

Max's Busy Day: Time Sequencing Challenge

Learning objective: To tell and write the time to five minutes, including quarter past/to the hour, and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

Max the monkey is very busy! Read the descriptions of his day below. For each activity, draw the correct hands on the clock face to show the time. Then, put the events in the correct order by numbering them from 1 to 5.

Word bank: o'clock · half past · quarter past · quarter to · minutes

1. Max wakes up at 7 o'clock. (Draw the hands on the clock face). (2 marks)

2. Max eats his breakfast at quarter past 7. (Draw the hands on the clock face). (2 marks)

3. Max starts his maths puzzle at half past 8. (Draw the hands on the clock face). (2 marks)

4. Max eats a banana snack at quarter to 10. (Draw the hands on the clock face). (2 marks)

5. Max finishes his busy day at 5 o'clock. (Draw the hands on the clock face). (2 marks)

Draw: Draw five empty clock faces with blank circles. Above each clock, provide a space for the child to write the sequence number (1-5) next to the corresponding time description provided in the questions.



Extension challenge: Max wants to know how many minutes are in one hour. Can you help him solve this maths puzzle? If Max spends 15 minutes on a puzzle, how many more minutes until it has been a full hour?