

# Max the Monkey's Addition Adventure!

Jump into addition with Max – where every sum is a puzzle to solve!

- When we add numbers together, the total is the answer we find at the end.
- You can use partitioning to split two-digit numbers into tens and ones to make adding much easier.
- When adding money, always remember to write the £ symbol and keep your dollars and cents in the right columns.
- Addition is commutative, which means  $14 + 5$  gives you the same total as  $5 + 14$ .
- If you have 20p and add 35p, you have a total of 55p to spend at the school store.

*Did you know? Did you know? Even in the wild, animals use addition! Max the Monkey loves to count his fruit. If he finds 12 bananas in the morning and 15 in the afternoon, he adds them together to know he has 27 delicious snacks to share with his friends!*

**Key vocabulary:** Addition · Total · Sum · Plus · Equals · Partitioning · Column Method · Pounds and pence