

WRITING 6 P.M. IN 24-HOUR TIME

- 1 The clock shows 6 o'clock. It is 6 p.m., so it is after midday.
- 2 Add 12 to the hour: $6 + 12 = 18$.
- 3 Keep the minutes as **00**. Write **18:00**.



MATCH-UP

Match each 12-hour time to its 24-hour time.

- a. 9:00 a.m.
- b. 1:00 p.m.
- c. 5:30 p.m.
- d. 11:15 a.m.
- e. 8:45 p.m.
- f. 12:00 noon

1. 17:30
2. 12:00
3. 11:15
4. 09:00
5. 13:00
6. 20:45

PRACTICE

- 1 The football club opens the games hall at 8 a.m. Write that start time in 24-hour form for the door sign.
- 2 The chess match starts at 1 p.m. Write that time in 24-hour form for the club noticeboard.
- 3 The board-games night begins at 6 p.m. Write that start time in 24-hour form for the phone reminder.

! SPOT THE MISTAKE

Sean writes half past seven in the evening in 24-hour time like this:

7:30 pm = 07:30

Sean is wrong. What is the correct 24-hour time?

REFLECT

When might 24-hour time be clearer than saying o'clock or half past?