



ChequeItOut Christmas Competition

Build a Bank & Fund a Festive Business! 🏛️🎁

Welcome

Hello Money Champions!

This Christmas, ChequeItOut is inviting you to become bank designers and smart decision-makers. You will create your own bank, learn how it keeps money safe, and decide which Christmas business deserves a loan. Get ready to draw, imagine, and think like a real banker – with Penny the Piggy Bank cheering you on!



🎯 What Is This Challenge About?

You will complete two fun activities:

🏦 Part 1: Design Your Own Christmas Bank

Create a bank that helps people save money safely and support good ideas during Christmas.

🎁 Part 2: Choose a Festive Business to Fund

Decide which Christmas-themed business your bank would give a loan to – and explain why.

You can draw, colour, build, or design digitally. There is no right or wrong design – just smart thinking!

Design your own bank

1. Bank Name

Give your bank a fun, festive name!

Examples:

Penny's Holiday Savings Bank

Ubuntu Christmas Community Bank

Star Saver Bank

🎨 Graphic idea: A big signboard or logo at the top of the page

2. Important Areas Inside the Bank

Draw and label at least three of these areas:

🏦 Lobby – where people ask questions

🔒 Vault – where money is kept safe

💵 Savings Desk – where money grows

📝 Loan Desk – where people ask for loans

3. Safety Features

Show 2–3 ways your bank stays safe:

Locks 🔒

Security guards 🚂

Cameras 📸

Alarms 💥

🎨 Graphic idea: Shield icons, locks, or stars around the vault

4. Who Is Your Bank For?

Show who uses your bank:

Families

Children

Small businesses

Community members

🎨 Graphic idea: Small stick people or families entering the bank



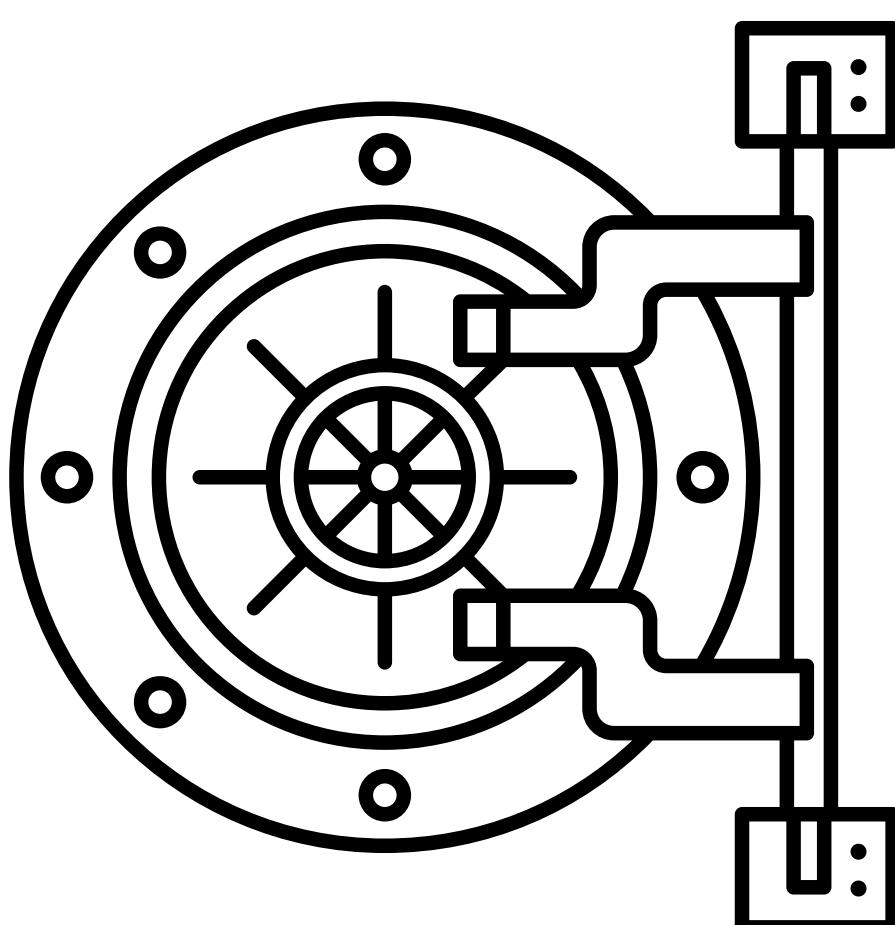
Design Your Own Bank

Don't worry if you're not sure what to draw – we've provided templates and stickers to help you get started. You can colour, decorate, and make them your own!

