



Lesson: Which Way to Pay?

PAYMENT DECISIONS

Name: _____

People can make purchases using different payment options

Directions: Read each scenario and answer the questions that follow.

1. Jose and his mother are buying food at the grocery store. The total is \$65. Jose's mom has a credit card and \$40 cash in her wallet. **How should she pay for the food? Why?**

2. Ryan is buying a \$3 slice of pizza at a small restaurant. The sign in the store says "cash only." Ryan has a credit card and \$5 cash. **Which payment option should he use? Why?**

3. Sera is in college. She has a debit card and \$24 cash in her wallet. She has \$120 in her checking account. Sera needs a new pair of sneakers and finds a pair she likes for \$55. **Which payment option should she use? Why?**

4. Tim needs to pay for an expensive car repair. The total is \$2,300. Tim has a credit card and a debit card in his wallet. He has \$2,800 in his checking account. His credit card limit is \$3,000 and he has already charged \$800. **Which payment option should he use? Why?** (Please show your math.)