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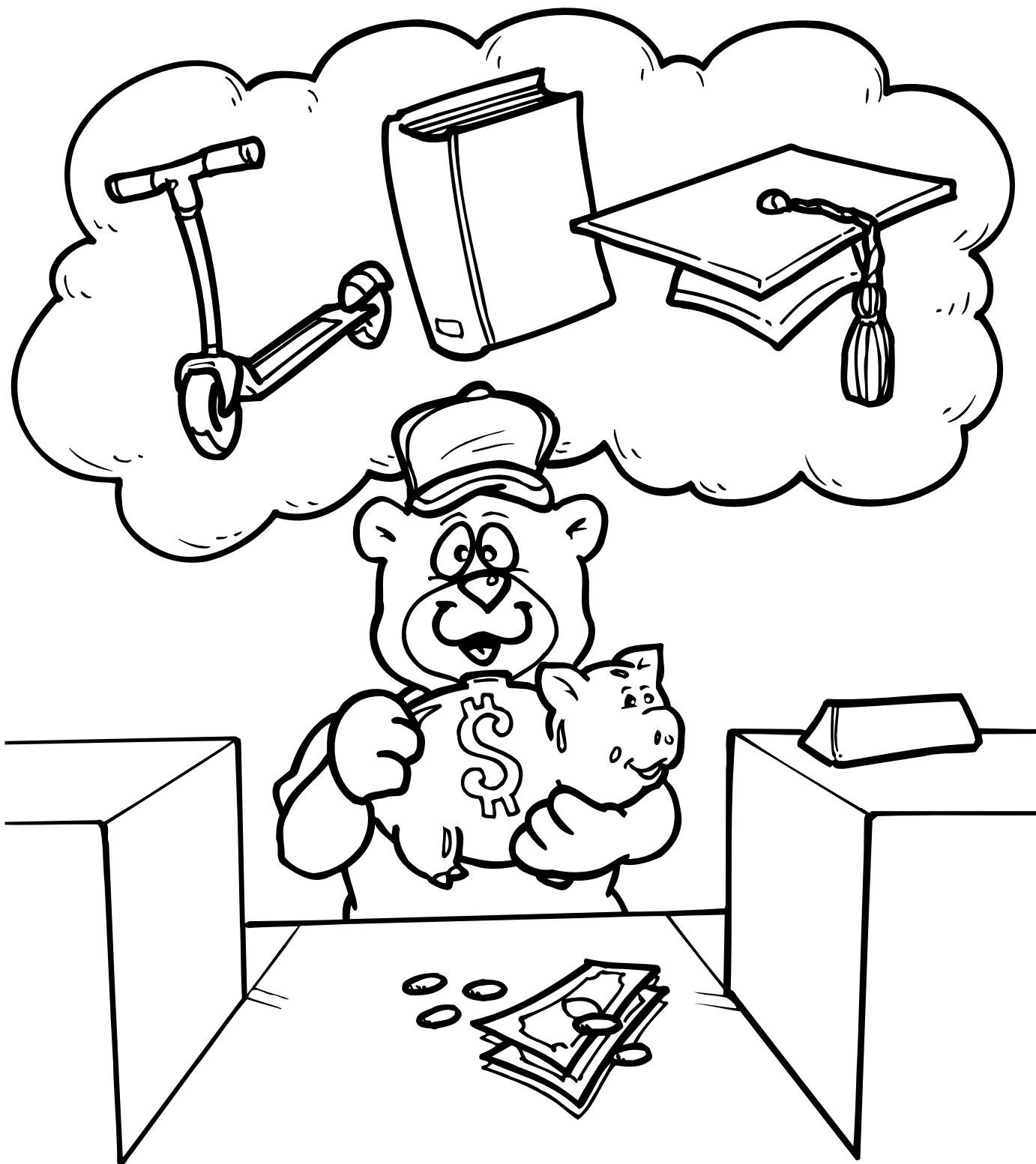
My Favorite Bank Book

An Educational Coloring & Activity Book

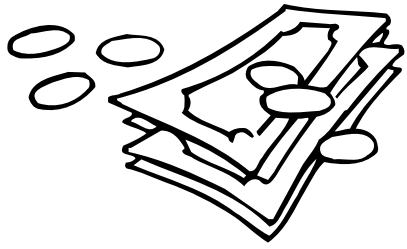


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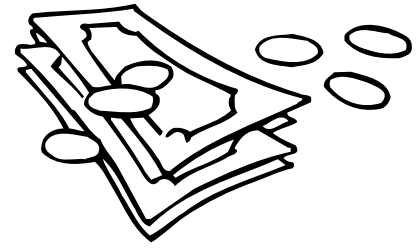
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It is never too early to start saving money. You can open a savings account in a bank and add to your account on a regular basis. Is there something special you would like? You can begin saving now!