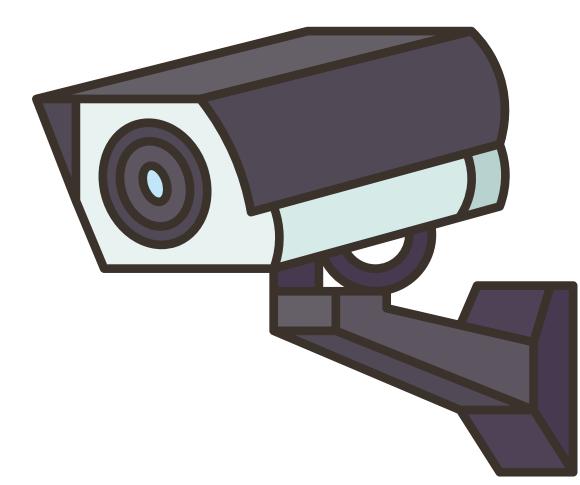
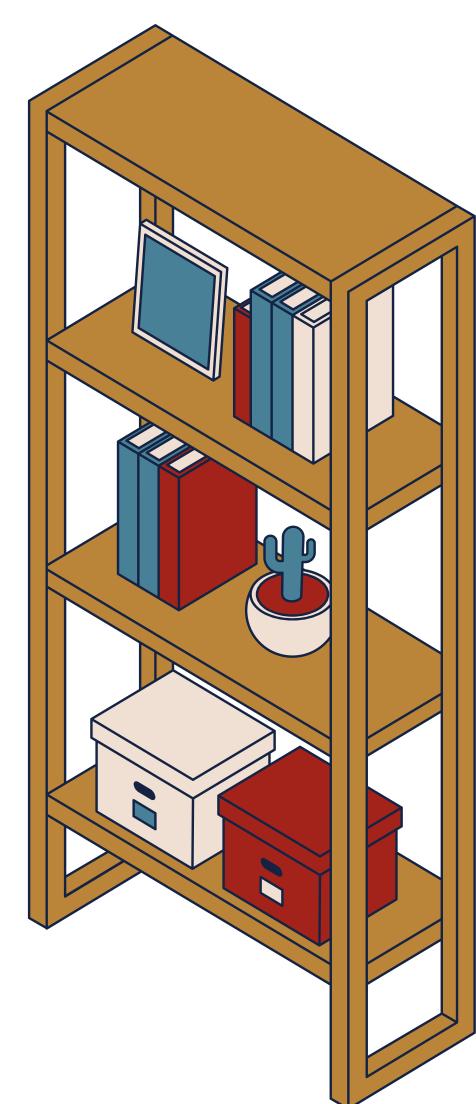
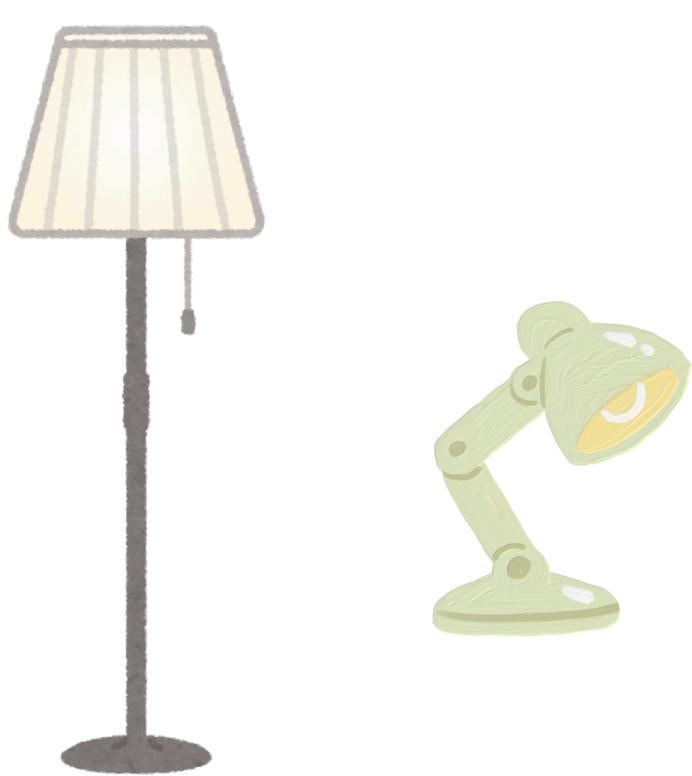
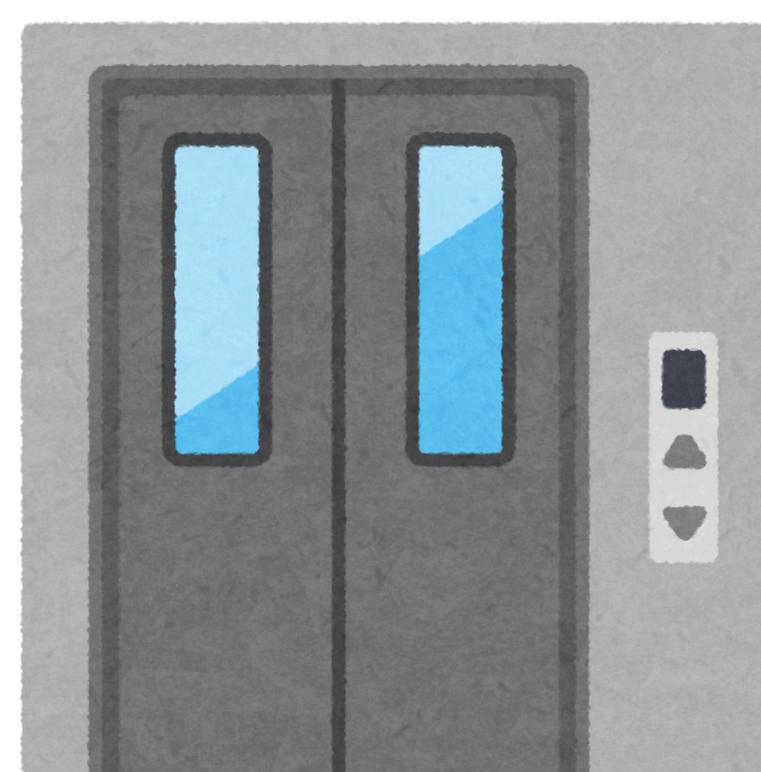
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Design your vault :



