

Max and Zara's Word Hunt

Learning objective: To identify and use nouns and verbs correctly within sentences.

Read each question carefully. Remember: a noun is a person, place, or thing, and a verb is an action word.

Word bank: scamper · jungle · paint · canvas · swing · monkey · brush · zebra · chase · forest

1. Max the monkey is playing in the jungle. Identify two nouns and two verbs from this sentence. (4 marks)

2. Zara is painting a beautiful picture. Write down the noun and the verb in this sentence. (2 marks)

3. Choose two words from the word bank. Write one sentence that uses both words, ensuring one is a noun and one is a verb. (2 marks)

4. Look at the list below. Circle the verbs and underline the nouns:

1. Run
2. Table
3. Jump
4. Pencil (4 marks)

5. Max wants to buy some new art supplies. He spends £3 on a brush and £5 on a sketchbook. How much does he spend in total? (Bonus: Is 'sketchbook' a noun or a verb?) (3 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Max the monkey painting a portrait of Zara the zebra in the forest. Label one noun and one verb in your picture.



Extension challenge: Write a short paragraph about an adventure Max and Zara have together. Try to use at least five nouns and five verbs. Underline the nouns in blue and the verbs in red.