costs £2, how many £1 coins do you need to pay for them? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of a bright, colourful firework display in the night sky. Don't forget to draw Max and Zara watching safely from a distance!



Extension challenge: Imagine you are writing a poem about Bonfire Night with Leo the lion. Can you think of a word that rhymes with 'bright' or 'night'?