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- Numbers between 550 000 and 650 000

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2) 3 218 356 or 3 217 358

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1) Emily is incorrect. The largest possible answer is 1 262 412, which would require one less counter.

2) a)

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b) Rhys is incorrect because, if he uses this statement, the numbers between 5.5 million and 6.5 million would also need to be included in this column – but each number can only be written once.

3) Accept any correct statement, such as numbers greater than 6 500 000.



1) Anna – 960 000

Ranjit – 910 000

Faheen – 28 800

Eli – 1 010 000

2) Accept ten different values that are greater than 1 000 000.

The greatest difference possible is 6 419 754.

The smallest difference possible is 1.

Other answers will vary depending on which numbers the children create.

