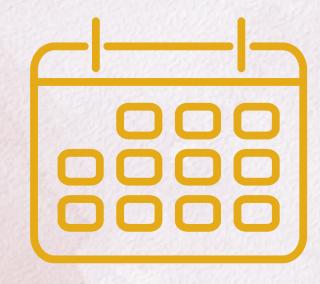




Can we meet, Emma?

Agendas, making plans & prepositions of time

A1-A2 level





Telling the time & schedules

Listen about Emma's day. Write down the times and the actions (transcript at the end of the file).

Time: Action:







Talk about Emma's week.

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lunch with Anna -1 pm yoga- 4 pm

Tuesday

business trip -9 am-5pm

Wednesday

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Thursday

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True or false?

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- 1. Emma has a lunch with Anna scheduled on Monday and Friday.
- 2. Her yoga classes are only on Thursday and Sunday.
- 3.On Tuesday, she goes to the swimming pool in the afternoon.
- 4. Emma has a meeting with Dan on Wednesday at 2 pm.
- 5. She has a business trip planned for Monday, 9 am to 5 pm.
- 6.Emma works from 8 am to 2 pm on Thursday.
- 7. There is a ceramics class scheduled for Wednesday morning.
- 8. On Friday, she goes grocery shopping before lunch.
- 9. Emma plans to jog in the park on Sunday morning.
- 10. She has a family dinner on Saturday afternoon.





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Scenario 1: Coffee Catch-Up

You are Emma's friend. You want to meet her for a quick coffee this week. You're only free on Tuesday after 3 pm or Thursday morning.

Try to find a time that works for both of you.





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Scenario 2: New Art Gallery Visit

You are Emma's friend who loves art. There's a new art gallery opening and you'd like Emma to come with you. It's only open on Wednesday afternoon or on Saturday morning.

Ask Emma if she can join.





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Scenario 3: Project Meeting

You are Emma's colleague. You need to schedule a short project meeting with her. You're available Monday between 2–4 pm or Friday after 10 am.

Can Emma meet during those times?





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Scenario 4: Pizza Night

You are organising a pizza night with friends. You're free Friday night, Saturday evening, or Sunday afternoon.

Invite Emma and check when she's free.





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Scenario 5: Try Something New

You want to invite Emma to try a new dance class instead of yoga this week. It's at 4 pm on Monday or Thursday.

See if she's willing to skip yoga for one day and join the class.





Prepositions of time

ON

- Days of the week: on Monday, on Friday
- Dates: on July 8th, on Christmas Day
- Specific day + part of day: on Sunday morning, on Monday night

IN

- Months: in July, in December
- Years: in 2025, in 1990
- Centuries/decades: in the 21st century, in the 80s
- Parts of the day: in the morning, in the afternoon, in the evening

AT

- Clock times: at 3 pm, at 7:30
- Specific moments: at noon, at midnight
- Some fixed phrases: at night, at the weekend (UK), at lunchtime, at sunrise



Enda Fill in the gaps with: ON, AT or IN

- We have a meeting ___ Monday morning.
- I was born ___ 1995.
- Let's meet ___ 3:30 pm.
- She always goes running ___ the evening.
- My birthday is ____ July 8th.
- The movie starts 7 o'clock.
- I usually wake up late ____ Sundays.
- He graduated ____ 2010.
- The party is ___ Friday night.
- We often travel ___ the summer.

- We have lunch together ___ noon.
- She called me ___ Christmas Day.
- I don't like walking ___ night.
- Our classes begin ___ September.
- My dentist appointment is ____ Tuesday.
- I was really busy ___ the afternoon.
- The shop closes ___ midnight.
- I'll see you ___ the weekend.
- He arrived ___ time for the meeting.
- My brother was born ____ November.



Let's talk!

- 1. What do you usually do on Sunday mornings?
- 2. Do you prefer studying in the morning or in the evening? Why?
- 3. What's something fun that you do on your birthday?
- 4. Are you usually busy at the weekend? What do you do?
- 5. What time do you usually have dinner at night?
- 6. What are your plans in the summer?
- 7. Do you remember what you were doing at midnight last New Year's Eve?
- 8. What do you like to do on a rainy day?
- 9. What's your favourite thing to do in the afternoon?
- 10. What do people usually do on Christmas Day in your country?
- 11. Are you more active in the morning or at night?
- 12. What's something special you remember doing on a Saturday?
- 13. What's your favourite holiday in the year?
- 14. Do you usually wake up early on weekdays or at the weekend?
- 15. Have you ever travelled somewhere exciting in December?





Telling the time & schedules - transcript



At nine o'clock, Emma left the house to go to work.

At a quarter past ten, she had a coffee break and chatted with her colleague, Mark.

At twenty-five past eleven, she joined a meeting that lasted almost an hour.

At half past two, Emma went out for a quick lunch with her friend Lisa.

At a quarter to three, she realised she had forgotten her phone at the café!

At five to eight, she finally got home, tired but happy the phone was safe.

At eleven o'clock, she turned off the lights and went to bed.





Answer key - prepositions of time

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- at 7 o'clock
- on Sundays
- in 2010
- on Friday night
- in the summer
- at noon
- on Christmas Day

- at night
- in September
- on Tuesday
- in the afternoon
- at midnight
- at the weekend (or on the weekend – both are used; at is common in British English, on in American)
- on time (this is a fixed expression – means "not late")
- in November

