

**Determine the starting time for each problem.****Answers**

- 1) Carol spent 2 hours and 50 minutes cleaning her room. If it was 8:50 when she finished, what time was it when she started?
- 2) Rachel went to the town carnival. She ended up staying for 2 hours and 35 minutes. If Rachel left the carnival at 4:30, what time did she originally get there?
- 3) The school football game ended at 5:25. If the game lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes, what time did it start?
- 4) Adam spent 1 hour and 5 minutes working on homework. If it was 5:50 when he finished, what time was it when he started?
- 5) Luke was reading a book for 1 hour and 25 minutes. If it was 4:05 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading?
- 6) Kaleb spent 2 hours playing video games. If he stopped to eat dinner at 7:30, what time did he originally start playing?
- 7) Henry was invited to a birthday party that ended at 10:35. If it lasted 3 hours and 45 minutes what time did the party start?
- 8) Emily got out of the movie theater at 6:30. If the movie was 2 hours and 55 minutes long, what time did it start?
- 9) Ned took a nap for 2 hours and 5 minutes. If he woke up at 4:40, what time was it when he started his nap?
- 10) Faye was helping her mom cook dinner. If they finished at 3:50 and had spent 1 hour and 45 minutes cooking, what time did they start?

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| 3) The school football game ended at 5:25. If the game lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes, what time did it start? | 3. 3:45 |
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| 5) Luke was reading a book for 1 hour and 25 minutes. If it was 4:05 when he finally finished the book, what time was it when he started reading? | 5. 2:40 |
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Finding Starting Time

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