

## Using an analogue clock: quarters and halves

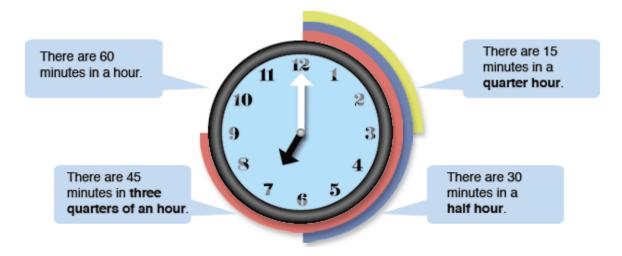
Telling the time in quarters and halves.

There are **60 minutes** in an **hour**.

There are **15 minutes** in a **quarter of an hour**.

There are 30 minutes in a half hour.

There are 45 minutes in three quarters of an hour.





An **analogue** clock is a clock with a dial (or clock face) and hands.

The short hand tells you the hour.

The **long hand** tells you the **minutes**.



It's quarter past five or 15 minutes past 5



It's **half past two** or 30 minutes past 2



It's quarter to twelve or 45 minutes past 11