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Subject: Mathematics

Topic : Comparing Numbers using the Greater than > Lesser than < and Equal to = signs

Points to remember:

*Count the number of digit in each number. The number with more digits is the greater.Example 203 (3 digits) > 99 (2 digits)
*If both the numbers have equal number of digits then compare the first digit to the left. If the digit is greater the number is greater . Example 462 > 362
* If the first digits are equal then compare the next digits of the two numbers. If the digit is greater, the number is greater.Example   213 < 232
*If all the digits in the two numbers are equal , then the numbers are equal. Example 458 = 458

A.Put the correct sign < > =

1.   9 > 5

2.   7 < 9

3.   2 > 1

4.   8 > 4

5.   3 > 2

6.   5 < 6

7.   1 <   8

8.   7 =   7

9.   2 <   9

10.   4 >   3

B. Put the correct sign < > =

1.   23 <   26

2.   38   < 82

3.   46   < 48

4.   66   = 66

5.   77   <   97

6.   51 > 11

7.   14 = 14

8.   20 > 19

9.   81 < 82

10.   90 = 90

C. Put the correct sign < > =

1. 232 = 232

2. 345 < 453

3. 447 < 448

4. 398 > 388

5. 101 > 100

6. 500 = 500

7. 119 > 118

8. 255 < 257

9. 408 > 406

10. 362 > 263

D. Put the correct sign < > =

1.   8 > 7

2.   22 < 33

3.   45 > 42

4.   2 = 2

5.   45 < 454

6.   201 = 201

7.   399 > 393

8.   423 > 43

9.   76 > 67

10.   4 < 6

E. Put the correct sign < > =

1. 234 > 56

2. 27 < 122

3. 345 > 87

4. 98 < 492

5. 404 > 44

6. 88 < 288

7. 333 > 28

8. 488 > 66

9. 77 < 106

10. 418 > 81

Do all these exercise in the maths exercise book