

Name _____

Comparing Integers

For 1 through 16, write $>$, $<$, or $=$ for each. Use a number line to help.

1. -2 _____ $+1$ 2. -11 _____ $+9$ 3. -7 _____ $+8$ 4. -19 _____ -17

5. $+7$ _____ -8 6. -1 _____ -21 7. -13 _____ $+18$ 8. -19 _____ $+19$

9. $+8$ _____ -13 10. -2 _____ -1 11. $+11$ _____ -2 12. -7 _____ $+9$

13. -9 _____ -12 14. -4 _____ -3 15. -6 _____ $+3$ 16. -8 _____ -7

17. Sonya owes Mark \$5.00. Clair owes Mark \$4.00.
Who owes Mark more money? _____

18. Fred is 18 feet away from school. Christina is 20
feet away from school. Who is closer to the school? _____

19. Sarah is swimming. She is at 2 feet below sea level.
Her friend Lucy is 4 feet below sea level. Who is the
most below sea level? _____

20. Kevin owes Irving \$30.00. Which integer shows how much Kevin is in debt?

A -70

C $+30$

B -30

D $+70$

21. **Writing to Explain** Dylan says that when comparing numbers the number closest to zero on a number line is always the smallest. Is he correct?