Design your lobby :





Festive Loan Challenge



🎄 If your bank could support ONE Christmas business, which one would it choose?

1. Lila from Magic Treats 🎁🎄

"Hi! I'm Amina, and I love cooking for my community. I started Merry Meals, a Christmas food business that sells warm festive meals to busy families and elders. During the holidays, people don't always have time to cook — but everyone still needs to eat! If you give my business a loan, I'll buy ingredients and serve joy, one plate at a time."



2. Thabo from Toy Fix-It 🚧🧸

"Hey! I'm Thabo, and I like fixing things. I started Toy Fix-It, a Christmas repair business that fixes broken toys so children don't need brand-new ones. Not every family can buy new toys, but every child deserves joy. With a loan, I'll buy tools and help toys work again!"



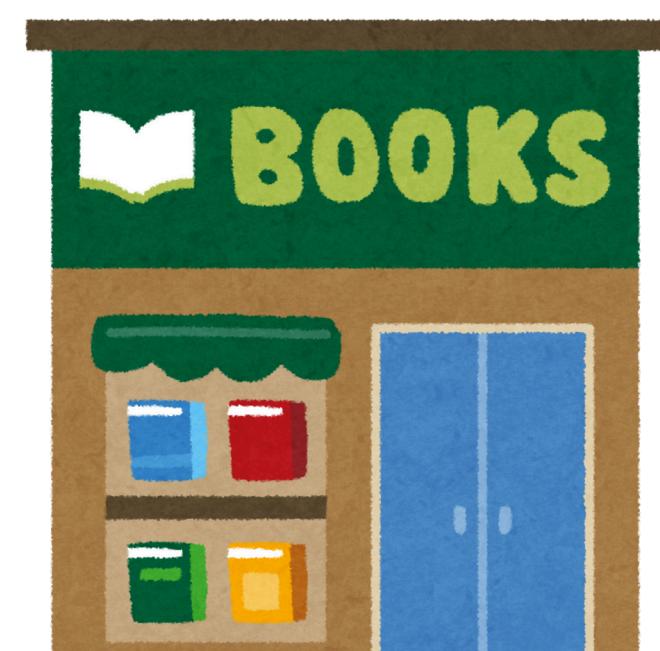
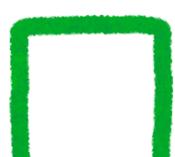
3. Ava from Festive Fashion 🎃🌟

"Hi! I'm Ava, and I love clothes. I started Festive Fashion, a shop selling Christmas outfits, sweaters, and accessories for parties and family events. People love dressing up at Christmas! A loan would help me buy materials and make more clothes to sell."



4. Noah from Holiday Story Books 📖🎄

"Hey! I'm Noah, and I love reading. I run Holiday Story Books, a book shop selling fun Christmas stories and learning books for kids. Books make great gifts and last a long time. If I get a loan, I can print or buy more books for families."



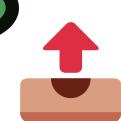
🏦 Think Like a Bank!

Before giving the loan, ask yourself:

- Why is this a good Christmas business?
- How will the business earn money to pay the bank back?
- Who will buy it?



How to Enter & Win!



How to Submit Your Entry

You can submit your work by any of these ways:

- 📸 Taking a photo of your drawing or craft
- ✍️ Writing a short explanation
- 🎤 Sending a voice note
- 🎥 Recording a short video presenting your bank and business
- 💻 Creating a digital design

(Choose the way you like best!)



Where to Send It

Send your entry via:

- 📱 WhatsApp - **+44 7469 241531**
- ✉️ Email - **chequeitout.contact@gmail.com**



How Winners Will Be Chosen

Judges will look for:

- 🏦 Clear bank design
- 💡 Smart loan decision
- 🎄 Festive creativity
- 🧠 Clear explanation



Everyone who enters will be celebrated!

- 🏅 Prizes & Certificates
- 🎉 ChequeItOut Christmas Champion Certificate
- 🐷 Piggy banks
- 📝 Stationery & books
- 🌟 Feature on ChequeItOut platforms

