

SCENE 21 • WORDS

Id-disgħa nieqes ħamsa

Five to nine

4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

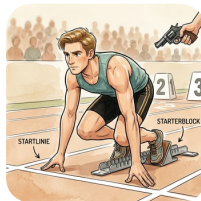
The first week at work

Maltese

Read & listen online



tard
late



jibda
start



kwart
quarter



raġel
man



kollega
colleague



skrivanija
desk



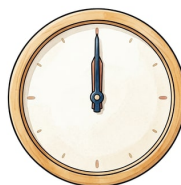
kompjuter
computer



imejl
email



indirizz
address



siegħa
hour (sixty
minutes)



minuta
minute



griz
grey

Words

tard

late

Tard? Imma issa d-disgħa nieqes ħamsa!

jibda

start

Ix-xogħol jibda fid-disgħa. Jien inkun hawn fid-disgħa nieqes kwart. Kull ġurnata.

kwart

quarter

Fid-disgħa nieqes kwart? Kull ġurnata?

raġel

man

Stenna ftit... Jien naf lilek! Int ir-raġel tal-kafetterija, tal-mejda tlieta. Te bla zokkor!

kollega

colleague

U int il-kollega l-ġdida tiegħi. Min-numru sebgħa, mid-dar tal-qattus.

skrivanija

desk

L-ewwel: din l-iskrivanija tiegħek, bil-kompjuter, ħdejn it-tieqa. U l-iskrivanija tiegħi ħdejn tiegħek.

kompjuter

computer

L-ewwel: din l-iskrivanija tiegħek, bil-kompjuter, ħdejn it-tieqa. U l-iskrivanija tiegħi ħdejn tiegħek.

imejl

email

It-tieni: l-imejl. Il-kunjom tiegħek, ittra b'ittra, jekk jogħġbok.

indirizz

address

Tajjeb. Hawn hu l-indirizz il-ġdid tiegħek.

sa

until

U sa x'hin naħdmu?

siegħa

hour (sixty minutes)

Tmien sigħat u tletin minuta.

minuta

minute

Tmien sigħat u tletin minuta.

griż

grey

X'inhu dan? Xagħra griża... Din xagħra ta' qattus?

metru

metre

Tajjeb. Metru wieħed.

VOCABULARY & COMMUNICATION**W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?**

What does it mean?

1 sa

- ☐ A quarter
- ☐ B only
- ☐ C until

2 kompjuter

- ☐ A computer
- ☐ B surname
- ☐ C April

3 jibda

- ☐ A start
- ☐ B grandfather
- ☐ C window

4 tard

- ☐ A late
- ☐ B far
- ☐ C evening

5 imejl

- ☐ A zero
- ☐ B people
- ☐ C email

6 metru

- ☐ A metre
- ☐ B on
- ☐ C July

W2) THE FIRST MORNING

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

siegħa tard jum

Bonġu. L-ewwel _____, u int diġà _____.

Meaning: Good morning. Your first day, and you're already late.

jibda kwart minuta

Ix-xogħol _____ fid-disgħa. Jien inkun hawn fid-disgħa
nieqes _____.

Meaning: Work starts at nine. I'm here at a quarter to nine.

metru kompjuter iskrivanija

Din l-_____ tiegħek, bil-_____, ħdejn it-tieqa.

Meaning: This is your desk, with the computer, by the window.

norqod naħdmu

U sa x'hin _____?

Meaning: And until what time do we work?

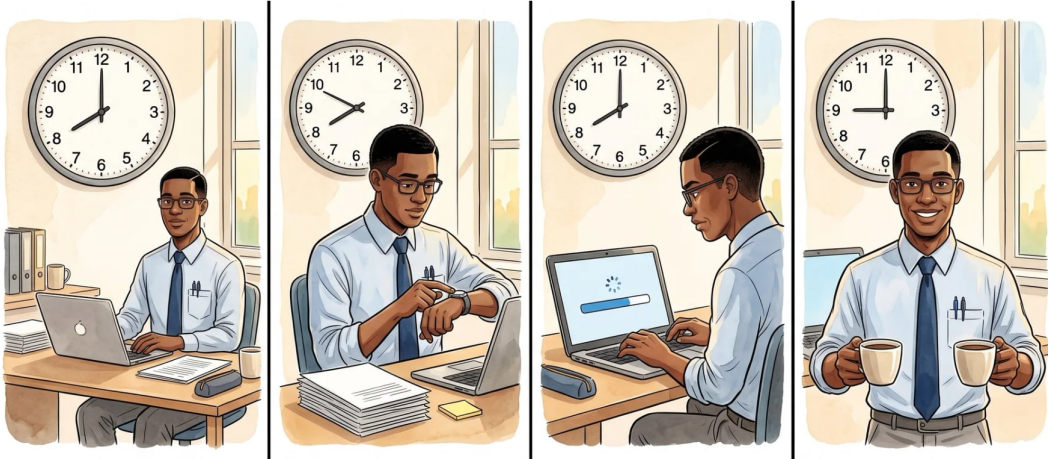
minuta sigħat minuti siegħa

Tmien _____ u tletin _____.

Meaning: Eight hours and thirty minutes.

W3) I'M NOT LATE!

Fill the speech bubbles.



nofs siegħa tard kwart ewwel tieni

Lena: Bonġu, Tonio! Issa d-disgħa nieqes għaxra. Jien mhux

_____!

Tonio: Tajjeb. Imma jien inkun hawn fid-disgħa nieqes _____.

Tonio: Il-kompjuter tiegħi jibda bil-mod ħafna. Għandu bżonn

_____.

Tonio: U issa d-disgħa. L-_____ xogħol: kafè!

Meaning: 1. Good morning, Tonio! It's ten to nine. I'm not late!

2. Good. But I'm here at a quarter to nine.

3. My computer starts up very slowly. It needs an hour.

4. And now it's nine. First job: coffee!

W4) NEW AT THE OFFICE

Match the pairs.

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|---------------|----------------------------------|
| ① kollega | Ⓐ a colleague (a man or a woman) |
| ② iskrivaniġa | Ⓑ a metre |
| ③ raġel | Ⓒ an email |
| ④ kompjuter | Ⓓ one single hair |
| ⑤ xagħra | Ⓔ a man |
| ⑥ metru | Ⓕ an address |
| ⑦ imejl | Ⓖ a computer |
| ⑧ indirizz | Ⓗ a desk |