

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING INTEGERS

Example: Start at 5

	BALLOONS AND WEIGHTS	EXAMPLE W/ MATH SYMBOLS	I NOTICE THAT...
	Add balloons	$5 + 3 = 8$	Adding a positive # is the same as taking away negative number.
	Take away weights	$5 - -3 = 8$	
	Take away balloons	$5 - 3 = 2$	Adding a negative # is the same as taking away a positive #.
	Add weights	$5 + -3 = 2$	

$-2 = 4 + -6$	$= 4 - 6 = -2$
$6 = -2 + 8$	$= -2 - -8 = 6$
$6 - -7$	$= 6 + 7 = 13$
$-5 - 3$	$= -5 + -3 = -8$