

Max the Monkey's Multiplication Mission

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

Max the Monkey loves solving maths puzzles! Help him finish his jungle calculations by answering these 10 questions. Remember, multiplication is just repeated addition.

Answer Key: 1) C (10), 2) True, 3) 12, 4) B (20), 5) False, 6) 30, 7) A (15), 8) 10, 9) True, 10) 5. Every correct answer earns you one gold banana point!

Word bank: product · multiplication · groups · total · times · array

1. Max has 5 bunches of bananas. Each bunch has 2 bananas. How many bananas in total?

A) 7, B) 5, C) 10*, D) 12 (1 mark)

2. True or False: 3×5 is the same as $5 + 5 + 5$. (1 mark)

3. What is the product of 2 and 6? (1 mark)

4. If Ellie Elephant eats 4 bags of peanuts and each bag costs £5, how much does she spend? A) £15, B) £20*, C) £25, D) £9 (1 mark)

5. True or False: $10 \times 3 = 13$. (1 mark)

6. Zara Zebra counts 6 rows of stripes with 5 stripes in each row. How many stripes are there altogether? (1 mark)

7. Which calculation shows the total of 3 groups of 5? A) $3 \times 5*$, B) $3 + 5$, C) $5 + 5$, D) 3×3 (1 mark)

8. What is 2 multiplied by 5? (1 mark)

9. True or False: Multiplication is the same as repeated addition. (1 mark)

10. If you have 10 coins worth 50p each, how many pounds would you have if you had 1 coin worth 5 times that? (Hint: $5 \times 1 = ?$) (1 mark)

Draw: Draw an array of 4 rows of 3 apples for Max the Monkey to share with his friends.



Extension challenge: Max wants to buy 7 stickers that cost £2 each. How much money does he need in total? Write the multiplication sentence to show your working.