+/- BINGO

MATERIALS:

Transparency of "Make Your Own +/- Bingo Card"

+/- Bingo Card for each student

Bingo chips

Transparency rectangles of integer problems with answer corners cut off (in bag or envelope)

Copy of +/- Bingo Transparency and Key

Markers (optional)

PRE-GAME SUGGESTIONS:

Review rules for adding and subtracting integers

Show many examples

Have students try many examples

RULES AND PROCEDURES:

Give each student a blank bingo card and some bingo chips

Display the "Make Your Own +/- Bingo Card" transparency

Have the students fill the 24 spaces on their blank bingo cards with integers between -12 and 12 using markers or pens

Have students check to make sure they did not repeat a number

Have students put all writing tools away

Pull integer problems from bag or envelope and display on the overhead for 5 seconds

Students should place bingo chip on card for the answer to each integer problem until someone comes up with a bingo

Place integer problems (after they have been displayed) on the key, to make it easy to check bingos

Variations: You may want to leave the problems on the overhead longer

You may want to make laminated bingo cards that the students can write the integers on with water-based markers, so they can be re-used

-10 + -2 ⁻12	3 - 10 ⁻7	-3 + 1 ⁻2	9 + (-6) 3	4 - -4 8
-3 + -8 ⁻11	-3 - 3 ⁻6	9 - 10 ⁻1	5 + -1 4	20 + -11 9
-5 + (-5) ⁻10	7 - 12 ⁻5	1 + -1 0	3 - (-2) 5	2 - (-8) 10
-4 + -5 ⁻9	-6 - -2 ⁻4	4 + -3 1	-3 + 9 6	-10 - -21 11
-12 + 4 ⁻8	-2 - 1 ⁻3	1 - (-1) 2	5 - -2 7	7 - (-5) 12

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MAKE YOUR OWN
+/-
BINGO CARD

Instructions:

Choose 24 out of the 25 numbers listed below and place these at random on your +/- Bingo Card.

Remember to use each number only once!

0	5	10	-3	-8
1	6	11	-4	-9
2	7	12	-5	-10
3	8	-1	-6	-11
4	9	-2	-7	-12