

Adjective Adventures with Pip the Caterpillar

Learning objective: To identify and use adjectives to describe nouns in sentences.

An adjective is a word that describes a noun (a person, place, or thing). Read each sentence below. Follow the instructions to add or find describing words. Look at the word bank if you need help!

Word bank: shiny · soft · bumpy · bright · huge · tiny · green · happy

1. Pip the caterpillar is small. Circle the adjective in this sentence. (1 mark)

2. Fill in the blank with an adjective from the word bank: The elephant had a _____ trunk. (1 mark)

3. Write your own sentence about a leaf. Use one adjective to describe it. (2 marks)

4. Change the adjective in this sentence to make it the opposite: The sun is bright today. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw Pip the caterpillar sitting on a leaf. Label your drawing using two adjectives, for example: 'The green leaf' or 'The happy caterpillar'.



Extension challenge: Can you think of two more adjectives to describe a juicy red apple? Write them down here.