

Max the Monkey's Rounding Fun

Learning objective: To round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, and 1000.

Max the monkey is counting his bananas. Follow the rounding rule: Look at the digit to the right. If it is 5 or more, round up. If it is 4 or less, round down. Use the number lines to help you.

Word bank: Round · Nearest · Ten · Hundred · Digit · Increase · Stay

1. Max has 23 bananas. Round 23 to the nearest 10. (Hint: 23 is between 20 and 30.) (2 marks)

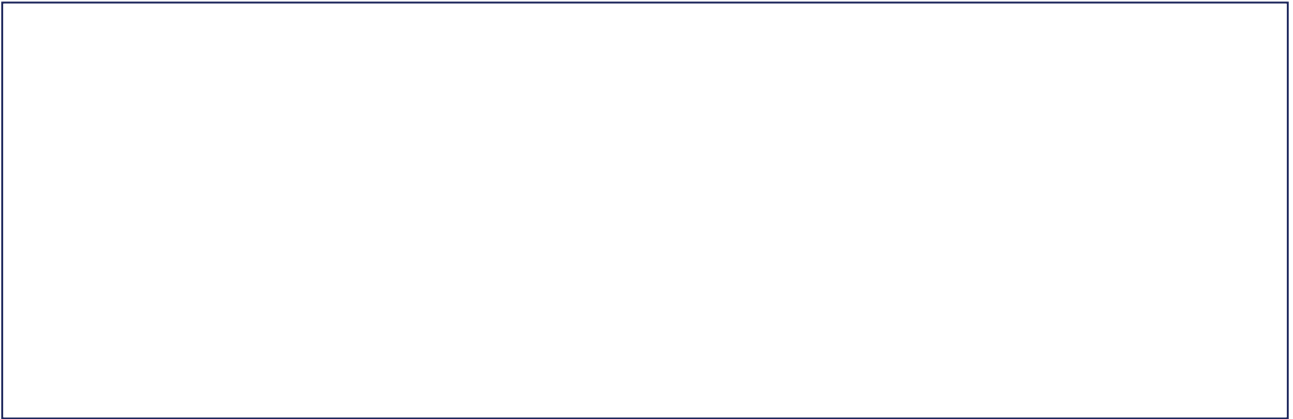
2. Max finds 157 coins in the jungle. Round 157 to the nearest 100. (2 marks)

3. There are 482 trees in the forest. Round 482 to the nearest 10. (2 marks)

4. Max counts 1,240 leaves. Round 1,240 to the nearest 1,000. (2 marks)

5. Max buys a toy for £46. Round this price to the nearest £10. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a number line from 20 to 30 and place a star on the number 23 to show how it rounds to 20.



Extension challenge: If Max has 55 bananas, does he round up or down to the nearest 10? Explain why.