UNIT 01 · LESSON 02 · PDF RESOURCE

Zählen 1

Counting from 1 to 20

Useful words and expressions

German	English / note
eins · zwei · drei · vier	1 · 2 · 3 · 4
fünf · sechs · sieben · acht	5 · 6 · 7 · 8
neun · zehn · elf · zwölf	9 · 10 · 11 · 12
dreizehn · vierzehn · fünfzehn	13 · 14 · 15
sechzehn · siebzehn · achtzehn	16 · 17 · 18
neunzehn · zwanzig	19 · 20

What to remember

The teen numbers 13–19 usually end in “-zehn”; remember the exceptions “sechzehn” and “siebzehn”.

Practice independently

1. Read the numbers aloud in groups of five.

2. Ask a classmate to say a number; write it in digits.

3. Count backwards from 20 to 1.

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