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   A. 8,654
   B. 6,548
   C. 4,658
   D. 4,568

2. Which number is between 8,209 and 9,003?

| 8,209 | | 9,003 |

   A. 8,041
   B. 8,207
   C. 8,501
   D. 9,010

3. Which set of numbers is listed from greatest to least?

   A. 5,107, 5,190, 6,981, 7,805
   B. 7,805, 6,981, 5,190, 5,107
   C. 7,805, 6,981, 5,107, 5,190
   D. 6,981, 7,805, 5,190, 5,107

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B. Nile
C. Amazon
D. Chang Jiang (Yangtze)

5. Which set of numbers is listed from least to greatest?

A. 4,832, 4,801, 3,172, 3,049
B. 3,049, 3,172, 4,801, 4,832
C. 3,049, 3,172, 4,832, 4,801
D. 4,801, 4,832, 3,172, 3,049

6. Jorge helped his team raise $1,452 for a local charity. Marissa helped her team raise $1,509. Which of the following compares the amounts collected correctly?

A. $1,452 < $1,509
B. $1,452 > $1,509
C. $1,509 < $1,452
D. $1,509 = $1,452

7. The table below shows the number of miles traveled by Julie each summer while on vacation with her family. One summer she traveled between 1,043 and 1,065 miles. Which vacation shows a mileage between these two numbers?

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8. Mr. Chavez wrote the following statement on the board. He asked each student to write a number for the box that would make the statement true. Only 1 of the four students he called on had a correct answer. Their numbers are written below. Which number goes in the box to correctly compare the numbers?

3,508 < ☐

A. 3,005
B. 3,450
C. 3,504
D. 3,510

9. Jamie read two thousand, four hundred seventeen pages last summer.
    Which number listed below is greater than this number?

    A. 2,399
    B. 2,420
    C. 2,417
    D. 1,879

10. Which number is less than 5,048?

    A. 6,001
    B. 5,400
    C. 5,053
    D. 5,045

11. Mark has 725 white pages left to use with the laser printer and 694 pages
    of blue cardstock left. Which of the following comparisons is true?

    A. 725 < 694
    B. 725 > 694
    C. 694 > 725
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12. Which set of numbers is listed from greatest to least?

    A. 9,142, 9,205, 9,283, 9,374
    B. 9,374, 9,283, 9,205, 9,142
    C. 9,205, 9,142, 9,283, 9,374
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    each day. She keeps a count of the number of worksheets she copies
    each month and turns it into the principal. Last month she copied 2,480
    math worksheets and 2,097 reading worksheets for third grade. Which of
    the following compares the math and reading worksheets correctly?

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14. Jessica has math homework every night in Mrs. Miller's class. Tonight she will be reviewing for a math test. One of her review questions asked her to write a number that is greater than 8,507 and less than 8,650. Which of the following could be a number that comes between 8,507 and 8,650?

  A. 8,505
  B. 8,642
  C. 8,653
  D. 8,498

15. David is reading about the local zoo before he visits with his family on Saturday. The zoo has over 4,500 animals living there. Which of the following is a number that is less than 4,500?

  A. 4,504
  B. 4,510
  C. 4,488
  D. 5,003

16. Julie stayed after school one day to help her teacher in the classroom. Mrs. Mason asked Julie to write the following numbers in order from least to greatest on one of her sentence strips. Julie was given the following numbers: 807, 729, 834, and 738. Which of the following has the numbers correctly written from least to greatest?

  A. 729, 738, 834, 807
  B. 738, 807, 729, 834
  C. 834, 807, 738, 729
  D. 729, 738, 807, 834

17. Which number is between 9,045 and 9,307?

  | 9,045 | | 9,307 |

  A. 9,039
  B. 9,105
  C. 9,370
  D. 9,408

18. Because Carmen is on a diet, she uses a calorie counter book to find the number of calories for the foods she eats each day. The local sandwich shop has 4 sandwiches that she likes. These are listed in the table below. Which sandwich has the least amount of calories?

Martin's Sandwich Shop	
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19. Which set of numbers is listed from greatest to least?

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20. Cathy's grandmother lives 1,075 miles from her. Her other grandmother lives 985 miles away from her. Which of the following comparisons is true?

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        A. 8,095
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        A. 6,047
        B. 6,091
        C. 7,054
        D. 7,126

24. Sam played 325 minutes of computer games last week and Dave played
    331 minutes of computer games last week. Which of the following
    comparisons is true?

        A. 325 = 331
        B. 325 > 331
        C. 325 < 331
        D. 331< 325

25. Which number is less than 4,084?

        A. 4,185
        B. 4,192
        C. 4,026
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3. B

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