

Max the Monkey's Times Table Jungle Adventure

Learning objective: To recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables.

Help Max the Monkey count his jungle snacks! Use your knowledge of times tables to solve the problems below. Show your working out clearly.

Max the Monkey is getting ready for a jungle picnic. He has found 5 bunches of bananas, and each bunch has 2 bananas on it. 'That is 5 groups of 2!' says Max. He also has 4 baskets, and each basket holds 10 mangoes. Max loves using maths to make sure he has enough food for all his friends. He knows that if he shares his 20 coconut pieces equally between 5 friends, everyone gets the same amount.

Word bank: multiplication · array · groups of · product · divide · equal

1. Max has 5 bunches of bananas with 2 in each bunch. Write this as a multiplication sentence and calculate the total number of bananas. (2 marks)

2. There are 4 baskets of mangoes, with 10 mangoes in each. How many mangoes are there altogether? (2 marks)

3. Max has 20 coconut pieces. If he shares them equally between 5 friends, how many pieces does each friend get? (2 marks)

4. Draw an array to show 3×5 . What is the total? (2 marks)

5. Max finds a shop selling bags of peanuts for £2 each. If he buys 6 bags, how much money does he spend in total? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw Max the Monkey standing next to an array of 12 pineapples arranged in 2 rows of 6.



Extension challenge: Max wants to buy 10 stickers that cost 5p each. How much will they cost altogether? Write your answer in rupees and paise.