

### NUMERACY

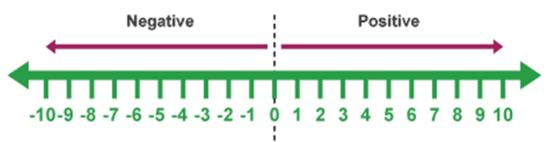


## Integers

Integers are whole numbers, but they also include negative numbers and zero e.g. -2, -1, 0, 1, 2

# Hints

When adding and subtracting with integers you should consider a number line and the direction you must move.



When we multiply or divide two numbers the following rules apply.

- ✓ With the same sign, the result is positive
- ✓ With opposite signs, the result is negative

### Examples

#### Adding and/or Subtracting Positive/Negative Integers

- 4 + 3 means start at 4 and move (+) 3 places up the number line to 7
- 4 + (- 3) means start at 4 and move (-) 3 places down the number line to 1
- -5 9 means start at -5 and move (-) 9 places down to -14
- -5 (-4) means start at -5 and move (+) 4 places up to -1

#### Multiplying and/or Dividing Positive/Negative Integers

- $-5 \times (-9) = 45$   $-50 \div (-5) = 10$ 
  - $8 \times (-7) = -56$   $30 \div (-6) = -5$