

## **HOKEY-POKEY: Choose the $>$ , $<$ , or $=$ Sign**

This song uses the placement of numbers on a number line.

### **If the comparison is less than:**

I choose the less than sign,  
I choose the less than sign,  
I choose the less than sign,  
because I know how to count.

The first number is smaller,  
it comes before the other,  
it's less than without a doubt!

### **If the comparison is greater than:**

I choose the greater than sign,  
I choose the greater than sign,  
I choose the greater than sign,  
because I know how to count.

The first number is bigger,  
it comes after the other,  
it's greater than without a doubt!

### **If the comparison is equal to:**

I choose the equal sign,  
I choose the equal sign,  
I choose the equal sign,  
because I know how to count.

The two numbers are equal,  
they share the same position,  
they're equal without a doubt!