

Max the Monkey's Rounding Adventure

Learning objective: To round any two-digit number to the nearest 10.

Max the Monkey is helping his friends at the market. Help him round the prices and numbers to the nearest 10 to make his maths easier! Remember: if the digit in the ones place is 5 or more, round up to the next ten. If it is 4 or less, round down.

Word bank: round · nearest · tens · ones · estimate · digit

1. Max finds a bunch of bananas that costs £24. Round this price to the nearest £10. (1 mark)

2. There are 37 monkeys sitting in a tree. Round 37 to the nearest 10. (1 mark)

3. A bag of nuts costs £55. Max says this rounds to £50. Is Max correct? Explain your answer. (2 marks)

4. Look at these numbers: 12, 18, 15. Which of these numbers round to 20 when rounded to the nearest 10? (2 marks)

5. If a farmer has 81 apples, round this number to the nearest 10 to help the farmer estimate how many bags he needs. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a number line from 30 to 40 and place the number 36 on it with a star to show where it sits between the tens.

Extension challenge: Write down three different numbers that all round to 70 when you round them to the nearest 10.