

Max's Market Stall: A Maths Drawing Adventure

Learning objective: To use coins and notes to represent amounts of money and solve simple addition problems in a real-world context.

Max the monkey is opening a fruit stall! Use your maths skills to help him price his items and draw the coins he needs to collect. Follow the drawing steps and complete the maths challenges below.

Draw: Draw a busy market scene featuring Max the monkey standing behind a wooden stall. On the stall, draw a bunch of bananas, an apple, and a slice of melon. In the empty space around the stall, draw the coins and notes that represent the prices of these items. Use a colourful, bright style suitable for a Year 3 workbook.



Label words: Pounds · Pence · Total · Change · Notes · Coins

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw a bunch of bananas and write the price (£1.20) on a label next to them.
2. Step 2: Draw the coins you would use to pay exactly 50p for the apple.
3. Max sells a bunch of bananas (£1.20) and an apple (50p). What is the total cost?
4. If a customer pays with a £2.00 coin for the bananas (£1.20), how much change should Max give back?
5. Label your drawing with the words 'Pounds' and 'Pence' to show you know the difference.