

Max's Easter Market Challenge

Learning objective: To solve multi-step word problems involving money and decimals in the context of an Easter market.

Max the monkey is helping set up the village Easter market. He has a list of items to buy and sell. Use your maths skills to help Max calculate the totals, work out the change, and manage the market budget. Show all your working out for each question.

Word bank: decimal point · total · change · calculate · budget · pence · pounds

1. Max buys 3 decorative Easter baskets at £2.45 each. How much does he spend in total? (2 marks)

2. Max has a £10.00 note. He spends £6.35 on ribbons. How much change should he receive? (2 marks)

3. A pack of 6 chocolate eggs costs £4.50. What is the cost of a single egg? (2 marks)

4. Ellie the elephant buys 2 bunches of spring flowers for £3.75 each and a card for £1.99. What is the total cost of her items? (2 marks)

5. Max sells 5 bags of sweets for £1.20 each. If he started with £0.00 in his till, how much money does he have after these sales? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a small market stall run by Max the monkey, featuring baskets of colourful eggs and a price list written on a chalkboard.



Extension challenge: If Max wants to earn exactly £20.00, and he has already sold 5 bags of sweets at £1.20 each, how many more bags must he sell to reach his goal?