



The Max Collection

Activity Book

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Max



1. Why was Max unhappy?
2. What animals did Max have on his farm?
3. What reasons did Mum give for not getting a pet?
4. What did Max think was the real reason for Mum not wanting any animals?
5. Where did Mum say Max would be busy at? Did Max agree? Why/ why not?
6. What news did Dad have, when he came home from work? Did Max think this was good news?
7. What was Max's plan? Do you think this is a good idea? Why/ why not?
8. Which animal would you choose from the zoo? What animals was Max thinking about?

Max: Rocket Sight Words (revision)

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

very		
just		
mother		
went		
find		
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will		
school		
live		
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Max: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

Dad came home and told Max about the zoo, at the end of the road.

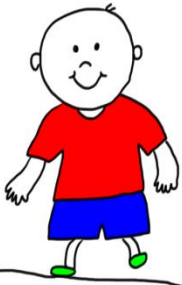
Max looked outside and saw a lot of grass and a big fence.

Max had just moved to the city.

Mum said that there wasn't any room for pets.

Max thought that he could get a pet from the zoo.

Max did not agree with his mother.



Max Visits the Zoo

1. What would a zoo pet be better than?
2. Why didn't Max choose a giraffe? Do agree? Why/ why not?
3. Why did Max rule out the lion and the tiger?
4. What animals did Max think were cute?
5. Give three reasons as to why Max loved elephants.
6. Would you chose an elephant? Why/ why not?
7. Why did the elephant come with Max?
8. What did Max name the elephant? What would you have called it?

Rocket Sight Words from Max Visits the Zoo (revision)

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

was		
after		
find		
saw		
for		
won't		
take		
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Max Visits the Zoo: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

As Max walked into the zoo, he saw a lot of animals.

Max decided to visit the zoo, after school.

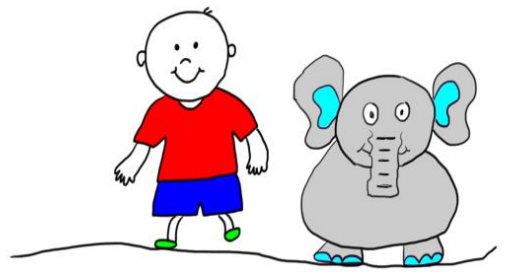
When the zookeeper wasn't looking, Max and the elephant, left the zoo.

Max saw a lion and a tiger.

Max saw a zebra and a giraffe.

Then Max saw the elephants.

Max and Edward



1. What happened when Edward went into the kitchen? Why did this happen?
2. What happened when Edward and Max went upstairs?
3. What game did Edward and Max play in the back yard?
4. What happened when Edward and Max played in the backyard?
5. Why was Max's mother right?
6. How did Max solve the problem?
7. What would you do with a baby elephant at your place? Would it be a good or a bad thing. Give two reasons for your answer.
8. What animal will Max choose next?

Max and Edward:

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

was		
another		
find		
started		
been		
having		
found		
think		
walked		
under		

Max and Edward: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence.

Edward put his trunk into the water. Pretty soon, there was a mess!

Edward went home with Max.

Edward crashed his way through the kitchen.

Max had to take Edward back to the zoo.

Max was stuck under Edward.

Edward decided to tackle Max.



Max Goes Back to the Zoo

1. Why was Max in trouble with his mother?
2. What did Max have to do?
3. Edward had been too big, so what other animals did Max rule out?
4. What smaller animals did Max think about?
5. Why did Max think a baby tiger would make the perfect pet? Do you agree? Why or why not?
6. How did Max know that the baby tiger wanted to go home with him?
7. What do you think Mum will say about the baby tiger?
8. What would the zookeeper do, if he saw Max taking the baby tiger?

Max Goes Back to the Zoo:

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

would		
back		
goes		
had		
named		
just		
tell		
about		
make		
right		

Max Goes Back to the Zoo: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence.

Max was in a lot of trouble with his mother.

Yesterday, Max had taken a baby elephant home with him.

Max left the zoo with a baby tiger.

Max ruled out hippos and rhinos.

The baby tiger licked Max's hand.

Max thought the baby tiger would be just the same as a kitten.



