

## The Time in Spanish - El Tiempo en Español

You will, no doubt, notice that time in Spanish is el tiempo. Weather is also el tiempo. You just have to know what you are talking about at any given time. Confusing!

a watch - **el reloj**, A second - **un segundo**, a minute - **un minuto**, an hour - **un hora**, a day - **un día**  
a week - **la semana**, a month - **un mes**, a year - **un año**,  
the seasons - **las estaciones del año**, the holidays - **las vacaciones**,  
Christmas - **Navidad**, Easter - **Pascua**,  
morning - **la mañana**, noon - **el medio de día**, afternoon - **la tarde**, evening - **la tarde or la noche**, (depending upon the actual time.) Midnight - **la media noche**.  
What time is it? - **¿qué hora es?**

**Badgers come out in the evening, when the sun is going down. Sometimes, they can be seen in the afternoon, if they don't have much disturbance. In areas of disturbance, they might not come out until it is really dark.**

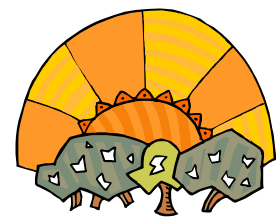


**During the daytime, they lie up in their setts.**



the sunset - **puesta del sol**,  
sunrise - **salida del sol**,  
twilight - **crepúsculo**

**The best time to watch for badgers is el crepúsculo. The moon will help you to see what is happening. the moon - la luna. Try to be at the sett early. Trate de estar en el sett temprano. early - temprano. Don't be late! - No llegues tarde! Don't arrive at the last minute! - No llegan en el último minuto!**



**We say that badgers are 'crepuscular'. Can you find the meaning of crepuscular on this sheet?**



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