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Audio 1.1

Part 1 What's in a name?

This is Bekantan

- Andre:** Monita, what are you reading?
- Monita:** Bekantan. I think I am going to talk about this primate for my Science project next week!
- Andre:** Cool! It's the reddish-brown monkey with a long and big nose, right?
- Monita:** Yes. And Bekantan is quite big. Its weight is about 6-22 kilograms and its height is around 55 to 76 cm. Interestingly, its tail is almost as long as its body!
- Andre:** What a tail! Hey, look... The book says Bekantan is a Proboscis monkey.
- Monita:** Pardon? What monkey?
- Andre:** Proboscis monkey. It means a long-nosed monkey.
- Monita:** Hmm... an interesting name but hard to say.
- Andre:** It also has another name. *Nasalis larvatus*.
- Monita:** Wait... I should take notes. Bekantan is a type of primate. Its common name is pro...
- Andre:** Proboscis monkey.
- Monita:** Right, thanks. Proboscis monkey. And its scientific name is *Nasalis larvatus*.