**Unscramble
the
words.**

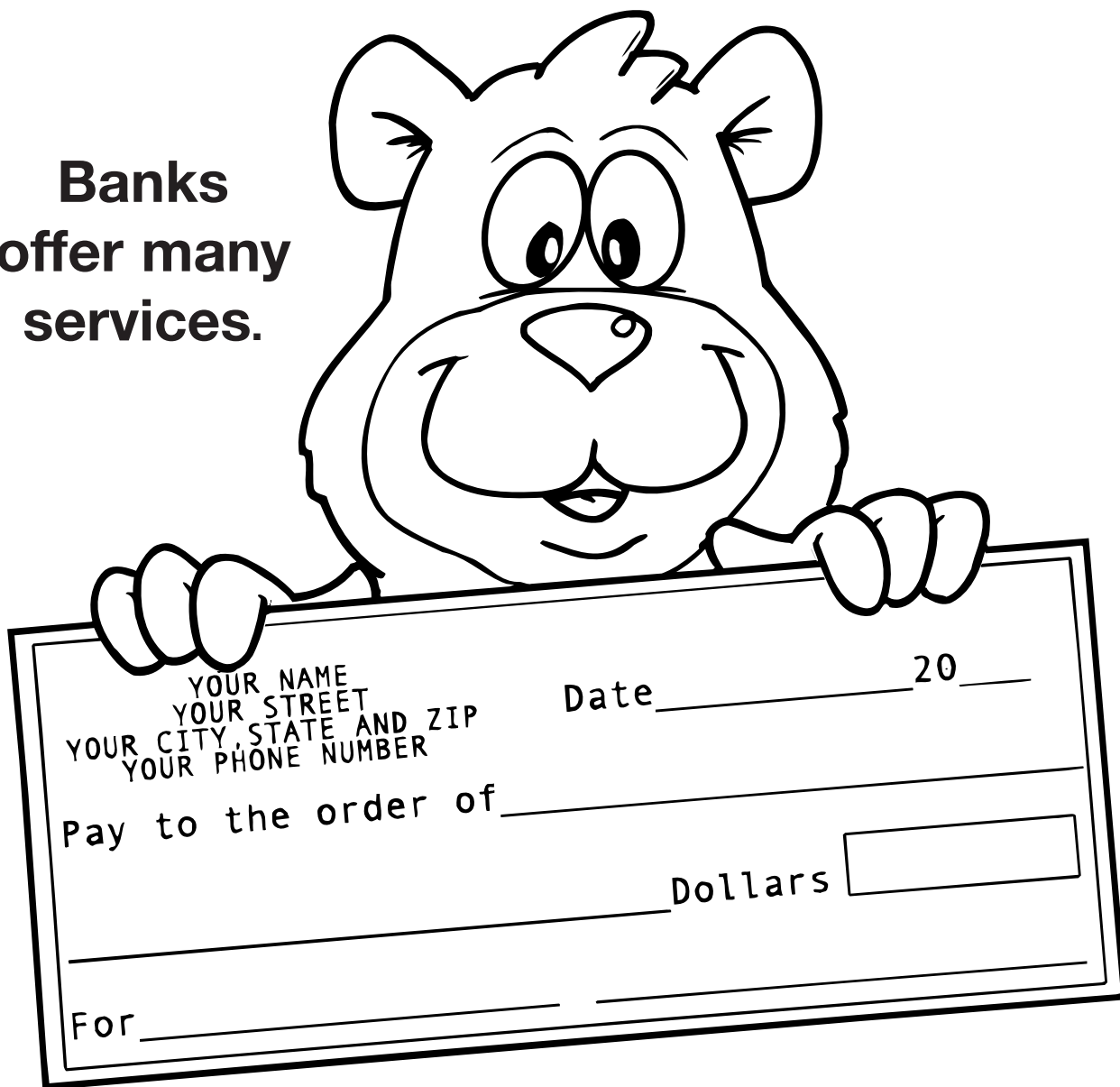


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1. ghekcinc _____
2. tocuacn _____
3. retqaru _____
4. estniert _____
5. svigsan _____
6. etrsginau _____
7. tnapiormt _____
8. sebopnelsir _____

