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**Nonfiction Books: Dewey Decimal Order in the Library**

The informational (another word for nonfiction) books in every library are organized in number order, from smallest to largest.

Each number stands for a different subject. For example, books about butterflies are labeled 595.78. Books about dinosaurs are labeled 567.9. Fairy tales and folktales are labeled 398.2.

**Which kind of book comes first on a library shelf. Circle the answer**

**1.** a. Butterflies (595.78) b. Dinosaurs (567.9)

**2.** a. Fairy tales (398.2) b. Butterflies (595.78)

**Can you put these books in order? Write 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th on the line.**

**3.**

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| \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  398.2  G | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  398.7  M | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  397.9  L | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  394.2  M |

**Which is greater? Write the < or > signs to answer.**

Ex. 428.1 **>** 423

**4.** 567.9 568

**5**. 513.6 513.1