

Games for Your Brain

Hysterical Numericals!



These are mind-boggling games for YOUR brain, if you're up to the challenge. Why are these so confusing? Because here is ZERO worth more than ONE!

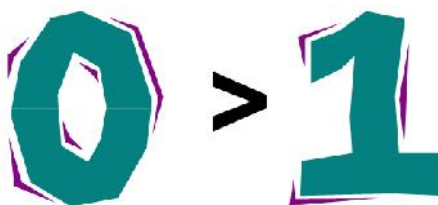
Use the chart at the right to find the value of the CAPITALIZED words below. Add the value of each letter to get the total worth of each word.

A	\$1
B	\$2
C	\$3
D	\$4
E	\$5
F	\$6
G	\$7
H	\$8
I	\$9
J	\$10
K	\$11
L	\$12
M	\$13
N	\$14
O	\$15
P	\$16
Q	\$17
R	\$18
S	\$19
T	\$20
U	\$21
V	\$22
W	\$23
X	\$24
Y	\$25
Z	\$26

For example,

$$\text{ONE} = 15 + 14 + 5 = \$34$$

$$\text{ZERO} = 26 + 5 + 18 + 15 = \$64$$



Your Turn!

1. What is the value of SIX?
2. Put these numbers in order from least to greatest worth.
TWO, THREE, FOUR
3. Put these numbers in order from least to greatest worth.
EIGHT, NINE, TEN

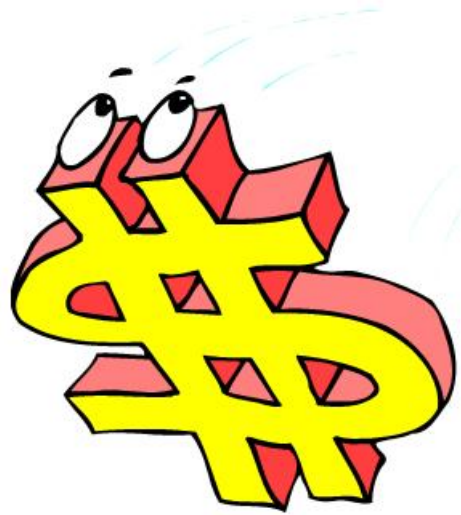


Finish spelling these numbers.

4. $_ + _ + _ + T + Y = \$84$

5. $_ + _ + _ + _ + T + Y = \87

6. What's the difference between EIGHTY and ELEVEN?



Biggest Challenges

7. Find two numbers worth between \$90 and \$100.

8. Find two numbers that are worth more than \$100.

9. Find a number that's worth exactly \$100.

10. Find two numbers that are both worth exactly \$87.



Answers

1. \$52
2. THREE (\$56), TWO (\$58), FOUR (\$60)
3. TEN (\$39), NINE (\$42), EIGHT (\$49)
4. FORTY
5. NINETY
6. EIGHTY (\$74) – ELEVEN (\$63) = \$11
7. Possible answers include SIXTY (\$97), THIRTEEN (\$99), SIXTEEN (\$96).
8. Possible answers include SEVENTY (\$110), TWENTY (\$107), and FOURTEEN (\$104).
9. THIRTY
10. NINETY and TWELVE