ANSWERS: 1. checking 2. account 3. quarter 4. interest 5. savings 6. signature 7. important 8. responsible

**Banks
offer many
services.**



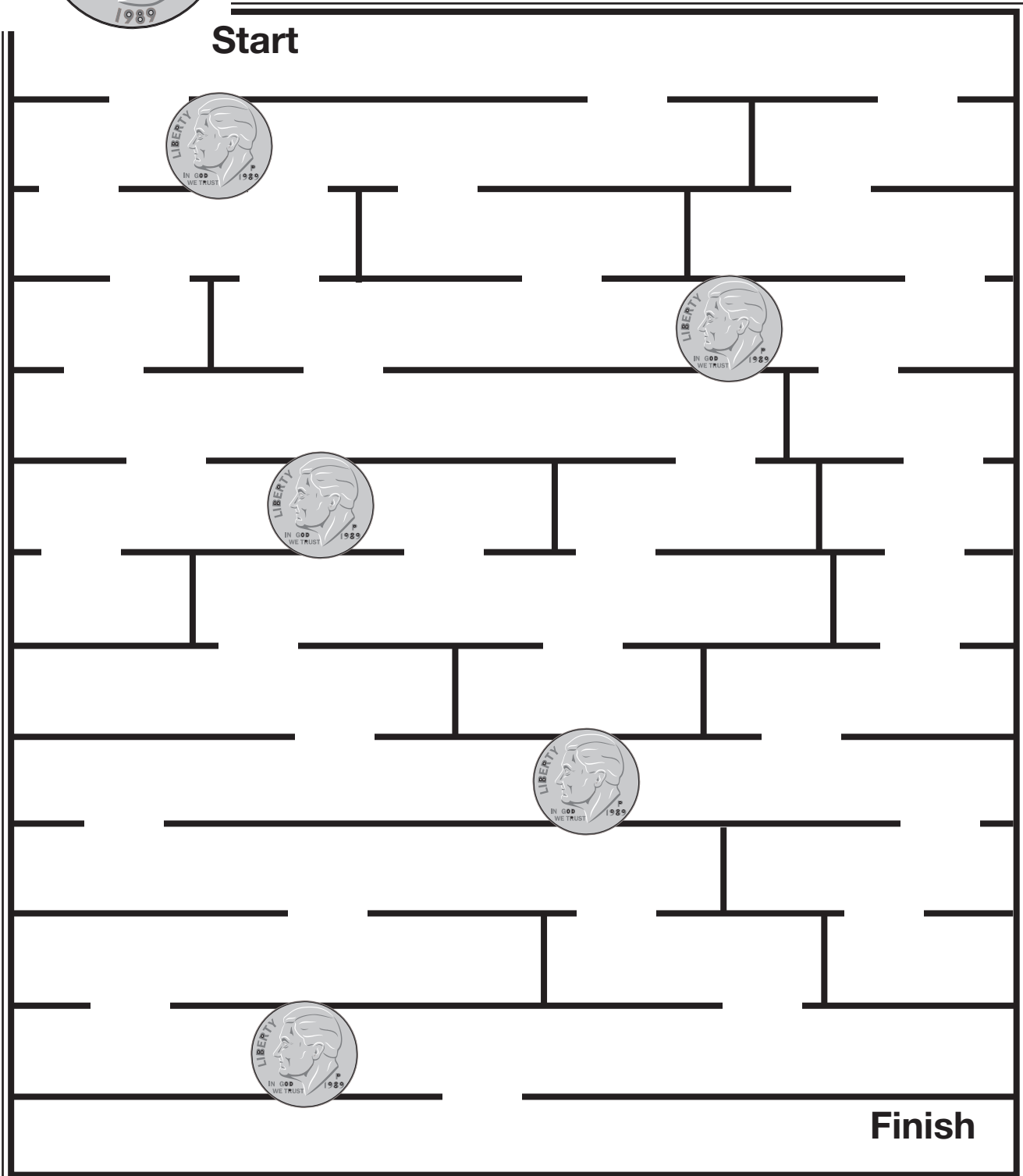
Your parents can open a checking account. This allows them to put money into the bank and they will write a check when making a payment instead of using cash. This is a good way to keep track of how they spend their money.

