

Max the Monkey's Striking and Fielding Challenge

Learning objective: To identify and describe the key skills needed for striking and fielding games.

Max the monkey is helping us learn to play fairly and safely. Look at the list of actions below. Decide if each action is used for 'Striking' (hitting the ball) or 'Fielding' (stopping or catching the ball). Write the correct word next to each action.

Word bank: Striking · Fielding · Bat · Ball · Catch · Swing · Watch · Score

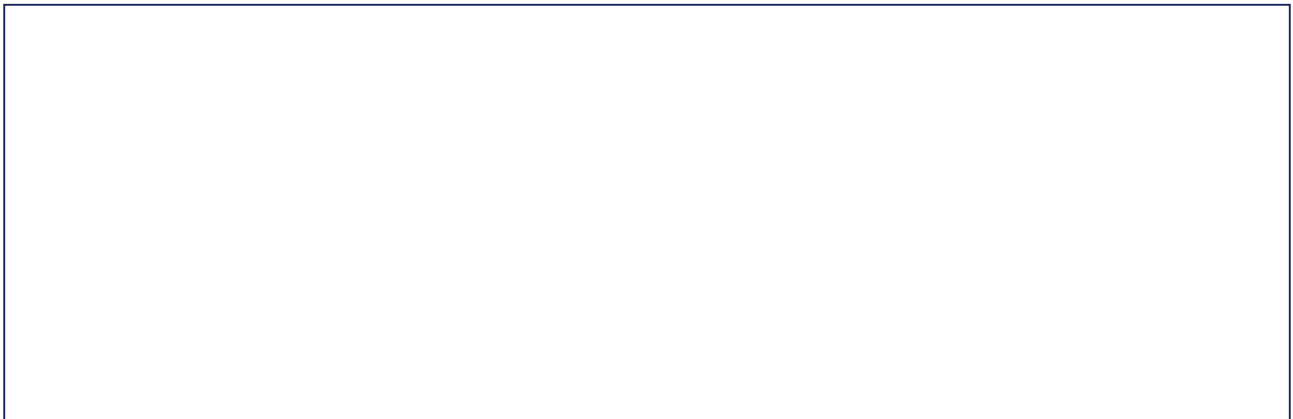
1. 1. Using a bat to hit the ball a long way. This is: _____ (1 mark)

2. 2. Using your hands to catch the ball in the air. This is: _____ (1 mark)

3. 3. Running to pick up the ball from the grass. This is: _____ (1 mark)

4. 4. Standing ready with your bat to wait for the ball. This is: _____ (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Max the monkey holding a bat. Draw a ball flying through the air towards him.



Extension challenge: Think of one safety rule for our game. Write it here: I must _____.