Max and the Baby Tiger

1. What name did Max give the baby tiger?
2. What would you name the baby tiger?
3. What happened to Tabitha when she ran inside after Max?
4. Was it a good idea to take Tabitha up to Max's bedroom? Why/ why not?
5. What did Max suggest he and Tabitha do, after she ruined the pillow?
6. What trouble did Tabitha get into outside?
7. What do you think will happen when Mum comes home?
8. Would you like to have a pet tiger?
List two good things and two bad things about having a tiger as a pet.

Max and the Baby Tiger:

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

with		
pleased		
think		
know		
you		
jump		
came		
good		
one		
into		

Max and the Baby Tiger: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

Tabitha had ripped the washing off the line.

Max named the tiger Tabitha.

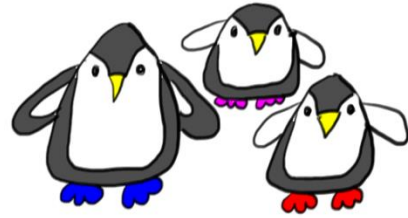
Tabitha ripped Max's pillow apart.

Tabitha tripped over Max's school bag.

Max took Tabitha back to the zoo.

Tabitha ran outside, and straight into Mum's washing line.

Try Again!



1. Why didn't Max chose a tiger?
2. Why didn't Max chose the rhino?
3. What animal did Max decide on? Do you think this was a good choice? Why/ why not?
4. What was wrong with Penny when she got back to Max's house?
5. How did Max solve this problem?
6. What happened when Max put Penny in the freezer?
7. Was it a good idea to put Penny in the freezer? Why/ why not?
8. Why did Max decide to take Penny back to the zoo?

Try Again:

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

very		
going		
too		
big		
when		
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time		
again		
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Try Again: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

Max walked past the lion and the rhino.

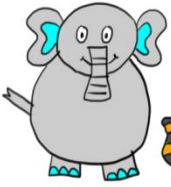
Max and Penny left the zoo.

Mum had been mad when she had seen the mess Tabitha made.

Max took Penny back to the zoo.

When they got to Max's place, Penny fell to the floor.

Penny found some ice cream and began eating it.



The Last Chance!

1. What three animals had Max taken home? Why were they not good choices?
2. Out of the three animals that Max had chosen, which one would you like to choose?
3. Why didn't Max choose the snakes?
4. What animals did Max sit down to watch? What were they doing?
5. What did Max think about monkeys?
6. What did the pink monkey ask Max?
7. What was the monkey's name?
8. Why hadn't the monkey told the zookeeper about Max taking the other animals home?

The Last Chance:

Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

were		
any		
good		
today		
last		
down		
taking		
my		
into		
your		

The Last Chance: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

Max went past the snakes.

Max saw Edward.

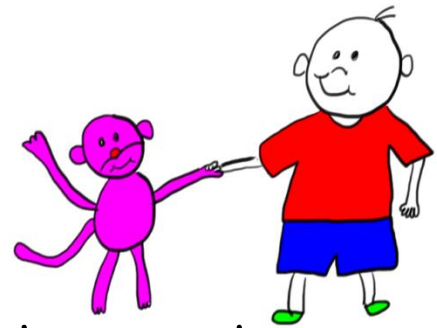
A pink monkey started talking to Max.

Max sat down to watch the monkeys at play.

Melvin swung up, onto Max's shoulders.

Max had brought three animals home from the zoo.

Melvin Moves In



1. What did Melvin do on the way home from the zoo?
2. Why did Melvin go home with Max?
3. Why wasn't Melvin worried about missing his friends at the zoo?
4. Why was Max a bit worried about having Melvin as a pet?
5. Was Melvin worried about meeting Max's mother? Why/ why not?
6. What was Melvin doing that Max knew his mother wouldn't like?
7. Why did Max's mother faint?
8. Do you think Melvin is going to make a good pet? Give three reasons for your answer.

Melvin Moves In: Practise writing each word in the boxes.

Choose three words and write a sentence for each word.

that		
from		
talking		
now		
want		
don't		
miss		
friends		
asked		
back		

Melvin Moves In: Cut and paste the sentences into the right sequence. Draw pictures to match.

Max told Melvin to be quiet, when his mother came home.

Melvin asked Max about the other animals.

Melvin talked and talked all of the way home.

Mum fainted when she saw Melvin.

Melvin was swinging from the fan.

Melvin made Max's mother a cup of tea.



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