



# Telling the Time

There are **60 seconds** in one minute

There are **60 minutes** in one hour

There are **24 hours** in one day

## Reading a Clock

Remember these key points when learning to tell the time

**Each big number represents an hour.**

Can you think of something that takes about an hour?

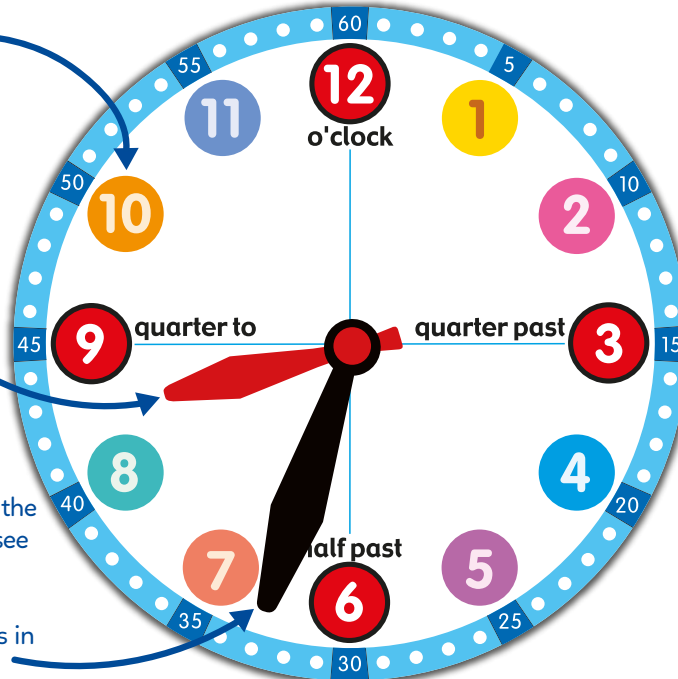
**The short hand (red) is the hour hand.**

It moves from one number to the next every hour. You can get a rough idea of the time with just the hour hand.

**The long hand (black) is the minute hand.**

It moves all the way around the clock every hour, so we can see how many **minutes past** or **minutes to** the hour it is.

This clock shows the minutes in blue, in five minute chunks.



## What Time...?

At what time would you usually do the following?

- Eat lunch
- Bath or shower
- Read a story
- Have your tea
- Eat breakfast
- Have a wash
- Go to bed
- Wake up
- Brush teeth
- Do exercise
- Colouring In
- Have a snack

## Draw the Time

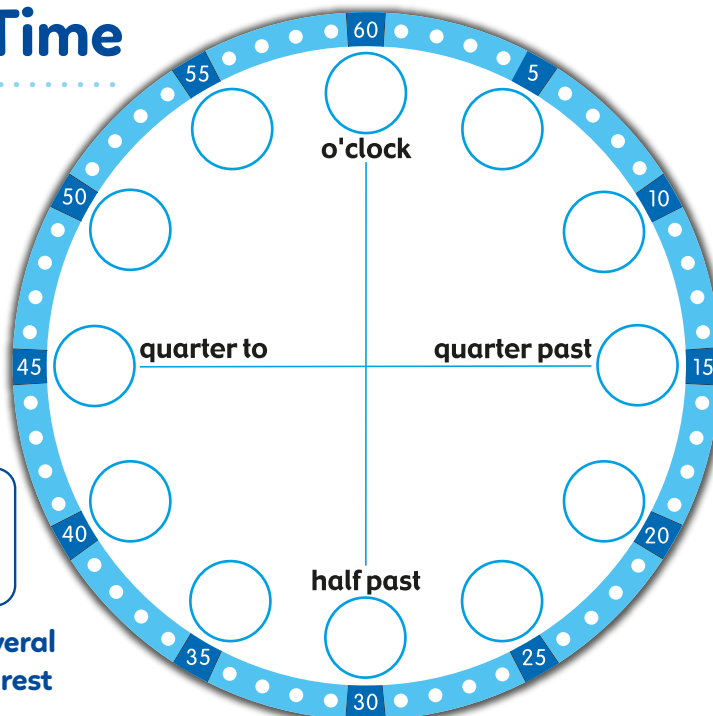
Draw the numbers on the clock

Now draw the hands to show three 'o' clock

Can you draw three 'o' clock as a digital time below?



Print out the clock several times and use for the rest of the numbers too!



Why not try our time games: 'What's the Time Mr. Wolf?' and 'Tell the Time Lotto'?

