



Telling time in Spanish

Español 1



What time is it?

¿Qué hora es?

It is....

- 2 ways:
- Es la... (when it is 1 and minutes)
- Son las... (when it is 2 or more and minutes)

Midnight and Noon

- Es el mediodia.
(noon)
- Es la medianoche.
(midnight)

How do I give the time?

- Say the hour and the word “y” and minutes.

- Sentence formula:

“It is” + hour + “y” + minutes +
“am/pm”

:15 and :30

- “y cuarto” (:15)

- “y media” (:30)

“am” and “pm”

- De la mañana (in the morning)
- De la tarde (in the afternoon)
- De la noche (in the evening)

More ways to tell time:

- To say “til”
- Formula:
- “it is” + hour its going to be + “menos” + minutes til the next hour
- Example: 8:45
- Son las nueve menos quince.

- OR
- Son las nueve menos cuarto.

Video
[http://www.youtube.com
/watch?v=tzC4GYVbwjk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tzC4GYVbwjk)

5:45 on video

How do I ask what time an event occurs?

● At what time is ...?

● ¿A qué hora es...?

● It is at...

● Es a la/las....

PRACTICE WITH YOUR PARTNER:

1st- 8:55-10:00am

2nd-10:04-11:04am

3rd-11:08-12:08pm

Lunch A-12:08-12:38pm

4th -12:38-1:42

5th -1:46-2:46pm

6th-2:50-3:50pm