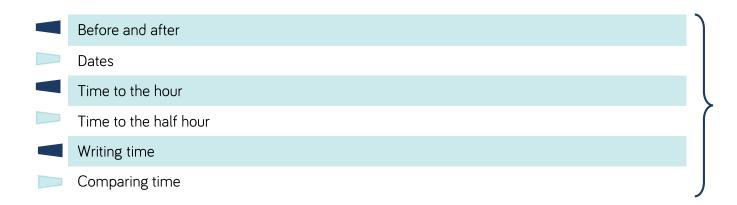


Summer - Block 6

Time



Overview Small Steps



NC Objectives

Sequence events in chronological order using language [for example, before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening].

Recognise and use language relating to dates, including days of the week, weeks, months and years.

Tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times. Compare, describe and solve practical problems for time [for example, quicker, slower, earlier, later].

Measure and begin to record time (hours, minutes, seconds).



Before and After

Notes and Guidance

Children are introduced to key vocabulary related to time.

They use before and after to describe, sort and order events.

Building on this, they use first and next to describe an order of events. When talking about the day, children use the language: morning, afternoon and evening.

Mathematical Talk

Explain why you have placed the pictures before or after each other?

Could any of the pictures have gone in both?

Which activities do you do before school?

Which activities do you do after school?

What do you do in the morning?

What do you do in the afternoon?

What do you do in the evening?

Varied Fluency



Sort the activities into before and after school.









Can you think of one more activity for each group? Can you sort the activities into three groups labelled **morning**, **afternoon** and **evening**?



Tommy is drinking a bottle of orange juice. Match the words to the bottles to order them.













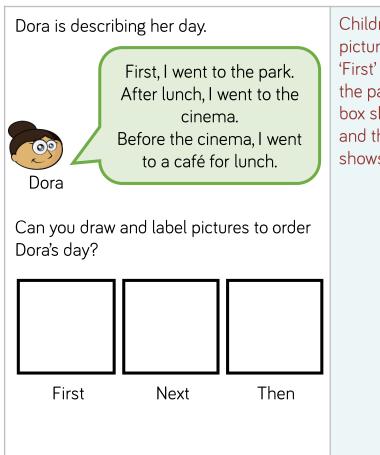


Describe a special day to a friend. Use the words: before, after, first, next, morning, afternoon, evening.

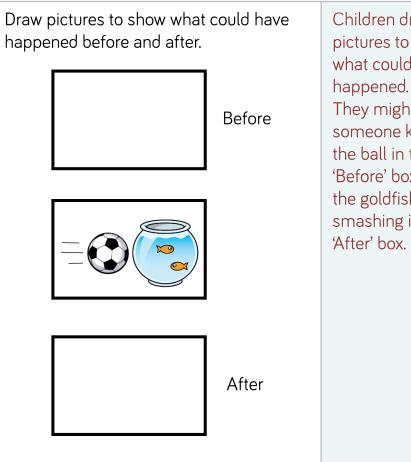


Before and After

Reasoning and Problem Solving



Children draw a picture so the 'First' box shows the park, the 'Next' box shows lunch and the 'Then' box shows cinema.



Children draw pictures to show what could have They might show someone kicking the ball in the 'Before' box and the goldfish bowl smashing in the



Dates

Notes and Guidance

Children learn about the days of the week and know there are 7 days in a week. They talk about events using today, yesterday and tomorrow.

Children learn about the months of the year and can pick out special dates within the year, for example, their birthday.

Children could explore and use a calendar displaying days and months within the classroom environment.

Mathematical Talk

What day is it today?

What day was it yesterday?

What day will it be tomorrow?

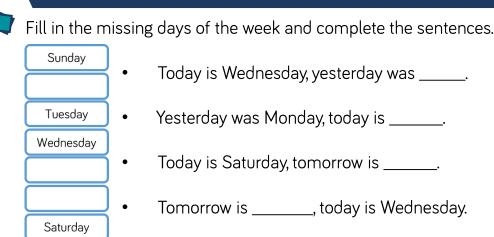
Which month is your birthday in?

Which month do we start school in?

Which months are the summer holidays in?

If today is _____, what will tomorrow be?

