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Mathematics: Concept of Numbers

Topic: Ordering Whole Numbers- NOTES

When we order numbers, this means that we are arranging or putting the set of numbers in order.

There are **two ways** in which we order numbers.
We can order numbers in **ascending order** and **descending** order.

1. **ascending order** - means to put a set or group of numbers in order from **least to greatest (smallest to biggest)**.
For example:
Arrange (or put) the group of numbers in **ascending order** .
a) 23, 74, 18, 61
Correct- 18, 23, 61, 74

b) 187, 178, 171, 181-
Correct- 171, 178, 181, 187

c) 8289, 4719, 6354, 1690
Correct- 1690, 4719, 6354, 8289

2. descending order - means to put a set or group of numbers in order from **greatest to least (biggest to smallest)**.

For example:
Arrange (or put) the group of numbers in **descending order** .

a) 51, 50, 58, 54
Correct- 58, 54, 51, 50

b) 824, 481, 965, 731
Correct- 481, 731, 824, 965

c) 3076, 4 589, 2736, 6295
Correct- 6295, 4589, 3076, 2736

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