Number statements game with digit cards

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Number statements game

Turn down two sets of 0 → 9 digit cards on the table and shuffle them around. Turn two cards over. Claim a square on the board by satisfying a statement not already claimed. The player with the most counters wins or if you are using a larger board it is the person who has connected four squares in a row, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. For KS 2 extend to three-digit numbers and decimals.

Highest number	Lowest odd number	Even number nearest to 39	Any odd number	A number greater than 60
Highest even number	Highest odd number	Nearest to a multiple of ten	Make any even number	An even number less than 30
Lowest even number	Odd number nearest to 50	Nearest to any multiple of 5	Any number less than 50	Odd number less than 50

You will need:
Two sets of digit cards 0 → 9 between two children
A baseboard, similar to the one above and some transparent counters.