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Dictionaries

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- Useful for data associations
- Does not serialize
 (Cannot configure in Inspector)
- Not very flexible
- Easy to find specific elements

```
// Dictionary
public Dictionary<int, string> numberedStringDictionary;

private void Start()
{
    numberedStringDictionary.Add(0, "text");
    numberedStringDictionary.Add(3, "another text");
    numberedStringDictionary.Add(25, "yet another text");

    if(numberedStringDictionary.TryGetValue(3, out string result))
    {
        Debug.Log(result); //: "another text"
    }
}
```