Integer Zap

Integer Zap is a game for two players.

Any set of numbers can be used for the integer cards, but the following numbers work well: ⁻20, ⁻18, ⁻17, ⁻16, ⁻13, ⁻11, ⁻9, ⁻7, ⁻5, ⁻3, ⁻2, 0, 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 11, 12, 14, 18, 20, 21, and 25.

How to play:

- Shuffle your own deck of cards and put them face down on the table.
- Turn over the top card from your deck and compare your card with the other player's top card.
- The player with the higher value takes both cards and puts them in a separate pile. However, before this player can claim the cards, they have to subtract the value of the lower card from the value of the higher card. (For example, $12 - {}^-3 = 15$ and ${}^-4 - {}^-6 = 2$.) If they give the wrong answer, the other player gets the cards.
- If there is a tie on any turn, both players turn over their next cards until one of them is greater. That player keeps all the cards that were turned over.
- When a player has used up the cards in their face-down pile, they shuffle the cards in their second pile and play continues.
- The winner of the game is the person who takes all the cards.

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