

Fronted Adverbials Assessment: Max's Maths Adventure

Learning objective: To identify, use, and punctuate fronted adverbials correctly in sentences.

Read each question carefully. Remember to start your fronted adverbial with a capital letter and follow it with a comma. Use the word bank if you need help.

Max the monkey loves to solve tricky maths puzzles. He jumps around the jungle. He finds hidden numbers in the trees. He writes them down in his notebook.

Word bank: Quickly · Suddenly · Every morning · Without a sound · Later that day

1. 1. Circle the fronted adverbial in this sentence: 'Without a sound, the monkey climbed the tree.' (1 mark)

2. 2. Add a comma to this sentence in the correct place: 'Quickly Max solved the tricky sum.' (2 marks)

3. 3. Choose a fronted adverbial from the word bank to complete this sentence: '_____ Max found a hidden number in the tree.' (2 marks)

4. 4. Rewrite this sentence starting with a fronted adverbial: 'Max counts his coins loudly.' (Hint: Use 'Loudly') (3 marks)

5. 5. Look at the passage about Max. Write two sentences about what Max does, using a different fronted adverbial at the start of each sentence. (5 marks)

6. 6. Why do we put a comma after a fronted adverbial? Explain in your own words. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Max the monkey solving a maths puzzle under a tree. Label your picture using a sentence that starts with a fronted adverbial.



Extension challenge: Write a short story of 3 sentences about Max going to the shop to buy bananas for £2.50. Each sentence must start with a different fronted adverbial. Total: /25