$\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$

## Introduction to Inequalities Class Work

You will be able to... explain and graph simple inequalities, and discover a special property related to inequalities

## Do Now:

Write a phrase, draw a symbol, or draw a picture to describe what each term means to you. Less than:

Greater than:

Less than or equal to:
Greater than or equal to:

|  | Symbol | Graph | Numerical Example | Algebraic Example |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Less Than |  |  |  |  |
| Less Than or <br> Equal to |  |  |  |  |
| Greater Than |  |  |  |  |
| Greater Than <br> or Equal to |  |  |  |  |

a. $3<y$
b. $x<-8$
C. $z>9$
d. $x \geq-7$
e. $k \leq-3$
f. $2>r$
f. The cost of a new record player is at least \$99.
g. The temperature has not yet reached 70 degrees Fahrenheit.
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## \& Let's Discover A Cool Property About Inequalities!

$\star$ A. Choose any two positive numbers.
Place them on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers .

$$
1^{\text {st } \#} \quad 2^{\text {nd }} \#
$$

Multiply each number by negative 1.

Place the new numbers on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.

## $-1 * 1^{\text {st }}$ \#

$\star$ C. Choose any two negative numbers.
Place them on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
$2^{\text {nd }} \#$
Multiply each number by negative 1 .

Place the new numbers on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
$-1^{*} 1^{\text {st }}$ \#
$-1{ }^{* 2 n d} \#$
$\star$ B. Choose any two positive numbers.
Place them on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
 $2^{\text {nd }} \#$

Divide each number by negative 1 .

Place the new numbers on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
$1^{\text {st } \# /-1} \quad 2^{\text {nd } \# /-1}$
$\star$ D. Choose any two negative numbers.
Place them on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
$1^{\text {st }} \#$
$2^{\text {nd }} \#$
Divide each number by negative 1 .

Place the new numbers on the number line.

Write an inequality relating the numbers.
$1^{\text {st }}$ \# / - 1
$2^{\text {nd }} \# /-1$

| $\star E$. Choose a positive \& a negative number. Place them on the number line. | $\star$ F. Choose a positive \& a negative number. Place them on the number line. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Write an inequality relating the numbers. | Write an inequality relating the numbers. |
| $1{ }^{\text {st }}$ \# $\quad 2^{\text {nd }} \#$ | $1{ }^{\text {st }}$ \# $\quad 2^{\text {nd }} \#$ |
| Multiply each number by negative 1 . | Divide each number by negative 1 . |
| Place the new numbers on the number line. | Place the new numbers on the number line. |
| Write an inequality relating the numbers. | Write an inequality relating the numbers. |
| -1* $1^{\text {st }} \# \quad-1$ * ${ }^{\text {nd }} \#$ | $1^{\text {st }} \# /-1 \quad 2^{\text {nd }} \# /-1$ |
| * $G$. Choose any number and 0 . Place them on the number line. | $\star H$. Choose any number and 0 . Place them on the number line. |
| Write an inequality relating the numbers. | Write an inequality relating the numbers. |
|  | $1^{\text {st }} \# \quad 2^{\text {nd }} \#$ |
| Multiply each number by negative 1. | Divide each number by negative 1. |
| Place the new numbers on the number line. | Place the new numbers on the number line. |
| Write an inequality relating the numbers. | Write an inequality relating the numbers. |
| $-1 * 1{ }^{\text {st }}$ \# -1* ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | $1^{\text {st }} \# /-1 \quad 2 \quad 2^{\text {nd }} \# /-1$ |

In each case, what happened when you multiplied or divided the numbers by a negative number?
What special rule can you create for solving inequalities?

## Be Creative!

If you could use any song, movie, or TV show title to describe inequalities, what would it be \& why?!

