## Week 1 - What is a Credit Union?

## Pre K- $5^{\text {th }}$ Education

April is National Financial Literacy Month, which is designed to create awareness about the importance of personal financial education. Over the next 4 weeks, we will be exploring different financial education topics with specific age-minded activities and links, designed for your use at home.

This week's topic is What is a Credit Union? For our youngest members, we believe that coin recognition and learning about money is really the first step in understanding why we need a place for our money and how we use a credit union. Included are some activities, games and a link to "The Money Song" to assist with money counting skills.

## Money counting activities and games:

https://www.usmint.gov/learn/kids
http://www.mathwire.com/money/money.html

## The Money Song by Jack Hartmann Kids Music Channel

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pnXJGNo08v0


# My Money 

## Book



Name:

## Penny



# A penny is worth one (1) cent. The color of a penny is copper. The penny has Abraham Lincoln on the front. 

5 pennies $=1$ nickel $\$ 0.05$
10 pennies = 1 dime $\$ 0.10$
25 pennies $=1$ quarter $\$ 0.25$
100 pennies = 1 dollar $\$ 1.00$

## Nickel



A nickel is worth five (5) cents. The color of a nickel is silver. The nickel has Thomas Jefferson on the front.

2 nickels $=1$ dime $\$ 0.10$
5 nickels = 1 quarter $\$ 0.25$
10 nickels $=2$ quarters $\$ 0.50$
20 nickels = 1 dollar \$1.00

# Dime 



A dime is worth ten (10) cents. The color of a dime is silver. The dime has Franklin Delano Roosevelt on the front.

1 dime = 10 pennies $\$ 0.10$
5 dimes $=2$ quarters $\$ 0.50$ or 10 nickels $\$ 0.50$
10 dimes $=1$ dollar $\$ 1.00$

## Quarter



A quarter is worth twenty five (25) cents. The color of a quarter is silver. The quarter has George Washington on the front.

## 1 quarter $=5$ nickels $\$ 0.25$

4 quarters =1 dollar \$1.00

# One Dollar Bill 



A one dollar bill is worth one hundred (100) cents. The dollar is made out of cotton. The dollar has George Washington on the front.

Ways to make a dollar with coins:

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\begin{gathered}
100 \text { pennies = \$1.00 } \\
20 \text { nickels = \$1.00 } \\
10 \text { dimes }=\$ 1.00 \\
4 \text { quarters }=\$ 1.00
\end{gathered}
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## Credit Union Word Search

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Coins Earn Interest Deposit Withdrawal Credit Union Dollar Quarter Dime Penny Nickel Money

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## Credit Union Crosswords



## Across

5. Where can I deposit money into an account?
6. Something I may receive for doing chores.

## Down

1. At home, I can save money in this.
2. If I have money to put into my account, what is it called?
3. If I take money out of my account, what is that called?
4. If I want to buy something, I have to do this.
5. Four quarters are the same as one of these.

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## Credit Union Crosswords Key



