Telling the time in words lesson plan

| DAY | We Are Learning To (WALT): | MODEL / INTRODUCTION | INDEPENDENT WORK | PLENARY |
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|  | Mental: <br> Main: <br> Tell the time in words and describe the time of day | Mental: <br> Main: <br> Ask children to think, pair share, some of the things we learnt e.g. the middle of the night being am, midday being 12pm etc) <br> Give each child a small clock face <br> Show children PowerPoint on telling the time with the following slides: <br> - A reminder that the hour hand is the short one and minute hand is the long one <br> - A clock with half shaded green (the 'half' side) and half shaded purple (the 'to' side) <br> - Showing where o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to are on the clock <br> - Showing where the 5-minute intervals are e.g. five past, ten past, five to etc <br> - Explaining how in contrast to writing the time in figures, the minutes come first then the hours e.g. instead of $6: 30$, we write half-past 6 (except for o'clock times, where the hour comes first e.g. 10 o'clock) | Lower ability write time and part of the day shown on a clock face in words to the quarter hour | Give each child a small clock. Ask them to move the hands to a time on the clock for their partner to tell |

To access the complete lesson plan, and all of the resources needed to teach it, visit
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