

Less Than



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Focus Question

How do you know which number is less?



Who has fewer fish?

Count the fish to find the numbers.

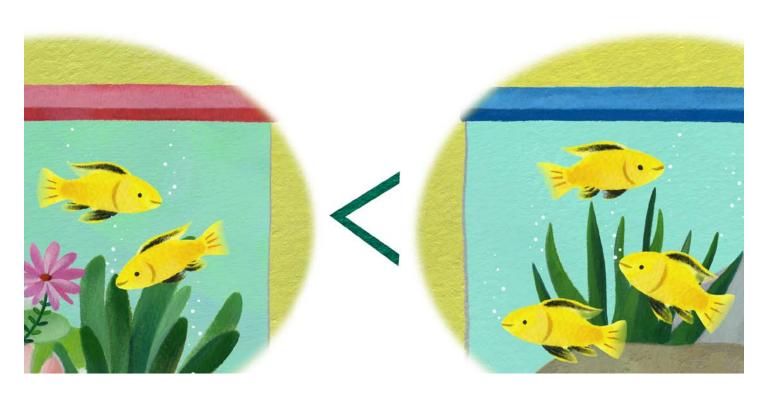
Compare the numbers to find which is less.



Sam has three yellow fish.



Sara has two yellow fish.



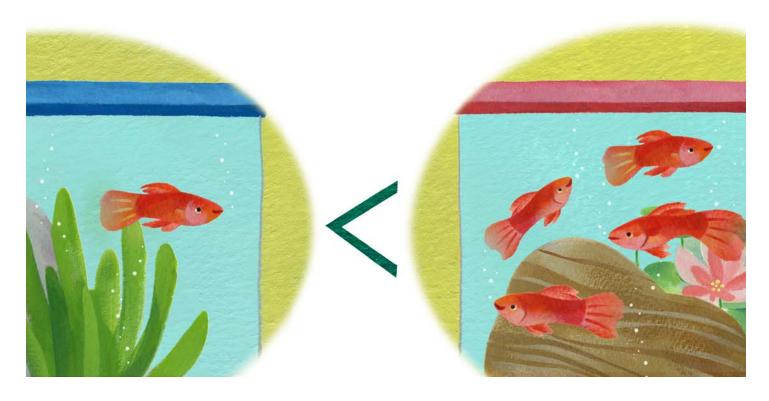
Two is less than three.



She has four red fish.



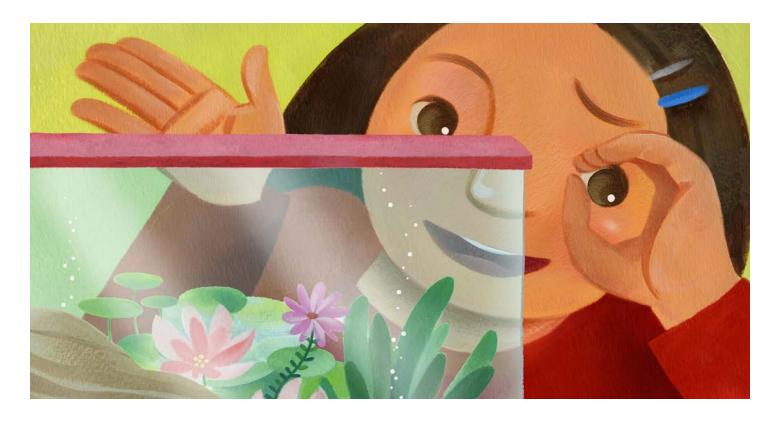
He has one red fish.



One is less than four.



He has five blue fish.



She has no blue fish.



Zero is less than five. Who has fewer fish total? She has fewer fish than he does.

Words to Know

compare less than

count numbers

fewer total

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Connections

Writing and Art

Draw two fish tanks with a different number of fish in each tank. Write a sentence about which tank has less fish than the other.

Math

Write two numbers. Have a partner draw the less-than symbol to compare the numbers. Check your partner's work.





