

# Story Structure Safari with Max the Monkey

*Learning objective: To understand and sequence the five key stages of a narrative structure.*

Max the Monkey has found a jumbled story adventure! Help him put the narrative events in the correct order by numbering them from 1 to 5. Once you have sequenced the story, use the word bank to fill in the missing terms for each part of the structure.

*Word bank: Introduction · Build-up · Climax · Resolution · Ending*

1. 1. [ ] The hero reaches the top of the Misty Mountain and finds the hidden golden key. (1 mark)

2. 2. [ ] The hero returns home, feeling brave, and decides to plant a garden for the village. (1 mark)

3. 3. [ ] We meet a young explorer who lives in a cosy treehouse near the edge of the Whispering Woods. (1 mark)

4. 4. [ ] The explorer starts their journey, packing a map and a snack, while the wind begins to howl. (1 mark)

5. 5. [ ] The mountain path crumbles behind the hero, and they must use the key to unlock the secret bridge. (1 mark)

6. Match the labels from the word bank to the numbers above (e.g., 1 is the...). (5 marks)

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**Draw:** Draw your favourite scene from the story you just sequenced! Make sure to include the hero and the golden key.



*Extension challenge: Write one sentence for a new story about Pip the caterpillar. Which part of the story structure would your sentence belong to: the Introduction or the Climax?*