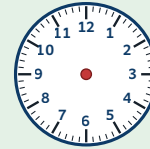
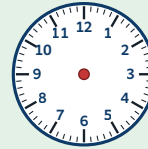
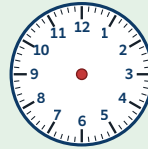


READING HALF PAST 7

- 1 Look at the long hand first: it points straight down to **6**, so the time is half past.
- 2 Look at the short hand next: it sits between **7** and **8**.
- 3 Both hands together give the time: half past **7**.

 WARM-UP

Draw the hour and minute hands on each blank clock face to show the time.



1. Draw 4 o'clock and half past 4 on the first pair of clocks
2. Draw half past 10 and 6 o'clock on the next pair of clocks
3. Draw 2 o'clock and half past 9 on the last pair of clocks

PRACTICE

- 1 Dad calls the family for a walk at this time. Long hand on 12 and short hand on 3. What time do they leave?
- 2 Gran rings to say goodnight when the long hand is on 12 and the short hand is on 7. What time does she ring?
- 3 Mum and her friend meet for tea when the long hand is on 6 and the short hand sits between 5 and 6. What time do they meet?
- 4 Uncle Joe picks you up from a cousin's house at half past 4. Which two numbers does the short hand sit between?
- 5 Think of two times you spend with family today. Write one o'clock time and one half-past time from your day.

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? ALWAYS, SOMETIMES, NEVER

Always, sometimes or never true? Write A, S or N.

- a. At o'clock the long hand points straight up to 12.
- b. At half past the long hand points straight down to 6.
- c. At half past 9 the short hand sits exactly on 9.
- d. The short hand alone tells you if the time is o'clock or half past.