Money in Town

Match local businesses, then choose what money can buy.

SS24.1.3 "Explain the role of commercial institutions within the local community, including banks, grocery stores, and other businesses. 3a Explain the concept of using money to acquire goods and services to satisfy needs and wants."

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Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 TOWN HELPERS

bank •	• **haircut**
grocery •	• **money**
barber •	• **food**

2 MONEY CHOICES

a	**shirt**	**milk**	**ball**
b	**soap**	**bread**	**ball**
c	**haircut**	**milk**	**ball**

ANSWER KEY

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GRADE 1 · SS24.1.3

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read the printed words and prompts aloud, then give students time to mark their answers and explain them. Listen for how students describe each business and how money buys goods or a service. Record any help you give separately from their answers.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 · TOWN HELPERS

SAY "Draw a line from each place to the word that tells what it helps with. Then tell me what each place does for people."

- **bank** matches **money**
- **grocery** matches **food**
- **barber** matches **haircut**

PART 2 · MONEY CHOICES

SAY "Listen to each story and circle one word. Tell me if the first two things meet a need or a want. For the last story, tell me what work the person does."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Mia needs milk for her cereal. She has money. What can she buy to meet that need?	**milk**
b	Jo wants something to play catch with. What can Jo buy with money?	**ball**
c	Kim gives money to someone who cuts hair. What service does Kim get?	**haircut**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Bank matches money and keeps it safe; grocery matches food and sells it; barber matches haircut and cuts hair. Circle milk, ball, and haircut, in that order. Accept explanations that milk meets Mia's need, the ball meets Jo's want, and cutting hair is the paid service; record oral answers and any support separately.