A check will have information about the account printed on the upper corner. When you write a check you will write in who the check is to be paid to, the amount of money it is written for and it will need to be signed.



Get a head start on saving!

Find your way through
the maze!





**Find and circle the words
in the puzzle.**

MONEY

BANKER

CREDIT

SAVINGS

QUARTER

CHECKING

ACCOUNT

SPEND

PENNIES

DOLLARS

C	F	L	O	M	K	S	A	B	X	F
H	R	P	L	D	O	L	L	A	R	S
E	Y	E	M	B	A	N	K	E	R	P
C	W	N	D	I	G	R	E	O	I	E
K	S	N	R	I	L	T	B	Y	P	N
I	G	I	R	E	T	Y	N	V	E	D
N	C	E	R	Q	U	A	R	T	E	R
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S	A	V	I	N	G	S	W	A	Y	A

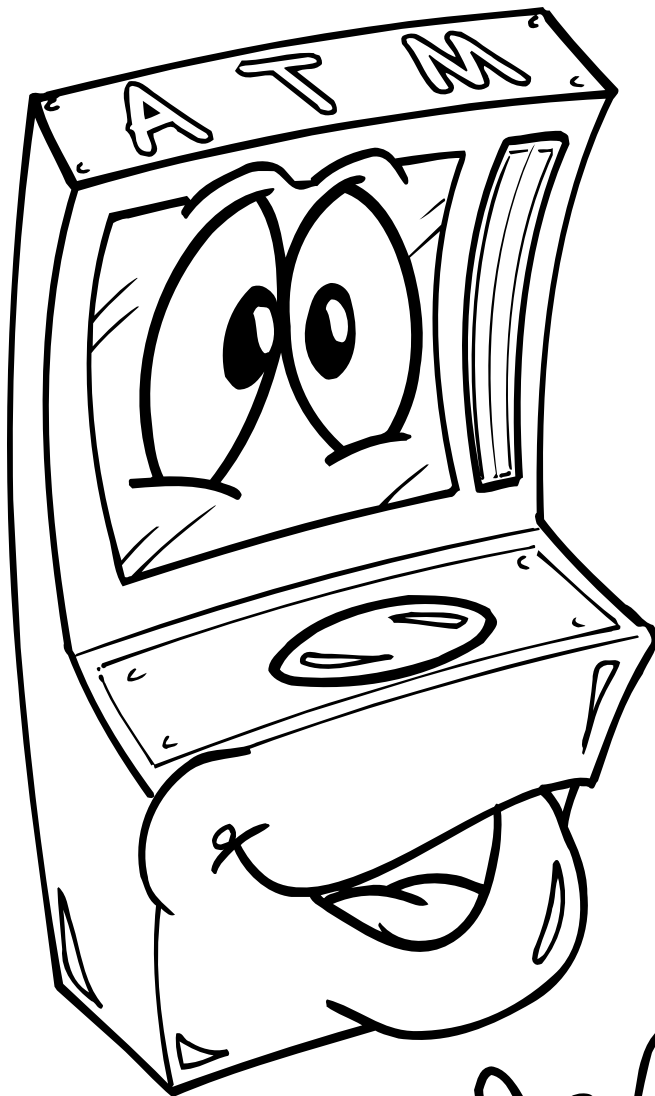


There are many kinds of savings accounts. Find out what you need to do to open a savings account at a local bank. When you save your money that you earn, you can take it to the bank and put it into your account.



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An ATM card allows you to easily withdraw money from your account.

Charge wisely!

A credit card is another way to purchase items without using cash and allows you to pay later. It is a plastic card you give to the cashier when you make a purchase. The bank will keep a record of the purchases and send a bill every month with the total amount that is to be paid. They charge a fee called a finance charge for this service.





Banks will also loan money for expensive purchases like a car or house. A loan is when the bank will give you the money you need and you make regular payments until it has all been paid back to them. They charge a fee to do this. It is called interest and it is added to the loan amount.



