

Numbers

<u>Ordinal Numbers</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>	<u>How many times . . . ?</u>
1 st	First	Once (one time)
2 nd	Second	Twice (two times)
3 rd	Third	Three times
4 th	Fourth	Four times

<u>Years</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>	<u>percentages/degrees</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
1900	Nineteen hundred	50%	Fifty percent
1908	Nineteen oh eight	1%	One percent
1985	Nineteen eighty five	22°C	Twenty two degrees Celsius
2001	Two thousand one	48°F	Forty eight degrees Fahrenheit
2015	Two thousand fifteen OR twenty fifteen		
The 60' s	The sixties		

<u>Decimal points</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>	<u>Fractions</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
0.5	zero point five OR point five or half	1/2	One half OR half
2.4	two point four	1/4	One fourth OR a quarter
30.859	thirty point eight five nine	3/8	three eighths
		2/3	two thirds

<u>Large numbers</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
1,000	One thousand OR ten hundred, OR a grand (informal)
1,667	One thousand six hundred and sixty seven OR sixteen hundred and sixty seven
10,550	Ten thousand five hundred and fifty
139,403	One hundred and thirty nine thousand four hundred and three
1,000,000	One million
3,500,000	Three million five hundred thousand OR three point five million
1,000,000,000	One billion

<u>Phone numbers</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
223-9765	Two two three nine seven six five
408-2797	Four oh eight twenty seven ninety seven
366-4595	Three double six four five nine five

<u>Time</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>	<u>Flight numbers</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
1:45	Quarter to two	405	Four oh five
3:10	Ten past three	253	Two fifty three
2:55	Five 'till (three)	148	One four eight
12:30am	Half past twelve am		
11:15pm	Quarter past eleven pm	<u>Factors</u>	<u>How it is spoken</u>
9:05	Five after (nine)	4 ²	Four squared
10:00	Ten O' clock OR ten on the dot	8 ³	Eight cubed

A. Listen and write the missing numbers.

1. Current research shows that _____ Americans stop smoking each year.
2. Could you give Jack a call at _____ ?
3. We're thinking about getting a house. Currently, the average mortgage is about _____ .
4. _____ new jobs have been created in the high tech sector over the past _____ years.
5. Jane is celebrating her _____ birthday next Monday!
6. _____ of all Americans eat a hamburger at least _____ a week.
7. The density of hydrogen is _____ in that compound.
8. So, what time shall we get together next week? What do you say if meet for lunch at a _____ .
9. Statistics show that flossing _____ a day can greatly improve general dental hygiene.
10. Wall Street closed up _____ .

B. Write the number out in words. The first one is done for you.

- A. 1,250,302 one million two hundred fifty thousand three hundred and two
- B. 8th _____
- C. 1565 _____
- D. 30.007024 _____
- E. 325,109 _____

Answers to part A

A. Listen and write the missing numbers.

1. Current research shows that **_3.5 million_** Americans stop smoking each year.
2. Could you give Jack a call at **_212 0897 6543_** ?
3. We're thinking about getting a house. Currently, the average mortgage is about **_7.7 percent_** .
4. **_313,750_** new jobs have been created in the high tech sector over the past **_two_** years.
5. Jane is celebrating her **_thirtieth_** birthday next Monday!
6. **_three quarters_** of all Americans eat a hamburger at least **_once_** a week.
7. The density of hydrogen is **_.004287_** in that compound.
8. So, what time shall we get together next week? What do you say if meet for lunch at a **_a quarter past one_** .
9. Statistics show that flossing **_twice_** a day can greatly improve general dental hygiene.
10. Wall Street closed up **_8 7/16 points_** .