Varied Fluency



Use a calendar to look at the names of the months.
Discuss special dates in different children's lives e.g. birthdays, celebrations, holidays.
Complete the sentences.

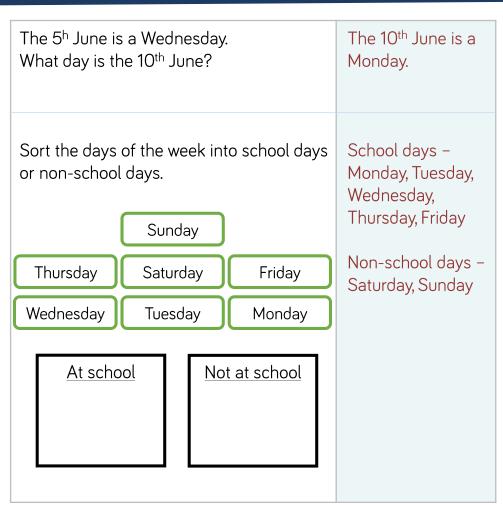
My birthday is in _____.
In _____, I went to _____.



Dates

Reasoning and Problem Solving







Time to the Hour

Notes and Guidance

Children are introduced to telling the time to the hour using an analogue clock. They learn the language of o'clock and understand the hour hand is the shorter hand and the minute hand is the longer hand.

Children read the time to the hour and know when the minute hand is pointing upwards to the number 12 it is an o'clock time, and understand that they need to look at the hour hand to see which hour it is.

Mathematical Talk

There are two hands on the clock. What is the same about each hand? What is different about each hand compared to the other?

Looking at all three clock faces, what is the same about the hands? What is different about them?

Where will the hour hand be at ____?
Where will the minute hand be at ____?
Can you show me _____?

Varied Fluency

Match the times to the clocks.



9 o'clock



Two o'clock



5 o'clock



Complete the times.



The time is ___ o'clock



The time is ___ o'clock



Draw the hour hand and minute hand on clock faces to show the times:

Eight o'clock

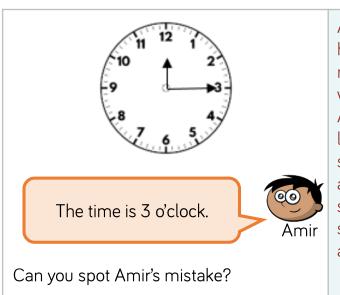
1 o'clock

Twelve o'clock



Time to the Hour

Reasoning and Problem Solving



Amir has read the hour hand and the minute hand the wrong way round. At three o'clock the longer minute hand should be pointing at 12 and the shorter hour hand should be pointing at 3

When it is 11 o'clock both hands point at 11
the and ing Is Alex correct?
Explain your reasoning.

Alex is incorrect. If the time is eleven o'clock, the hour hand should be pointing at 11 and the minute hand should be pointing at 12

Alex



Time to the Half Hour

Notes and Guidance

Children are introduced to telling the time to the half hour. They learn the language half past.

They understand that, at half past the hour, the minute hand has travelled half way around the clock from the twelve and is pointing at the six and the hour hand is half way between the hours e.g. half way between one and two or half way between nine and ten.

Mathematical Talk

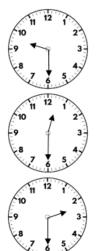
Which is the hour hand? Which is the minute hand? How do you know?

Where does the minute hand point to at half past? Can you see that the minute hand has travelled halfway around the clock? Could you show this to your partner?

Can you show me _____?

Varied Fluency

Match the times to the clocks.



Half past twelve

Half past 2

Half past nine

Complete the times.



The time is half past



The time is half past ___

Draw the hour hand and the minute hand on clock faces to show these times:

Half past 1

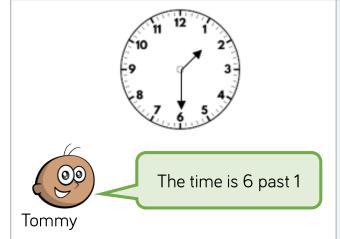
Half past four

Half past 8



Time to the Half Hour

Reasoning and Problem Solving



Can you spot Tommy's mistake?

