

Time Measurement and Word Problems

Today's Standard

3.MD.A1 - Tell and write time to the nearest minute and measure time intervals in minutes. Solve word problems involving addition and subtraction of time intervals in minutes, e.g., by representing the problem on a number line diagram.

Real-World Applications for this Standard

Scheduling daily activities; Cooking with timers; Planning travel durations; Classroom time management; Sports event timing

Today I Learned

Today, we learned how to tell and write time to the nearest minute and solve problems involving time intervals. We practiced using clocks and number lines to help us.

Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids might mix up the minute and hour hands on a clock. Also, subtracting time can be tricky, especially when you need to borrow time. We use tools like number lines to help understand these problems.

Quiz Me

- What does the short hand on a clock show?
- What does the long hand on a clock show?
- How many minutes are in one hour?
- How do you show 3:15 on a clock?
- What tool can help you subtract time?

Help Me

We use time every day, like when we set a timer for cooking or plan how long it takes to get to school. Knowing how to tell time and solve time problems helps us manage our day better.