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	Managing	Credit	
	t card with a \$500 limit. He words will come to \$475. Shound this credit card?		
	ut her credit card. She also t ng good money choices?	forgot to pay her cell phone bill k	ast
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## **Managing Credit**

Circle the word TRUE if the statement is TRUE or circle the word FALSE if it is FALSE.
 You can get a credit card when you're 16. TRUE FALSE
 Everyone can get a free credit score check. TRUE FALSE
 Credit limit means how much you can spend. TRUE FALSE
 Paying just the minimum payment is smart. TRUE FALSE
 Credit card bills come each month. TRUE FALSE
 Banks like when you don't have a job: TRUE FALSE

- 2. Put the steps in the right order when applying for credit
- a) \_\_\_\_\_ Sign the contract.
- **b)** \_\_\_\_\_Know your credit score.
- c) \_\_\_\_ Go to the bank.
- **d)** \_\_\_\_\_ Show your ID.
- e) \_\_\_\_\_ Tell your job information.







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Reading Passage

NAME:

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You will have to pay back the loan. It is not a gift! You can borrow the money for a certain amount of time. There will be a fee though. This is called interest. The amount of interest is based on your credit score and the lender. Lenders can be banks or credit companies. All loans have rules to follow.

Main Sources of Credit				
Credit Cards	Loans			
Credit limit: an amount you can spend up to each month.  To buy everyday items and expensive things.  Billed each month.  Interest added to amount not paid each month.  Minimum payment required each month.  Can get from banks or stores.	Money given all at once. To buy cars, houses, school fees. Set amount to pay each month. Interest built in. Can get from banks.			

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- 2. Ji-woo has a new credit card. She wants to use it for online shopping. What are three things that make this a poor choice?

a)		 	 	
b)				
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## **Managing Credit**

3.	Jorge was declined when he applied for a loan. He has no idea what his credit score is
	Sometimes he forgets to pay his cell phone bill. He doesn't have a job. Of all these things
	which is the most important to change? List the order of things that he should change.

#### Graphic Organizer

4. Use the graphic organizer on page 12 to compare credit cards.

Which credit card is for you? There are so many cards to pick. Banks have their own credit cards. Credit card companies like VISA also have their own cards. Some stores even offer credit cards! All the cards have different things to offer. You may want a card that has loyalty points. Get a card with the lowest interest rate possible.

The diagram is to compare at least three different cards. Each circle has information about one card. The middle circle is what is common between the cards. For example, two cards have no fee. You can pick three different cards from the same company. You can also look at cards from the same bank. Pick the best card from the 3 you've chosen.





#### Research a Money App

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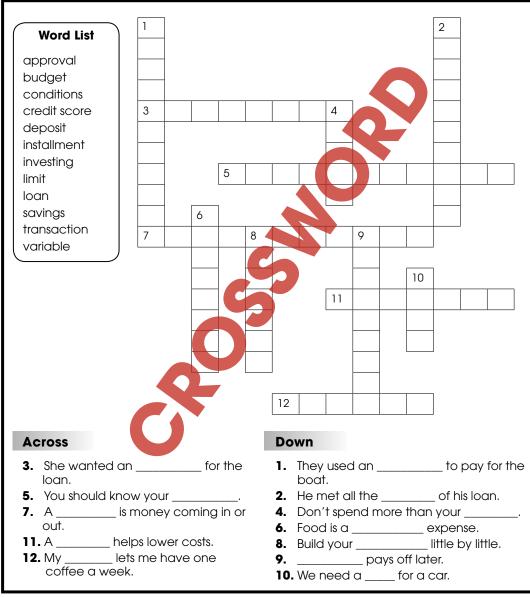
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#### **Crossword Puzzle!**



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Comprehension Quiz  Part A  1. List 5 reasons why a budget is important.  1	<b>^</b>
List 5 reasons why a budget is important.	
1 4	
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2 5.	
3.	
Part B	
2. Put a check mark (/) next to the answer that is most correct.  a) What is a benefit of using a credit card?	

- A It's free money.
- O B It connects to your online acco
- O c It can be used for security deposits.
- O **D** It looks good.
- b) What does a co-signer do?
  - A Shares responsibility of a loan.
  - O B Drives someone to the bank.
  - O **c** Watches a contract get signed.
  - O **D** Reads the contract.
- c) In what order should you pay your bills?
  - **A** The smallest first.
  - O B The one due first.
  - $\bigcirc$  **c** The biggest one first.
  - O **D** The last one due.

Sales Contract

NEW CAR SAL	ES AGREEMENT
This is a contract made between the	and the
, for the sal	
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· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	YEAR OF CAR
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Description of vehicle	(INTERIOR AND EXCEPTOR COLOR AND FEATURES)
The VIN number	and the odometer reads
as of	•
ODOMETER	DATE
The date of sale is	. Buyer agrees to pay to the Dealer
DATE	
the purchase price of \$	To be paid in monthly payments of
\$	
MONTHLY PAYMENT	
The buyer agrees to the above terms:	
Signature:	
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**TRUE** 

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e) Credit card bills come each month.

**TRUE** 

**FALSE** 

**FALSE** 

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f) Banks like when you don't have a job.

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a) FALSE

b) TRUE

c) TRUE

d) FALSE

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- **b)** 1
- **c)** 2







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# Sales Contract

**NEW CAR SALES AGREEMENT** 





This is a contract made between		DEALERSHIP	_, and the	
NAME OF BUYER	, for the sale	sale of, CAR MAKE		
NAME OF BUTER		CAR WARE		
CAR MODEL	,	YEAR OF CAR		
Description of vehicle				
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	N NUMBER	, und the odometer rea	45	
	as of		_	
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the purchase price of \$		. To be paid in monthly payments	ayments of	
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MONTHLY PAYMENT				
The buyer agrees to the above	e terms:			