Tommy has read the minute hand as showing the number of minutes past the hour, rather than understanding that the minute hand pointing to 6 means half past. The time is half past one.

Read the instructions and draw the hands on the clock.

- The minute hand is pointing at the six.
- The hour hand is half way between 10 and 11



What time is it?

The time is half past 10





Writing Time

Notes and Guidance

Children explore the difference between seconds, minutes and hours. They decide which activities would be measured in each unit of time.

Children explore suitable equipment e.g. stopwatches or sand timers to measure durations of time. They carry out activities and use suitable equipment to measure how long each activity takes e.g. timing how long it takes to run around the playground using a stopwatch.

Mathematical Talk

Would you measure the activity in hours, minutes or seconds?

How many star jumps do you think you can do in 10 seconds?

Let's count to 20 seconds in our heads, stand up when you think we reach 20 seconds. How close were you?

Varied Fluency



Using a stopwatch, record how many times you can do these activities in 20 seconds.

- Star jumps
- Write your name
- Hops on the spot

Can you think of any activity which takes 20 seconds?



Would you measure the duration of the activities in seconds, minutes or hours? Sort the activities into three groups: seconds, minutes and hours.

Brushing teeth

Reading a book

Saying the alphabet

Holiday flight

Playing outside

Sleeping at night



Complete the sentences using seconds, minutes or hours.

- Playtime is about 20 _____ long.
- The school day is about 6 _____ long.



Writing Time

Reasoning and Problem Solving

Are the units of time chosen sensible for these activities?

- A football match measured in seconds.
- A lap around the school playground measured in minutes.
- A birthday party measured in hours.

Explain your answers.

Not sensible- a football match is measured in minutes because to use seconds would involve very large numbers.

Dependent on the school playground, could be sensible, or it could be more sensible to measure in seconds.

Sensible - parties can last at least 2 hours.

Dora has a clock without an hour hand.



She says,

I can measure how long it takes someone to run around the playground 10 times using my clock.



Do you agree with Dora? Explain your answer.

I agree, Dora can still measure time in minutes using her clock. The minute hand moving the distance from one increment to another shows one minute has passed. The minute hand moving one complete turn shows that one hour has passed.



Comparing Time

Notes and Guidance

Children compare amounts of time using the language faster, slower, earlier and later.

They build on writing and measuring time by comparing different amounts of times using time language.

Children understand that when someone wins a race the length of time will be shorter and if someone takes longer the length of time will be larger.

Mathematical Talk

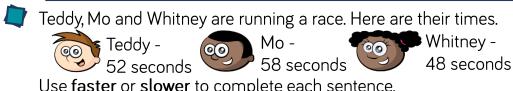
Which is longer: one hour, one minute or one second?

If I finish a race first, am I faster or slower than everyone else?

Can you think of a comparison where you use faster and slower in the same sentence?

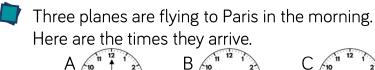
e.g. A rabbit is faster than a tortoise but slower than a cheetah.

Varied Fluency



Teddy is	than Mo.
Teddy is	than Whitney.
Whitney is	than Mo.

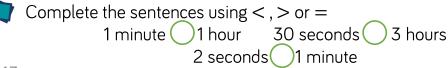
Can you write any more sentences to describe the race using the words slower and faster?





Use earlier and later to complete the sentences.

Plane A is .	than Plane B.
Plane B is _	than Plane C.
Plane C is	than Plane A.





Comparing Time

Reasoning and Problem Solving

Work in small groups.
Complete the following activities and

record how long it takes each person.

- Build a tower of ten bricks.
- Run a lap of the playground.
- Write your name five times.

Write three sentences about each activity using the words **slower** and **faster**.

Children will complete three sentences about each activity. They can then share the sentences with their groups and see how many different sentences they have created with altogether.

Five friends are going to a party.
Use the clues to work out when each friend arrived.

Amir arrived later than Jack and Eva. Rosie arrived later than Amir but earlier than Ron.

Eva arrived the earliest.

1st

 2^{nd}

3rd

4th

5th

1st - Eva

2nd- Jack

3rd- Amir

4th-Rosie

5th- Ron