## Helping With Math

# Elapsed Time 

## Suitable for students aged 6-8

This pack is
suitable for learners aged 6 to 8 years old or 2nd and 3rd grades (USA). The content covers fact files and relevant basic and advanced activities involving elapsed time.

This year's Earth Hour will happen at 8:30 PM on March 26, 2022. For 1 hour, everyone shows their appreciation for Mother Earth. When does it finish?


## CONCEPTS

## ELAPSED TIME

- To know the elapsed times means to know the difference between two times.
- In elapsed time, we have 2 parts. The first is the Initial Time, and the second is the Final Time.
- We subtract the difference between the Initial TIme and the Final Time to know our elapsed time.


## SOLVING FOR ELAPSED TIME



- First, find the number of minutes from the Initial Time to its nearest next hour.
- Then count the number of hours before the Final Tlme. Then add the remaining minutes from the Final Tlme. Voila, you now have your Elapsed Time.

$\mathbf{3}$ hours $\mathbf{+} \mathbf{4 5}$ minutes $\mathbf{+ 3 0}$ minutes $=\mathbf{4}$ hours 15 minutes


## SAMPLE/APPLICATION

## Try these sample problems yourself!



# 02:35 

to

Time Elapsed: $\qquad$

## APPLICATIONS

## Did You Know?

Earth Hour was started by WWF in Sydney Australia back in 2007 where over 2.2 million people turned off their lights

- When saving electricity, you can use Elapsed time to know how much time you've been using an appliance.
- When you're taking care of plants, use elapsed time to know when to water them again.
- When to know how much time has passed by when watching.


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## BEHOLD, NATURE!

Nature is such a fascinating! When basking yourself in it, you can be lost in time. Find the time spent in the two sceneries below.

Elapsed Time:


11:30 am
8:30 pm

Elapsed Time:


11:30 am

## TURN THEM OFF!

One thing you can do, not just during the Earth Hour, is conserve the use of electricity. Try to know the time difference when the appliance was turned on and off!

1. The microwave was turned on at $7: 30$ in the morning. It has been finally turned off at 2:00 in the afternoon. How much time has passed?

8 hours 20 minutes
2. The Television was turned on at 9:00 in the morning, and the family has been continuously watching on it at noon. What is the elapsed time?


1 hour

3. The kids have been using their phones all day! They started to play on it at 6:00 in the morning and it is now 3:00 in the afternoon. How much time has passed since then?




## DIM LIGHTS FOR EARTH

Johanne decided to set up a timer to dim and turn off the lights to conserve electricity. Answer the questions below depending on when she covers, turn on, and turn off the lights.


## 5:30 am

## 12:00 pm

1. What is the time elapsed between Morning and Afternoon?

Time Elapsed: $\qquad$
2. What is the time elapsed between Afternoon and Evening?

Time Elapsed:
3. What is the time elapsed between Night to Morning?

Time Elapsed:

## TO HELP THE EARTH

Before Earth Hour, Danny decided to research how much time people spend on their gadgets. Help Danny complete his research by completing the table below.

|  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number | First Use | Time Elapsed | Last Use |
| Danny | 8:00 AM | 6 hours | 2:00 PM |
| 1 | 8:00 AM |  | 8:00 PM |
| 2 | 7:00 AM | 3 Hours \& 30 Minutes |  |
| 3 |  | 9 Hours | 6:00 PM |
| 4 | 7:30 AM |  | 8:00 PM |
| 5 |  | 4 Hours | 4:00 PM |

## LESSER IS BETTER

Earth Hour should not be just about an hour of help for the earth. To help protect our planet, we should take it to heart. Mark a $\boldsymbol{V}$ to the time with the least amount of time passed.


8:00AM-9:00AM


12:00PM - 3:00PM


9:00AM - 1:00PM

2
2

## 8:00AM - 9:30AM




8:30PM to 1:30AM

3


## 7:00AM - 9:30AM



4:30PM to 8:00AM

# GIVE COLOR 

Earth Hour also helps with the rejuvenation of the Earth's color. Color this earth by matching the elapsed time to their respective times and color them according to the legend!


## Match These!

1. $10: 47$ to $1: 45 \bullet$
2. $2: 33$ to $5: 37 \quad \bullet \quad 2$ hours 58 minutes (blue)
3. $9: 11$ to $1: 11$

- 5 hours 19 minutes (dark blue)

4. $4: 30$ to $7: 52 \bullet \quad \bullet 3$ hours 22 minutes(orange)
5. $11: 13$ to $4: 32 \quad \bullet$

- 4 hours (brown)

Oh no! The clocks used for the Earth Hour Movement has been moved! Fix the time using the elapsed time and draw on the clock!.


## HIKING FOR A CAUSE

Mark's group decided to do a "Hike For A Cause" for Earth Hour! Follow the path they took and determine the elapsed time between their resting spots.


## TIME FOR THE MAIN EVENT

To encourage more people, the event organizer decided to enlist the help of celebrities to help them convince more people. Determine the time difference between when they arrived.


1. What is the time elapsed between Emelia and Emma?

## Time Elapsed:

2. What is the time elapsed between Julie and Emma?

## Time Elapsed:

3. What is the time elapsed between Emelia and Mike?

## Time Elapsed:

4. What is the elapsed time between Mike and Emma?

Happy Earth Hour, everyone! Let's celebrate this day by helping Mother Earth be better. Go Green, Reduce Reuse Recycle, and have fewer carbon footprints. Answer the questions below to help.

1. To go green, we can reduce our time using our appliances and electronic devices. A regular person often uses their phone for 3 hours and 15 minutes a day. If you use your phone by 7:30 am, what time should you stop using your phone?
2. To also help during Earth hour, you can work up a sweat. One very purposeful way to work up a sweat is to jog! If you start flying by 5:15 in the morning and you stop jogging by 11:00 AM, what is the time elapsed?


2 hours \&
14 minutes
3. Let us reduce, reuse, and recycle. After using a glass jar, you can reuse it again after cleaning and sanitizing it. If you sanitize it by noon, it requires you to sit 4 hours and 15 minutes to completely dry. What time can you use it again?


## ANSWER GUIDE

## Activity 1

1. 9 hours 2.7 hours

## Activity 3

1. 6 hours 30 minutes
2. 8 hours
3. 9 hours 30 minutes

## Activity 5

1. $8: 00 \mathrm{AM}-9: 00 \mathrm{AM}$
2. 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM
3. $7: 00$ AM - $9: 30 \mathrm{AM}$

## Activity 7

1. 11:45 2. $1: 15$
2. $1: 35$

## Activity 9

1. 1 hour 52 minutes
2. 1 hour 7 minutes
3. 57 minutes
4. 55 minutes

## Activity 2

1. 6 hours 30 minutes
2. 3 hours 3.9 hours

## Activity 4

1. 12 hours 2. 10:30AM
2. 9:00 AM 4.12 hrs 30 mins
3. 12:00 PM

## Activity 6

1. 2 hrs 58 minutes, BLUE
2. 3 hrs 4 minutes, GREEN
3. $4 \mathrm{hrs}, \mathrm{BROWN}$
4. 3 hrs 22 minutes, ORANGE
5. 5 hrs 19 minutes, DARK BLUE

## Activity 8

1. 10 minutes
2. 15 minutes
3. 25 minutes
4. 40 minutes
5. 15 minutes

## Activity 10

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