

**Lower 6 pupils use their knowledge of projectile motion to hunt the monkey!**



Lower 6 pupils have recently been studying the equations of motion and how to apply these to projectile motion. Last week they carried out the classic 'monkey and hunter' experiment. A hunter fires a projectile at a monkey that drops from the branch as soon as it hears the sound. Where should the hunter aim? Up, level or down? Using their knowledge of projectiles, pupils successfully hit the monkey with a ping pong ball.

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