

Unit 1: Number Skills Day 1

Math 9 Principles

1-1: I can identify numbers on a number line, compare positive and negative numbers, and evaluate absolute values.

Place a $<$, $>$, or $=$ sign between each:

1) -3 _____ $|5|$

2) $|6 - 2|$ _____ $-4|$

3) 9 _____ $|-4|$

4) $-|-8|$ _____ $-3|$

5) $|-6|$ _____ $|-8|$

6) -7 _____ $|-9|$

7) $|-3|$ _____ $|-1|$

8) $|-10|$ _____ -7

9) $|3 - 5|$ _____ $|0|$

10) $|9 - 12|$ _____ $|15 - 13|$

11) -3 _____ $|5 - 10|$

12) $|13 - 20|$ _____ 4

Evaluate each absolute value expression

(Show all work: rewrite each first without the absolute value symbols)

13) $|-1| + 8$

14) $|-10| - 3$

15) $|-3| + |-9|$

16) $6 - |-2|$

17) $|-7| - |-2|$

18) $8 + |-3|$

19) $|-2| + |-5|$

20) $|-3| - |-9|$

21) $|-4| + 8$

22) $|-3| - 2 + |-4|$

23) $-5 + |9 - 2|$

24) $|-3 + 5| - |-2|$

25) $-10 + |3 - 7|$

26) $-10 - |3 - 7|$

27) $|5| - |-7|$

28) $|-9 + 3| - |10 - 9|$

Complete the following:

- 29) Graph the following numbers on a number line: 5, 0, -6, 2, -3, 4
- 30) Rearrange the following integers from least to greatest: -4, 8, 12, -10, 0
- 31) Rearrange the following integers from greatest to least: -9, 10, -5, 0, 3, 6, -1
- 32) Rearrange the following integers from greatest to least: -9, -18, 3, 15, -2
- 33) Evaluate the expression $|x + y| + |z|$ when $x = -2$, $y = 4$, and $z = -5$.
- 34) Evaluate the expression $|a| - |b - c|$ when $a = 6$, $b = 10$, and $c = -8$.
- 35) Evaluate the expression $a - |b - c|$ when $a = 4$, $b = -5$, and $c = 6$.
- 36) Evaluate the expression $|x - y| + |x - z|$ when $x = 0$, $y = 4$, and $z = -3$.