

# Year 3 Telling the Time to 5 Minutes – Guidance for Parents/Carers

## Activity:

The aim of this activity is for children to practise telling the time to 5 minutes. There are three questions to complete. The first two questions allow children to practise the skill, while the third question extends them as they have to problem solve and explain their answer.

## Vocabulary:

**Roman numerals** are a way of writing numbers which was developed in ancient Rome and is still sometimes used today. The numbers 1 to 12 in Roman numerals are: I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII.

## Supporting resources:

You can watch a video tutorial about telling the time to 5 minutes on [kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk](https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk) >> **Year 3** >> **Maths** >> **Time** >> **Video Tutorials**.

## Other resources:

If your child enjoyed this activity and wants to try more activities linked to this learning, you can sign up for £4.83 per month on [classroomsecrets.co.uk/membership](https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/membership).

**Check out our daily timetable for Year 3 home learning activities on [kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk](https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk) >> Home Learning Timetable.**

## Telling the Time to 5 Minutes

1. A. 20 minutes past 2; B. 20 minutes to 7; C. 10 minutes to 8
2. A. 5 minutes to 7; B. quarter to 3
3. Julie is incorrect as the minute hand should be on the Roman numeral 10 and the hour hand should be close to the Roman numeral 9. Answer should include drawn hands on the clock.