

Lesson E Writing



A Complete the chart.

You can pay later.	You get a large bill once a month.
You can spend too much.	You get a record of your purchases.
You don't need cash.	You pay a lot of interest.

Why you should use a credit card	Why you shouldn't use a credit card
<i>You can pay later.</i>	<i>You can spend too much.</i>

B Circle the correct words.

Why You Should Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you should use a credit card when you go shopping. **Second** / **(First)**₁ you can pay later instead of when you purchase the item. **Second** / **Finally**₂ you don't need to have cash with you, so it is safer. **Second** / **Next**₃ you get a record of your purchases. **Second** / **Finally**₄ you have a guarantee of a refund or replacement if the merchandise is defective.

C Complete the paragraph. Use the sentences from Exercise A. Use Exercise B as a model.

Why You Shouldn't Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you shouldn't use a credit card when you go shopping. First, _____ .
 Second, _____
 _____ . Finally, _____ .
 _____ .



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A Complete the chart. Add two more sentences.

You can pay later.	You get a large bill once a month.
You can spend too much.	You get a record of your purchases.
You don't need cash.	You pay a lot of interest.

Why you should use a credit card	Why you shouldn't use a credit card
<i>You can pay later.</i>	

B Complete the sentences.

Finally	First	Next	Second
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Why You Should Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you should use a credit card when you go shopping. _____₁ *First*, you can pay later instead of when you purchase the item. _____₂, you don't need to have cash with you, so it is safer. _____₃, you get a record of your purchases. _____₄, you have a guarantee of a refund or replacement if the merchandise is defective.

C Write a paragraph on the topic below. Use the back of this paper. Use the sentences from Exercise A and *First*, *Second*, and *Finally*. Start like this.

Why You Shouldn't Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you shouldn't use a credit card when you go shopping.

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A Complete the chart. Add four more sentences.

You can pay later.	You get a large bill once a month.
You can spend too much.	You get a record of your purchases.
You don't need cash.	You pay a lot of interest.

Why you should use a credit card	Why you shouldn't use a credit card
<i>You can pay later.</i>	

B Complete the sentences. Use transition words.

Why You Should Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you should use a credit card when you go shopping. _____¹ *First* _____, you can pay later instead of when you purchase the item. _____² _____, you don't need to have cash with you, so it is safer. _____³ _____, you get a record of your purchases. _____⁴ _____, if you buy something with a credit card, you have a guarantee of a refund or replacement if the merchandise is defective.

C Write a paragraph on the topic below. Use the back of this paper. Use the sentences from Exercise A and transition words, and add your own ideas. Start like this.

Why You Shouldn't Use a Credit Card

There are some good reasons why you shouldn't use a credit card when you go shopping.