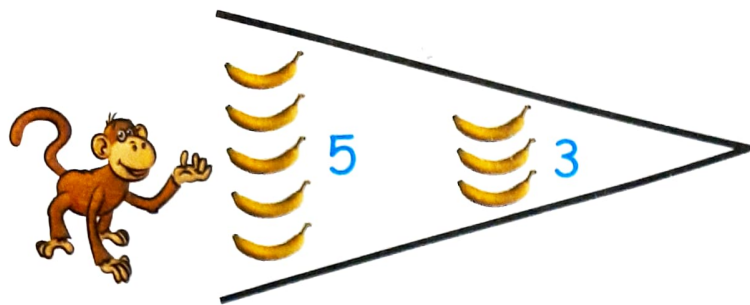


4.2 Greater Than and Less Than

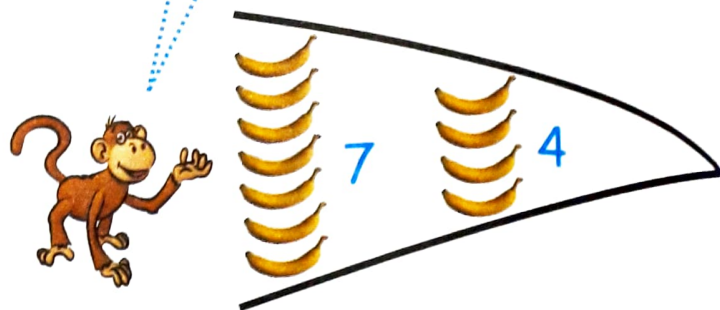
GREATER THAN : The symbol for 'is greater than' is $>$.



5 is greater than 3.

$$5 > 3$$

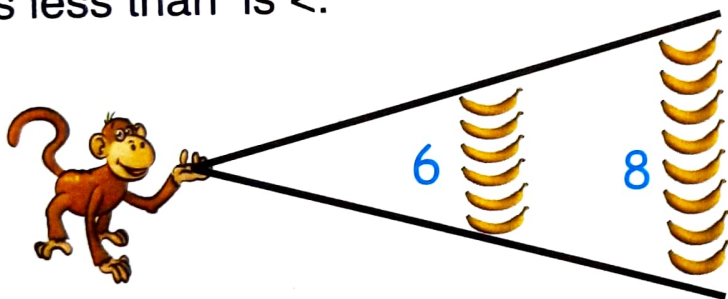
I am very hungry.
I will eat more bananas.



7 is greater than 4.

$$7 > 4$$

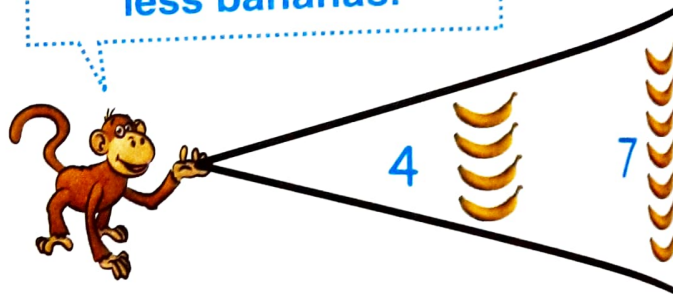
LESS THAN : The symbol for 'is less than' is $<$.



6 is less than 8.

$$6 < 8$$

I am not that hungry.
I will eat less bananas.




4 is less than 7.

$$4 < 7$$

Remember! **Broader** side of the sign indicates the **greater** number.
Pointed side of the sign indicates the **smaller** number.

Exercise






1. Put the correct sign $>$, $<$ or $=$ (Greater than, less than or equal to)



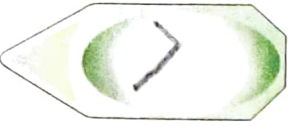

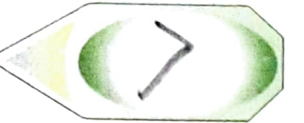
(a) 11  19

(b) 53  53

(c) 12  16

(d) 20  12

(e)	71		59
(g)	17		19
(i)	15		17
(k)	49		59
(m)	33		37

(f)	14		18
(h)	95		63
(j)	14		12
(l)	44		78
(n)	82		19