



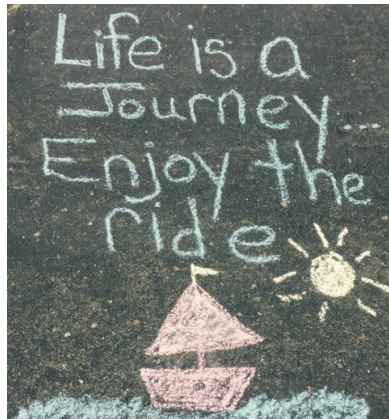
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Chalk the Walks 2016

The Milford Bank and Milford Prevention Council encourage you to "Chalk the Walks" on August 17th! The goal is to spread kindness and joy with sidewalk chalk. Join the nationwide event by spending 10 minutes outside writing an uplifting message or drawing a happy picture in chalk on your sidewalk, driveway or parking lot. Be sure to ask an adult for permission!

**GET A FREE BOX OF CHALK
AT ANY OFFICE OF THE MILFORD BANK!**



Parents: Share your child's chalk creation on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter and tag or mention The Milford Bank!

Money Funnies

**What did the duck say
after it went shopping?**
Put it on my bill!

**Why did the student
eat a dollar bill?**
His mother told him
it was for lunch.

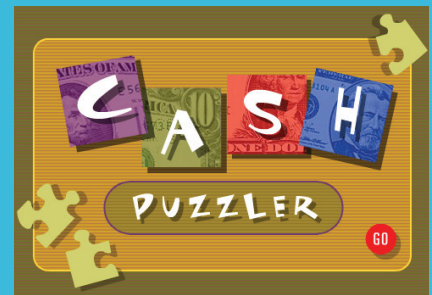
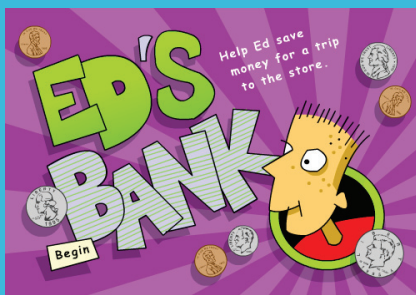
**What does a bird say when it
comes across a good deal?**
Cheap cheap!

**Where can you
always find money?**
In the dictionary.



Online Games for Kids

Did you know you can play games on our website? Go to www.milfordbank.com/centsible-kids for educational games about money and saving! Ask your parents for permission before going online.



Money Doesn't Grow on Trees!

You have probably heard the phrase "Money doesn't grow on trees". That usually means that you should be careful with money, because it is not easy to come by. Most people have to work hard to earn money. It's true that money doesn't come from trees – but it CAN grow! When you keep your money in a savings account, the bank gives you a little extra (called *interest*) which is added to your account every month. How much interest you earn depends on how much money is saved – so the more money in the bank, the more interest! Another way to make your money grow is to add money to your bank account (called *deposits*) on a regular basis. Even \$2 a week adds up to over \$104 in one year!



Important Safety Tips

The Milford Bank wants Pokémon Go players to catch 'em all safely. Follow these tips from Connecticut State Police:

1. Don't play while driving
2. Don't trespass (scaling fences... etc.)
3. Don't fight or argue with other players
4. Don't be lured places you're not familiar with
5. Have fun – get out and explore your community!
6. Stay alert and aware of surroundings
7. Make yourself visible when playing at night
8. Play with friends and family!

Mention Pokémon Go at any office of The Milford Bank for a FREE blink light (for night time safety) while supplies last.

For Parents

Did you know that children who save money are more likely to go to college? That is good news for your Centsible Kids, but it's also a big financial burden when it comes time to pay tuition. Here are some resources to help you:

Financial Learning Center

Explore learningcenter.milfordbank.com to learn all about planning for your children's college education, including saving strategies, financial aid, student loans, tax incentives and more.

Scholarship Finder

Also in our learning center, you'll find our Scholarship Finder tool. Answer a few easy questions to find scholarships your high school student qualifies for.

Dedicated Bankers

Your family's financial needs are important to us. The Milford Bank is always here to help. Let's talk about your college planning options: 203-783-5700



Have a Summer Saving Story?

Share it with us for a chance to be featured in an upcoming newsletter! Email your stories and photos to newsletter@milfordbank.com.