



Hippings Methodist Primary School

Key Instant Recall Facts Year 3 – Summer 1

I can tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes

By the end of this half term, the children should know the following facts. The aim is for them to recall these facts **instantly**.

Children need to be able to tell the time using an analogue clock, with hands.



Key Vocabulary

Twelve **o'clock**

Half past two

Quarter past

four

Quarter to eight

Five **past** one

Twenty-five **to** ten

Top Tips!

The secret to success is practising **little** and **often**. Use time wisely. Can you practise these KIRFs while walking to school or during a car journey? You do not need to practise them all at once; perhaps you could have a fact of the day? If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.

Talk about time – Discuss what time things happen. When does your child wake up? What time do they eat breakfast? Make sure that you have an analogue clock visible in your house or that your child wears a watch with hands. Once your child is confident telling the time, see if you can find more challenging clocks eg. with Roman numerals or no numerals marked.

Ask your child the time regularly - You could give your child some responsibility for watching the clock. "The cake needs to come out of the oven at ten to five." "We need to leave the house at twenty past eight."