

Time



On **Monday evening**, I went to the theatre.

On **Tuesday at half past two**, I went to the dentist.

On **Wednesday morning**, my friend Rosa came for coffee.

On **Thursday**, it was Dan's **birthday**.

On **Friday afternoon**, I had my piano lesson.

Emma and Jamie stayed with us on **Saturday night**.

I played tennis with Julie **at ten o'clock** on **Sunday**.

That's what happened last **week**!

Good to know!

Remember that you use on before days of the week, and at before times:

It is my birthday on Sunday.

I will meet you at three o'clock.

Words for talking about time

Word Finder		afternoon	NOUN The afternoon is the part of each day that begins at lunchtime and ends at about six o'clock.
		birthday	NOUN Your birthday is the day of the year that you were born.
		day	NOUN A day is one period of 24 hours.
		evening	NOUN The evening is the part of each day between the end of the afternoon and midnight.
		Friday	NOUN Friday is the day after Thursday and before Saturday.
		half past	NOUN Half past a particular hour is 30 minutes after that time.
		late	1 ADJECTIVE If someone or something is late , they arrive or happen after the time they should start or happen. 2 ADVERB Late means after the time that something should start or happen.
		minute	NOUN A minute is a unit of time that lasts 60 seconds.
		Monday	NOUN Monday is the day after Sunday and before Tuesday.
		morning	NOUN The morning is the part of each day between the time that people usually wake up and lunchtime.
		night	NOUN Night is the time when it is dark outside, and most people sleep.
		o'clock	ADVERB O'clock is used after numbers from one to twelve to say what time it is.
		Saturday	NOUN Saturday is the day after Friday and before Sunday.
		Sunday	NOUN Sunday is the day after Saturday and before Monday.
		Thursday	NOUN Thursday is the day after Wednesday and before Friday.
		time	NOUN Time is something that we measure in minutes, hours, days, and years.
		today	ADVERB You use today when you are talking about the actual day on which you are speaking or writing.
		Tuesday	NOUN Tuesday is the day after Monday and before Wednesday.
		Wednesday	NOUN Wednesday is the day after Tuesday and before Thursday.
		week	NOUN A week is a period of seven days.

Exercise 1

Match the sentence halves.

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| 1 When is your | a on Monday. |
| 2 Can you come to my house at half | b afternoon. |
| 3 I'm going on holiday | c two o'clock. |
| 4 The football match is on Saturday at | d is it, please? |
| 5 What time | e birthday party? |
| 6 I'll phone you this | f past four? |

Exercise 2

Put each sentence into the correct order.

1 late / you / are / why / ?

2 birthday / it / on / Wednesday / is / my / .

3 you / are / going / time / to / what / today / work / ?

4 six / is / English / fifteen / at / class / our / .

5 you / on / free / Sunday / are / ?

6 my / party / come / to / like / you / would / to / ?

Exercise 3

Find the words or phrases that do not belong, as shown.

1 Days	Wednesday	evening	Thursday	Saturday
2 Parts of the day	morning	afternoon	late	night
3 Numbers 1 to 10	one	eight	two	eleven
4 Numbers 11 to 20	thirty	nineteen	fifteen	twelve
5 Time	It's 2.15 p.m.	It's 3.30 p.m.	It's 16.20.	It's 7.40 p.m.
6 Numbers	twenty-two	thirty-five	forty-four	fifty-five

Exercise 4

Find the wrong or extra word in each sentence.

- I'm going to the cinema on the Saturday.
- Jack's birthday party is on at 8 o'clock.
- The bus is late on today.
- Let's have a coffee together in a for minute.
- There's a good film on TV tonight at half past to six.
- What date is it your birthday?

Exercise 5

Write the word for the number in brackets to complete each sentence.

- The film is _____ (90) minutes long.
- He was on the phone for _____ (45) minutes.
- The bus comes at _____ (12.20).
- Does the party start at _____ (8.30)?
- The flight is _____ (7) hours long.
- You're _____ (20) minutes late!