

BRAILLE ALPHABET AND NUMBERS USED BY THE BLIND

Close your eyes and read this with your fingers.

a	b	c	d	e	f	g
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
h	i	j	k	l	m	n
8	9	0				
o	p	q	r	s	t	u
v	w	x	y	z	,	.

**Capital
sign**

**Number
sign**

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The braille system is comprised of signs formed by combinations of 6 dots numbered in the following arrangement:

1	4
2	5
3	6

Letters are capitalized by adding a dot 6 in front of them. Numbers are represented by adding a number sign, comprised of dots 3, 4, 5, 6, to the first ten letters of the alphabet. Punctuation is formed in the lower part of the cell.

Braille can also be used to write foreign languages, music, and math, science, and computer notations.