How many
words can you
make using the
letters in

FAVORITE BANK

Add the coins in each row to find the amount of change.

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3.





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4.







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5.







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6.







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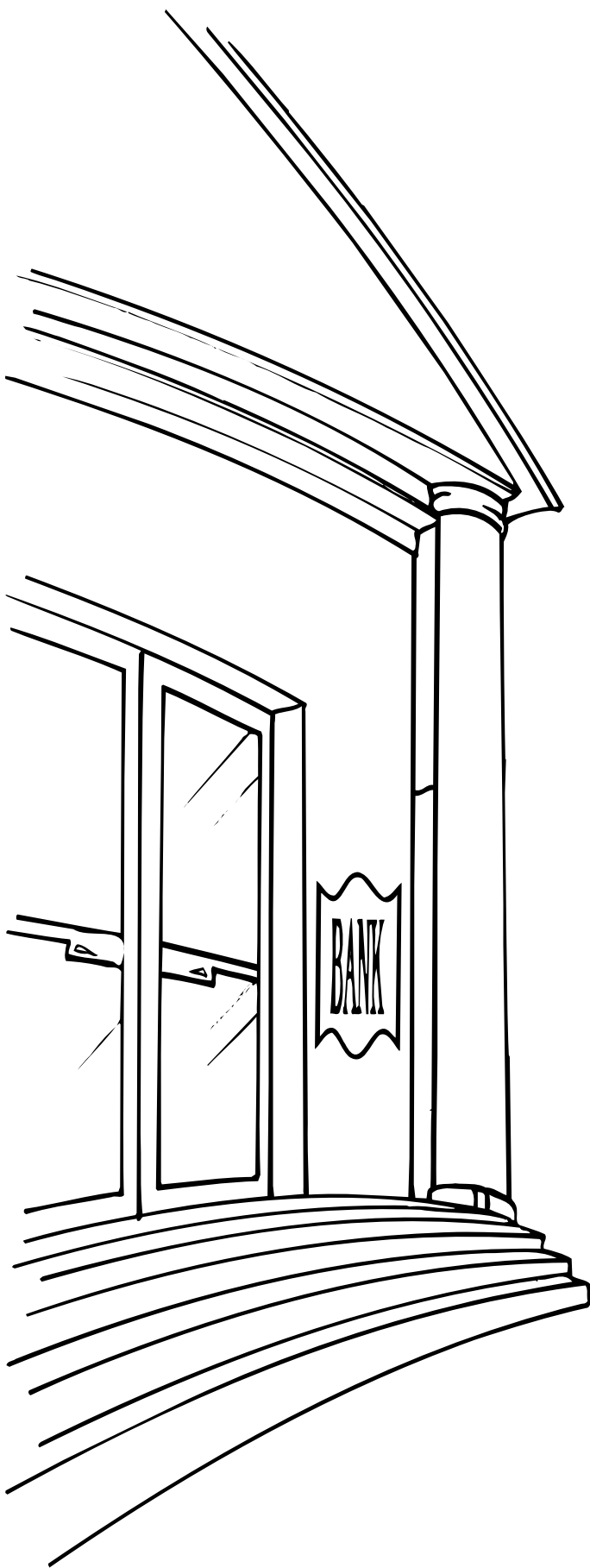
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ANSWERS 1. 32¢ 2. 40¢ 3. 75¢ 4. 31¢ 5. 65¢ 6. 18¢



Plan ahead!

It is very smart to plan for the future. Many banks will help you find the best way to save your money. A Christmas Club is one way to save all year long for a special holiday.



Can you fill in the missing letters to finish the words?

1. c__ ec__ in__

2. __ c __ ou __ t

3. p __ n __ i __ s

4. __ ua __ te __ s

5. in __ e __ es __

6. f __ tu __ e

7. d __ ll __ rs

8. s __ vi __ g

ANSWERS: 1. checking 2. account
3. pennies 4. quarters 5. interest
6. future 7. dollars 8. saving



Your family can make plans to save for special purchases or a vacation. Talk with them about ways to save money on household or other expenses.

What can you do to help save money?



Start Saving!

I, _____, understand
(PRINT YOUR NAME)

that it is never too early to start
saving money. I know that it is
important to plan ahead and that a
bank is a good source of
information and help.

(YOUR SIGNATURE)