

Bakery Business Choices

See how a private business creates goods and services.

SS5E2.b "Describe the private business function in producing goods and services."

NAME _____

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1 READ AND MARK _____ Read it twice

YOUR JOB Underline the two sentences in paragraph 2 that begin with "She" and "Workers," and the sentence in paragraph 3 that begins with "A worker." Then circle the good or service named in each of those paragraphs.

Sunrise Bakery at Work

- ① Private businesses are owned by people or groups, not by the government. They make goods, provide services, or do both. A good is an item people can buy, such as bread. A service is work done for someone, such as delivering a package. Business owners decide what customers may want and how to use their money, workers, and materials.
- ② Sunrise Bakery is a private business owned by Maya. She uses flour, yeast, pans, and an oven as resources to bake loaves of bread. Workers mix the ingredients, shape the dough, and bake it. Maya pays for supplies and workers, chooses bread prices, and hopes sales will cover costs and leave a profit. The bread is the bakery's good.
- ③ Sunrise also offers a delivery service for nearby customers. A worker takes an order, packs the bread, and brings it to the customer's home. The business charges a delivery fee to help pay for the worker, fuel, and vehicle use. If customers choose this service, Sunrise earns money by meeting a need. Owners take the risk that customers may buy too little to cover business costs.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE _____ Use the passage

1 Why is Sunrise Bakery a private business?

2 What good does Sunrise Bakery produce? Name two resources Maya uses to make it.

3 How do Sunrise workers help produce the bakery's good?

4 What service does Sunrise provide, and what does the delivery fee help pay for?

3 YOUR TURN _____ Your own words

Invent a privately owned business that makes one good or provides one service. Write exactly three sentences: name what it offers, describe how workers use at least two resources, and explain one way the business earns money.

PART 1 • READ AND MARK

Underline the two sentences in paragraph 2 that begin with “She” and “Workers,” and the sentence in paragraph 3 that begins with “A worker.” Then circle the good or service named in each of those paragraphs. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 • ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	Why is Sunrise Bakery a private business?	It is privately owned because Maya owns it, rather than the government.
2	What good does Sunrise Bakery produce? Name two resources Maya uses to make it.	The bakery produces loaves of bread. Resources include flour, yeast, pans, and an oven.
3	How do Sunrise workers help produce the bakery's good?	They mix the ingredients, shape the dough, and bake it.
4	What service does Sunrise provide, and what does the delivery fee help pay for?	Sunrise delivers bread to customers' homes. The fee helps pay for the worker, fuel, and vehicle use.

PART 3 • YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

Lena owns Quick Fix Bikes, a private business that provides bicycle repair services. Her workers use wrenches and replacement parts to fix customers' bikes. The business charges customers for each repair, which helps pay costs and may earn a profit.

Accept equivalent descriptions supported by the passage. For the open response, accept any plausible private business that identifies an offering, at least two resources used in production or service, and a way the business earns money.