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- 1) Paul was invited to a birthday party that ended at 6:45. If it lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes what time did the party start?
- 2) Carol was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 7:55 and had spent 3 hours and 30 minutes cooking, what time did they start?
- 3) Maria got out of the movie theater at 4:45. If the movie was 3 hours and 45 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 4) Will spent 1 hour and 20 minutes working on homework. If it was 3:30 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Kaleb spent 3 hours and 20 minutes playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 4:25, what time did he originally start playing?
- 6) Vanessa spent 2 hours and 55 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 6:00, what time did she start cleaning?
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- 9) Emily took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 20 minutes. If Emily arrived at 6:35, what time did her train leave?
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