

Example 2 : Consider numbers from 53 to 57.



- (a) 54 comes after 53.
- (b) 55 comes between 54 and 56.
- (c) 54, 55 and 56 come between 53 and 57.
- (d) 56 comes before 57.
- (e) 54, 55, 56 and 57 come after 53.
- (f) 53, 54, 55 and 56 are before 57.

### Exercise

1. Look at the following numbers and fill in the blanks.

- 11
- 12
- 13
- 14
- 15
- 16
- 17
- 18
- 19
- 20

- (a) 15 comes before ..... 16.....
- (b) 17 comes after ..... 15.....
- (c) 11 comes before ..... 12.....
- (d) 19 comes after ..... 18.....
- (e) 14 comes between ..... 13..... and ..... 15.....
- (f) ..... 12....., ..... 13..... and ..... 14..... come between 11 and 15.

2. What comes just before :

- |     |           |    |     |           |    |     |           |    |
|-----|-----------|----|-----|-----------|----|-----|-----------|----|
| (a) | <u>23</u> | 24 | (b) | <u>72</u> | 73 | (c) | <u>10</u> | 11 |
| (d) | <u>48</u> | 49 | (e) | <u>9</u>  | 10 | (f) | <u>56</u> | 57 |
| (g) | <u>59</u> | 60 | (h) | <u>34</u> | 35 | (i) | <u>51</u> | 62 |

### 3. What comes after ?

(a) 15 

(b) 67 

(c) 13 

(d) 96 

(e) 58 

(f) 81 

(g) 49 

(h) 90 

(i) 62 

### 4. What comes in between ?

(a) 56  58

(b) 21  23

(c) 44  45

(d) 63  65

(e) 74  76

(f) 12  13

(g) 9  11

(h) 97  99

(i) 89  90

### 5. Write the number that comes before, after or in between.

(a)  27

(b) 9 

(c) 49  51

(d)  78

(e) 69 

(f) 54  56

(g)  99

(h) 15 

(i) 71  73

(j)  44