

## Opening extract from Night Monkey, Day Monkey

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The moon shone down on the jungle. Night Monkey climbed up the tree. She clambered and leapt to where Day Monkey slept, And whispered, "You can't catch me."

> Day Monkey woke up and chased her, But lost his grip on the bark. He landed, cross, on a bed of moss, Complaining, "It's much too dark!"

"Look!" said Day Monkey. "Hundreds of eyes, Winking and blinking and bright."

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Night Monkey laughed and said, "Don't be daft, They're fireflies that flash in the night."