# Relational operators

These operators allow you to test the relation between 2 values and returns a boolean . JavaScript unlike other languages allows you to compare any type with any other type!

#### Greater than and greater than equal to

The **greater than** operator > allows you to check if one value is greater than the other. It returns true if the first value is greater than the second and false if the second value is greater.

#### Example:

```
20 > 10
10 > 20
10 > 10
```

#### Output:

```
true
false
false
```

The **greater than equal to operator** >= also checks if the second value could be equal to the first value.

```
10 > 10
10 >= 10
```

## Output:

```
false true
```

## Lesser than and lesser than equal to

The **lesser than** operator > allows you to check if one value is lesser than the other. It returns false if the first value is greater than the second and true if the second value is greater.

#### Example:

```
20 < 10
10 < 20
10 < 10
```

### Output:

```
false
true
false
```

The **lesser than equal to operator** <= also checks if the second value could be equal to the first value.

```
10 < 10
10 <= 10
```

#### Output:

```
false
true
```

## **Comparison Operators**

## **Equality**

The **equality** operator == lets you test if two values are equal or not. It accepts 2 inputs of any type and outputs true if they are equal and false if the are not equal.

#### Example:

```
1 == 1
1 == 2
"Masai" == "Masai"
"Masai" == "masai"
```

#### Output:

```
true
false
true
false
```

## **Inequality Operator**

The **inequality** operator != performs the opposite function of the equality operator. It accepts 2 inputs of any type and outputs false if they are equal and true if the are not equal.

## Example:

```
1 != 1
1 != 2
"Masai" != "Masai"
"Masai" != "masai"

1 != '1' // false
1 !== '1' // true
```

Similar to === , !== will check for type as well.

It is recommended to use === and !== when it comes to comparison operators

## Output:

```
false true
```

false

true