

# R35076 Number Dolls



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Explore early numeracy with these adorable plush dolls! Number Dolls from 0-9 have cute facial expressions, and increase in size from 3½" (9 cm) to 6¼" (16 cm) high.

We have included 7 hook and loop math signs: addition, subtraction, multiplication, equals, greater than and less than. Challenge students to stand up their favorite numbers and create mathematical equations! To represent value, we have incrementally increased the size of the dolls from zero being the smallest number, to 9, the biggest number.

The dolls stand up on their own! We have chosen specific colors so students can represent the visible spectrum of light by lining up their dolls from zero, black (the absence of all light) through red, orange, yellow, green, blue and purple to white (the presence of all the colors).

Each number loves to "hold hands" with their friends. One hand of each doll has hook material and the other hand has loop material. Stick the hook hand of one doll to the loop hand of another doll to join them. Place the math signs directly onto the hands to create equations. These versatile dolls are perfect for lots of different ages and competencies. Practice early numeracy by sequencing the numbers and using the < and > signs to demonstrate an understanding of relative value. Older students can create and solve colorful equations.

Make addition and subtraction visible! The different sized dolls helps make concrete the abstract idea of value changes. 8 minus 1 clearly conveys that only a small amount of value is being lost from the 8. Conversely, two large numbers like 7 and 9 denote two large values that need two number dolls to create the answer! Buy a second set of dolls to create an incredible range of fun math activities, equations and counting games.

