

Wake up early



Munna was a small boy and always woke up late. In the morning, his mother would try to wake him up, but he would keep sleeping.

Because he woke up late, he never had the time to say the Navkar Mantra. He ate his breakfast late and was late for school too!



His teacher and parents always said, "Munna is always late!". Even his sister, who is always on time and never late, also said, "Munna is always late!"



One day, Munna went to bed late. He was unhappy that day because his teacher and father had scolded him for being late. So, he was sad when he went to sleep. Suddenly, he heard a loud noise. Ding dong, ding dong it went.



Munna woke up startled, and in the corner, saw a big clock. It looked angry and boomed in a loud voice.

Are you Munna, the one who is always late?



Munna was very scared, so he tried to run away, but the clock's big and small hand caught him.

It asked him again,

Are you Munna, the one who is always late?

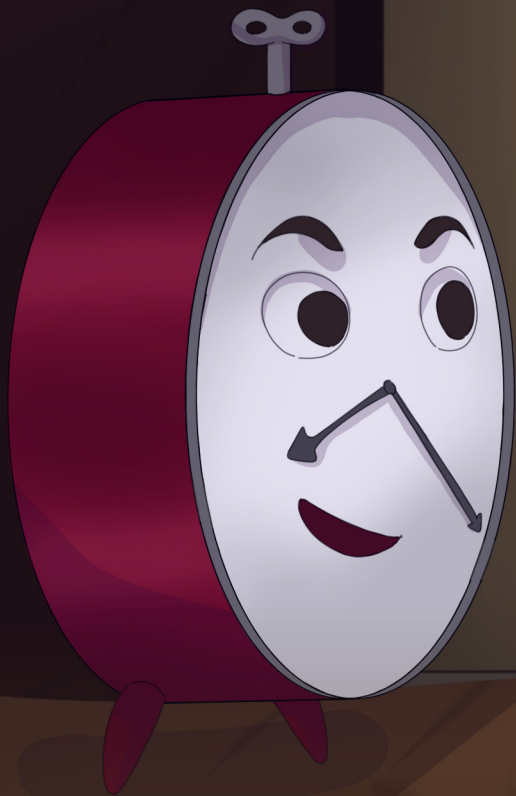
This time, Munna said yes. With a sad and red face, Munna said,

I am always late, please tell me what I should do?



The clock laughed so loudly.
Then it said,

Well, there is a way, all you
have to do is wake up on time
and go to bed on time, and
you will find that the rest of
the day will go just fine!



The two hands of the clock let go of Munna,
and he crawled back to bed.

The next day Munna got up as soon as his mother called him, said his prayers on time, got dressed up, and ate his breakfast. He was ready with his sister, and they both left for school together.



Munna was on time for school. His teacher was so happy, "Munna," he said,



You are on time today!

From that day, Munna was always on time. Nowadays, whenever anyone sees Munna, they say, "There goes Munna, who is always on time."