

Describing Max the Monkey

Learning objective: To use adjectives and expanded noun phrases to describe a character.

Max the Monkey is getting ready for a maths adventure! Look at the list of adjectives below. Choose the best words to fill in the gaps to describe Max. Use the sentence starters to help you finish the descriptions.

Word bank: cheerful · clever · brown · bouncy · bright · soft · long · happy

1. Max has _____ fur that feels very _____ to touch. (2 marks)

2. He has a _____ tail that he uses to swing from trees. (1 mark)

3. Max is a _____ monkey who is always ready to solve a puzzle. (1 mark)

4. Max feels _____ when he finds the right answer to his maths problem. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Max the Monkey solving a maths puzzle. Make sure to draw his long tail and his friendly face!



Extension challenge: Can you think of one more sentence to describe Max? Try to use a word that describes his personality, like 'kind' or 'excited'.