

¡Qué Hora Es! - Telling the Time in Spanish with Rosa

Tick-tock, let's learn the clock! Join Rosa the parrot to master Spanish time.

- To ask someone the time in Spanish, you say: '¿Qué hora es?'
- For one o'clock, always start your sentence with: 'Es la una'.
- For any time from two to twelve, start your sentence with: 'Son las...'
- When the minute hand is at the 3, add 'y cuarto' to your time.
- When the minute hand is at the 6, add 'y media' to your time.
- When the minute hand is at the 9, add 'menos cuarto' to your time.

Did you know? Did you know? In Spanish, we use the feminine 'la' for one o'clock because we are talking about 'la hora' (the hour), but for all other numbers, we use 'las' because we are talking about the plural hours!

Key vocabulary: ¿Qué hora es? (What time is it?) · Es la una... (It is one o'clock...) · Son las... (It is... [for 2-12]) · y cuarto (quarter past) · y media (half past) · menos cuarto (quarter to)