

The film starts at four o'clock

Alex and Lian want to go to the cinema.

1



Lian: What time is it?
 Alex: It's quarter to four. (1)
 Lian: What time is the film?
 Alex: It's at four o'clock. (2)
 Lian: It's too late now.
 Alex: Wait, the film is on again at half past four. (3)
 Lian: That's better. Let's go.

At the cinema ...

2



Lian: There isn't a film at half past four.
 Alex: But it says here there is a film at half past four on Fridays. Oh!
 Lian: Exactly! Today's Saturday.

1 Find the times (1–3) in the dialogue. Match them with the clocks (a–c).

a



b



c



2 3.8 Watch or listen and read. Why isn't there a show at half past four?

3 3.9 Listen and repeat.

Communication Telling the time

A: What time is it?

B: It's four o'clock.

A: What time is the film/match?

B: It's at ten (minutes) past four.



quarter past four.

half past four.

quarter to five.

ten (minutes) to five.

4 Complete the times. Then ask and answer in pairs.

1 It's twenty to six.

2 It's past two.

3 It's quarter ten.

4 It's three .

5 It's ten past .

6 It's quarter eight.

A: *What time is it?* B: *It's twenty to six.*

5 In pairs, make dialogues like those in Exercise 4. Then act them out in class.

1 A: time / the football match? B: 12:15

What time is the football match?

B: time / now?

B: 11:55

2 A: time?

B: 5:40

B: the party?

B: 6:00



6 Play *What time is it?* as a class. Ask and answer.

A: *What time is it?*

B: *It's one o'clock. What time is it?*

C: *It's five past one. What time is it?*

D: *It's ...*

 15 Telling the time

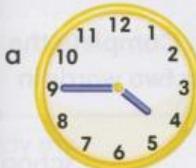
A: What time is it?

B: It's  four o'clock.

A: What time is the film/match?

B: It's at  ten (minutes) past four. quarter past four. half past four. quarter to five. ten (minutes) to five.

1 Match clocks a–h to expressions 1–8.



1 b six o'clock
 2 c quarter to five
 3 d half past two
 4 e five to one
 5 f quarter past one
 6 g five past five
 7 h twenty to nine
 8 i ten past nine

2 Complete the sequences.

1 twelve o'clock – five past twelve – ¹ten past twelve
 – quarter past twelve – ²_____ –
 twenty-five past twelve – ³_____2 half past two – ⁴_____ – twenty to
 three – quarter to three – ⁵_____ –
⁶_____ – three o'clock3 Look at the TV schedule. Then complete the
 questions and answers.

06:00

06:35

07:05

07:15

07:50

Pet Time

Super Girl

Happy Days

That's Magic

The Great Big Talent Show

1 A: What time is Pet Time?

B: It's at six o'clock.

2 A: What time is That's Magic?

B: _____

3 A: _____ ?

B: It's at five past seven.

4 A: _____ ?

B: It's at twenty-five to seven.

5 A: What time is the Great Big Talent Show?

B: _____

6 A: OK. _____ now?

B: It's five to six. Hurry up!

4 Put the dialogue in the correct order.

a 1 What time is it, Mandy?
 b 2 No, I'm not. I'm late for my music lesson.
 c 3 It's at quarter to six. Bye!
 d 4 It's half past five. Oh no!
 e 5 What's wrong? Are you OK?
 f 6 Oh dear. What time is your music lesson?

5 Complete the sentences for you.

1 I get up at _____.
 2 I have breakfast at _____.
 3 I go to school at _____.
 4 I do my homework at _____.
 5 I go to bed at _____.

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