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- 2) Rachel took a train from her house to the state capitol. The train ride lasted 1 hour and 45 minutes. If Rachel arrived at 7:50, what time did her train leave?
- 3) It takes 3 hours and 15 minutes to get from Nancy's house to her aunt's house. If she arrives at her aunt's house at 5:30 what time did Nancy leave her house?
- 4) Paige spent 1 hour and 20 minutes cleaning her room. If she finished at 2:55, what time did she start cleaning?
- 5) Tom was invited to a birthday party that ended at 8:50. If it lasted 3 hours and 50 minutes what time did the party start?
- 6) Mike took a nap for 1 hour and 55 minutes. If he woke up at 3:00, what time was it when he started his nap?
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- 8) Haley spent 2 hours and 5 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 9:00 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
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