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# Telling Time to Five Minutes



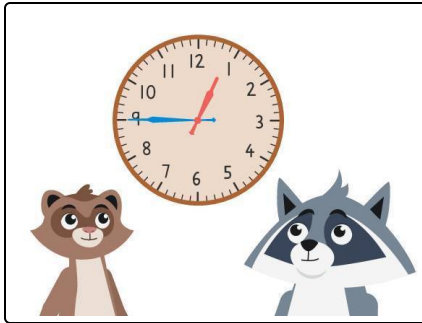
- 1 How can you tell the time to five minutes?
- 2 What time did Zuri and Freddie collect space dust?
- 3 Can you match the times?
- 4 What time did Zuri and Freddie need to complete their other tasks?
- 5 Can you write the correct times?
- 6 Can you find the incorrect times?
- + with many hints, answer keys, and solution approaches for all tasks



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## How can you tell the time to five minutes?

Put the steps in the correct order.



Zuri and Freddie just need another reminder about the steps they need to take to tell the time accurately to five minutes. Can you help them to remember?

A Then, skip count by five from 12 around the clock to where the long hand is. The number you reach is the minutes.

B First, find the last number the short hand has passed. This is the hour.

C Put the hour and the minutes together to tell the time!

D Find where the long hand is pointing to.

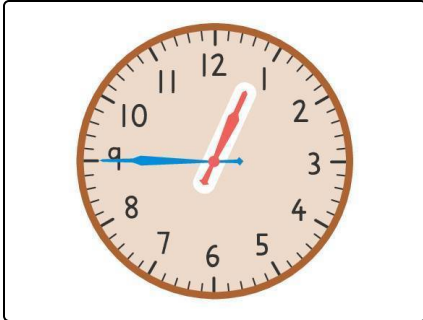
CORRECT ORDER

## Our hints for the tasks

1  
from 6

### How can you tell the time to five minutes?

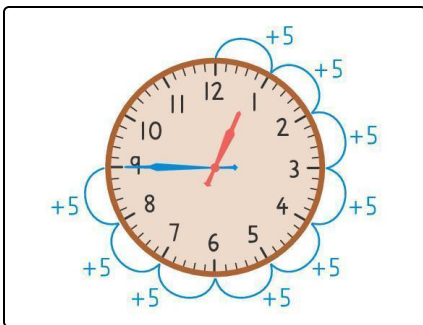
#### 1. Hint



Think about the hour first.

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#### 2. Hint



Think about the minutes second.

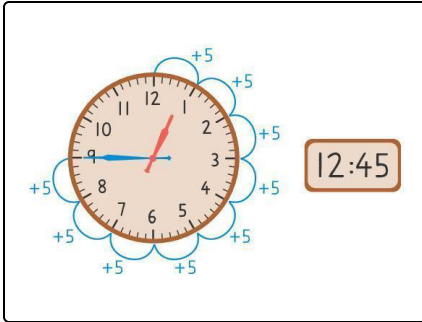
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## Solutions and solution approaches for the tasks

1  
from 6

### How can you tell the time to five minutes?

**Answer key:** B, D, A, C



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1. First, find the last number the short hand has passed. This is the hour.
2. Find where the long hand is pointing to.
3. Then, skip count by five from 12 around the clock to where the long hand is. The number you reach is the minutes.
4. Put the hour and the minutes together to tell the time!

For example:

Start off by looking for the number that the short hand has just passed, this is the hour. In this example, the short hand has just passed 12. Next, you need to find the minutes. To do this, find the long hand then skip count by five from 12 until you reach the long hand. In this example, when you skip count by five you get 45. Lastly, you need to put the hour and the minutes together to tell the time, so the time would be 12:45.