

# Money, Money, Money!

## What is Money?

Have you ever wondered how you get to bring home toys or food from the store? Have you ever heard someone tell you that something was too expensive to buy? In order to bring those things home from the store, you must first give the store something called “Money.”



When you go shopping, all the items at the store have a price. That price is how much money you have to give the store in order to “buy” the item and take it home.

When you “Buy” something, you are giving the store money in exchange for the item you want. If you don’t have enough money to buy the item, you cannot take it home.



In order to get money, most people have jobs. A job is a place you go to work during the day, and then you get paid!

## What else can you do with money?

While spending money can be fun, there are other important things we can do with our money!

### Save

Saving our money means we put that money in a safe place so we can use it later. When we want a toy or a piece of clothing but we don’t have enough money to buy it right now, we save money until we do have enough.

### Spend

Spending means you use your money to buy something, like food or paying a bill.

### Donate

Donating money means giving it to someone else who needs it. You can donate money to organizations that help give people food, help save animals, and so many others! When you donate money, you help somebody else!

### Invest

Investing money is another way to save for the future. Investing allows your money to make money while it just sits in a certain type of savings account, but this money has to stay there for a long time. No spending it!

## Saving

Draw a picture below of something you would like to save money for!

## Types of Money

Money can come in two forms; a round piece of metal called a "Coin" or a piece of paper called a "Bill." Below are the different kinds of coins and bills.

### Coins

#### Penny

A penny is the smallest value coin.  
One penny = 1 cent



#### Nickel

One nickel = 5 Cents



### Scavenger hunt

Try and find coins around your house to match the coins printed on the page! Once you've collected the coins, count them up and see how much you found!

#### Dime

One dime = 10 cents



#### Quarter

One quarter = 25 cents



### Bills

#### One Dollar Bill



#### Five Dollar Bill



#### Ten Dollar Bill



#### Twenty Dollar Bill



#### Fifty Dollar Bill



#### One Hundred Dollar Bill



# How can I buy that?

Below are some items you can buy and their prices. You have to decide which coins and bills to put together in order to equal the price of the item.

**EX:**

Candy Bar: 50 Cents



**Money you could use to buy the candy bar:**

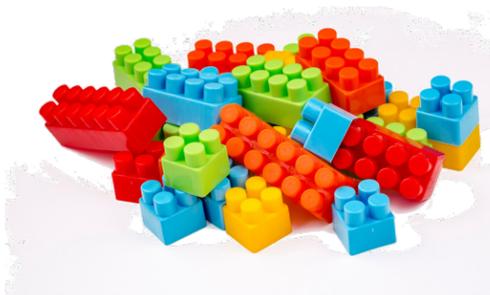
- 2 Quarters
- 5 Dimes
- 50 Pennies
- 10 Nickels

Soccer Ball: \$25.00



**Money you could use to buy the soccer ball:**

Blocks: \$10.50



**Money you could use to buy the blocks:**

Crayons: \$1.00



**Money you could use to buy the crayons:**

Bike: \$50.00



**Money you could use to buy the bike:**

Hot Chocolate: \$3.25



**Money you could use to buy the hot chocolate:**