

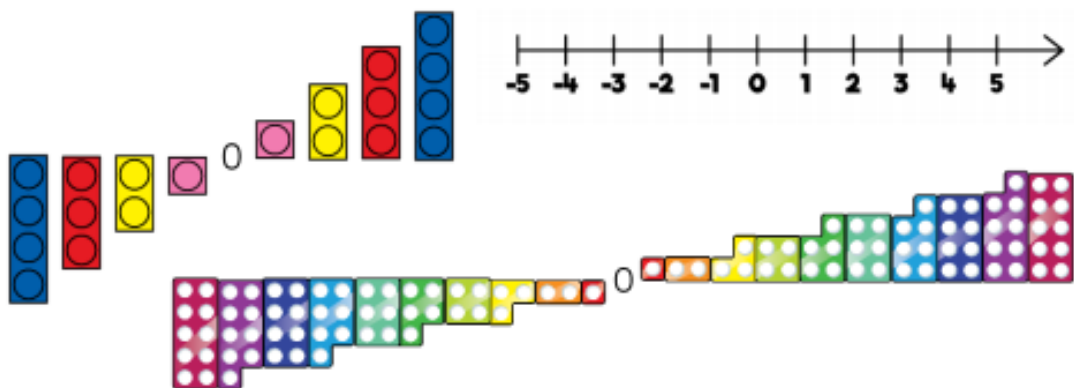
Monday Activity: Negative Numbers

When answering the questions, please use key maths vocabulary:



negative	positive	increase (value goes up)	decrease (value does down)
zero	estimate	number line	temperature

- 1) Looking at three different representations of negative numbers below, what is similar and what is different about each?



- 2) Copy, estimate and label where 0, -12 and -20 will be on this number line:



- 3) Read this word problem carefully and show the difference in room temperatures by using a number line:

Whitney visits a zoo.

The rainforest room has a temperature of 32°C

The Arctic room has a temperature of -24°C

Extension:

1) Each statement below is either true or false. Copy out each statement, then answer 'true' or 'false' giving an explanation how you know.

- The temperature outside is -5 degrees, the temperature inside is 25 degrees.
The difference is 20 degrees.
- Four less than negative six is negative two.
- 15 more than -2 is 13

2) Answer each question below (you may wish to use a number line to help you), then list the answers from the smallest value to the largest.

- The difference between -24 and -76
- The even number that is less than -18 but greater than -22
- The number that is half way between 40 and -50
- The difference between -6 and 7