MATH · COMPARING NUMBERS

Greater than, less than, equal to

greater than

>

8 > 3

Say it: 8 is greater than 3.

less than

<

2 < 6

Say it: 2 is less than 6.

equal to

=

5 = 5

Say it: 5 is equal to 5.

Tip: the open side of the sign always faces the bigger number, like a hungry fish that wants the bigger group. The point faces the smaller number.

Scan for more free practice