Ruies for Adding Integers							
	Record Observations	A Few Examples	Write a Rule in Complete Sentences				
Both integers are positive.							
Both integers are negative.							
One integer is positive and one is negative.							

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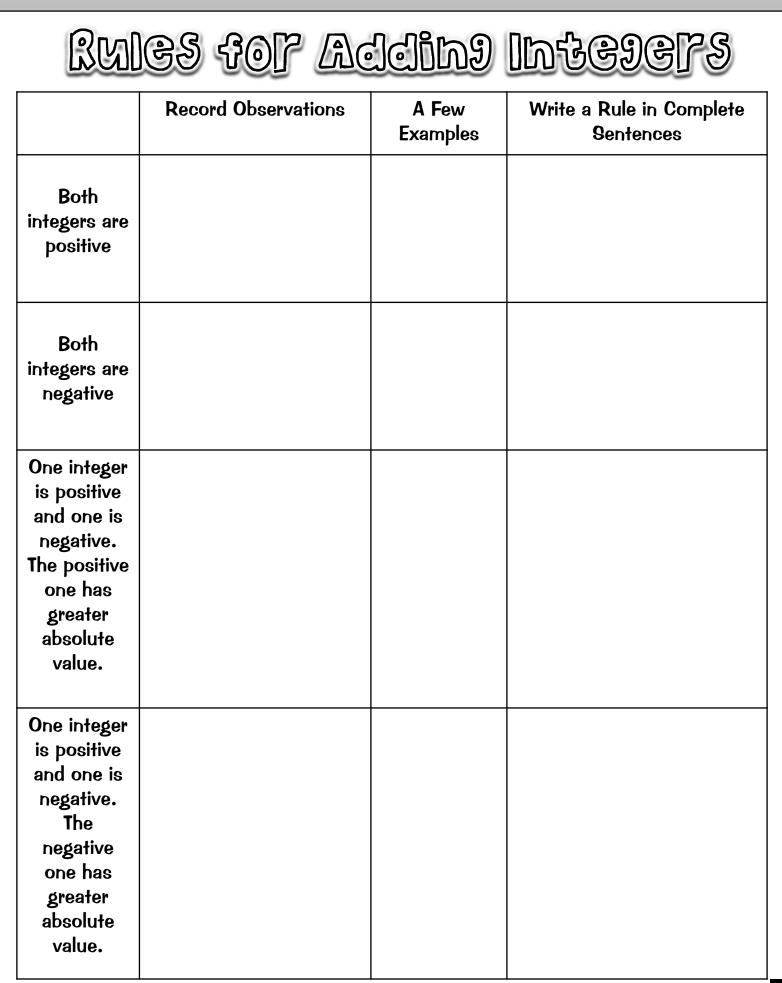
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Ruies for subtracting integers							
	Record Observations	A Few Examples	Write a Rule in Complete Sentences				
positive minus positive							
positive minus negative							
negative minus positive							
negative minus negative							

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Note to teacher: This second version (following two pages) offers more guidance.

You can use this version if your students are younger or need more structure to guide them.



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Rules for subtracting integers						
		Record Observations	A Few Examples	Write a Rule in Complete Sentences		
positive minus positive	First integer has greater absolute value					
	Second integer has greater absolute value.					
positive minus negative	First integer has greater absolute value					
	Second integer has greater absolute value.					
negative minus positive	First integer has greater absolute value					
	Second integer has greater absolute value.					
negative minus negative	First integer has greater absolute value					
	Second integer has greater absolute value.					