

Accounts compared

	CURRENT ACCOUNT	BASIC BANK ACCOUNT	POST OFFICE CARD ACCOUNT	CREDIT UNION ACCOUNT
Can I pay other money e.g.wages into this account?	✓	✓		✓
Suitable for direct payment?	✓	✓	✓	✓
Can I use cash machines?	✓	✓		
Can I use 'cash-back'?	✓			
Do I get a cheque book?	✓			
Can I pay bills by direct debit?	✓	✓		

Opening a bank account

When you open an account you'll need some identification – a passport or driving licence is best. For some accounts a letter from the Department of Work & Pensions (DWP), showing your national insurance number, will do. You also need some proof of where you live such as a gas or electricity bill, and you need some details of your income – wages, salary, pension and/or benefits

Do you understand your bank statement?

ANY BANK
PO BOX 876, LEICESTER,
LE76 7JH

P R Patterson
7 Thistle Grange
West Grange
Staffordshire

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 10045321
SORT CODE: 90-99-19

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TRANSACTION DETAILS						
DATE	DESCRIPTION		DEBITS		CREDITS	BALANCE
Balance brought forward						35 00
6 May	CD07	High St	10 00			25 00
8 May	DC07	Pet Care Plc	3 00			22 00
11 May	BACS	Regular Times		46 50		68 50
19 May	CH007		2 70			65 80
19 May	DD	Gas & Co	16 50			40 30
22 May	S0	TV Licence Company	21 00			19 30

Joining one of our courses will help to make it clear.