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Answers

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- 2) Edward was reading a book for 1 hour and 5 minutes. If it was 6:40 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 3) Paul's father spent 2 hours and 30 minutes working on his truck. If it was 6:05 when he stopped working, what time was it when he originally started?
- 4) Faye got out of the movie theater at 2:40. If the movie was 1 hour long, what time did it start?
- 5) The school football game ended at 5:50. If the game lasted 1 hour and 5 minutes, what time did it start?
- 6) Lana spent 2 hours and 40 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 8:50, what time did she start cleaning?
- 7) Tiffany finished watching TV at 8:50. If she had been watching it for 3 hours and 45 minutes, what time was it when she started?
- 8) Bianca took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 3 hours and 35 minutes. If Bianca arrived at 7:25, what time did her train leave?
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2. 5:35
3. 3:35
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