

# TIME FLIES

The world is split up into areas known as 'time zones' that are mostly an hour apart. This map shows the time zones in parts of Europe, Africa and Asia. Each zone is one hour ahead of the zone to its west, and one hour behind the zone to its east. Use the key at the bottom of the pages to help you solve the puzzles.



The white lines show approximate borders between countries.

## What's the time?

If it's 8pm in Juba, what time is it in the places below? Find them on the map, then add minute and hour hands to each clock face.



Kiev

Astana



Nha Trang

Muscat



Bamako

Mumbai

Countries that are yellow are one hour ahead of countries that are orange.

TIME ZONE KEY:

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ASIA

EUROPE

AFRICA

If I take off from Karachi at 6pm and arrive in Seoul after an 11 hour flight, what time will it be in Seoul?

Where do Trans-Siberian trains go back in time by one time zone when they're going east?

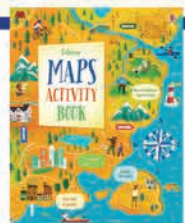
This track shows part of the route of the Trans-Siberian Railway. All the clocks at its stations in Russia are set to the time in Moscow, even if they're in different time zones.

My train just pulled up in the Russian city of Irkutsk, where the station clock shows 8pm. A hotel nearby doesn't accept new guests past 11pm (Irkutsk time). Will I be able to spend the night there?

YES/NO

My flight from Marrakesh to Juba takes off at 11am and lasts 7 hours. What time will it be in Juba when I land?

Countries with stripes are in their own separate time zones. For instance, Mumbai is only half an hour ahead of Karachi.



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What's the time?  
Kiev - 7pm, Astana - 11pm, Nha Trang - Midnight.  
Muscat - 8pm, Bamako - 5pm, Mumbai - 10:30pm.  
The flight from Marrakesh to Juba lands at 9pm.  
No, it's too late for the passenger to stay in the hotel, because it's 11pm in Irkutsk.

