My Handwriting Practice: A Character Fact-File

Learning objective: To practise joining letters and maintaining consistent size and spacing while describing a character.

Today, we are going to use our best handwriting to write about our friend Max the monkey. Use your neatest joined-up writing to fill in the boxes below. Remember to keep your letters the same size and make sure your ascenders (like l, t, h) and descenders (like g, j, p) are clear. Use the word bank to help you spell tricky words.

Word bank: enthusiastic · puzzles · monkey · clever · courageous · friendly · maths · pattern

1. Character Name and Appearance: Write the name of the character and describe what they look like using neat, joined handwriting. (2 marks)

2. Favourite Activities: Write two things that Max loves to do. Remember to use a capital letter for his name. (2 marks)

3. Personality Traits: Use two adjectives to describe what Max is like. Explain why you chose these words. (3 marks)

4. My Handwriting Goal: Write one thing you are trying to improve with your handwriting today (e.g., spacing, size, or joins). (1 mark)

Extension challenge: Can you write a short sentence at the bottom of the page about a time Max solved a tricky maths puzzle? Remember to join your letters carefully!