

# Morning Starters: Summer 1 - Learning from Others

## Word Challenge

**Make a list of all the adjectives that appear in the 'Did you know?' paragraph that end in the suffix '-ous'.**

**Add your own '-ous' adjective that could be used to describe a bonobo or a Mamma.**

## Grammar Challenge

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**Write a descriptive sentence that follows on from the one below.**

Gripping for balance, the playful bonobo clambered onto the head of her human mother.

## Did You Know?

In the Congo, orphaned bonobos are raised by kind, generous women called 'Mammas.' The women teach the young bonobos essential skills like finding food, avoiding dangerous animals and playing peacefully with others. The Mamas make sure their mischievous students understand the dos and don'ts of being a curious bonobo so they can return to the wild and thrive as adults.

**Where in the world is the Congo?** Click the 



Credit: BBC One - Monkey Planet

## Number Challenge

**Fact:** In 2024, there was around 156,211 square kilometres of suitable bonobo habitat left in the Congo.

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**What is the difference between the biggest and the smallest number that can be made from rearranging the digits above?**

## Critical Thinking

**If you could ask a Mamma one question about her job, what would it be and why?**