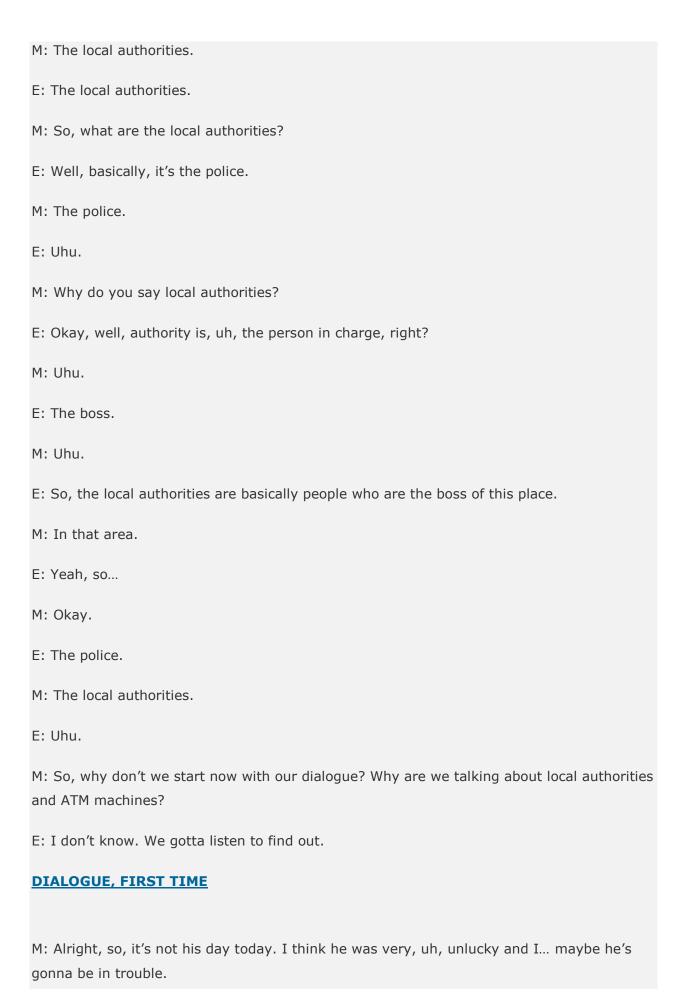
M: Hello everyone! Welcome back to another great lesson here with us at EnglishPod! My name is Marco. E: And I'm Erica. M: And today we're gonna be getting money. E: That's right. We're going to have a lesson about the ATM. M: The ATM or... E: Automatic Teller Machine. M: Okay, that's what it stands for, ATM. E: Uhu. M: So, we're gonna be looking at the language that you'll probably find in an ATM maybe in the United States or in an English speaking country. E: That's right. Um, but before we begin, why don't we look at some vocabulary that we'll hear in the dialogue? Voice: Vocabulary preview. M: As we mentioned, the ATM or automatic teller machine is the machine where you get your money, right? E: Exactly. M: And also, well, some people or in different places they may call it the **bank machine**. E: Yeah, or maybe the **cash machine**. M: Uhu. E: Uhu. M: Or just a **money machine** or something. Alright... E: So, ATM. M: ATM. And now, let's take a look at our next word. E: Local authorities.



E: I know and he was on a date. This is probably one of the worst things that can happen to a guy when he's on a date.

M: Alright, yeah, so, well, we saw some of, ah, language that was related to an ATM, money and banking.

E: Uhu.

M: So, why don't we take a look at that now in "language takeaway"?

Voice: Language takeaway.

E: Alright, so, the guy had to insert his card into the **slot**.

M: Okay, so, slot.

E: Slot.

M: Alright, slot. And that is an **opening**, right? Or a type of hole, maybe.

E: Yeah, it's a hole that is usually long.

M: Long and... it's like a rectangular hole.

E: Yeah, it.. a slot is never a circle.

M: Okay, so, for example, when you get mail...

E: Uhu.

M: The mailman will put into your mailbox through the slot.

E: That's right.

M: Okay. Now, well... and now that he put his card into the slot, he had to input a **six-digit PIN code**.

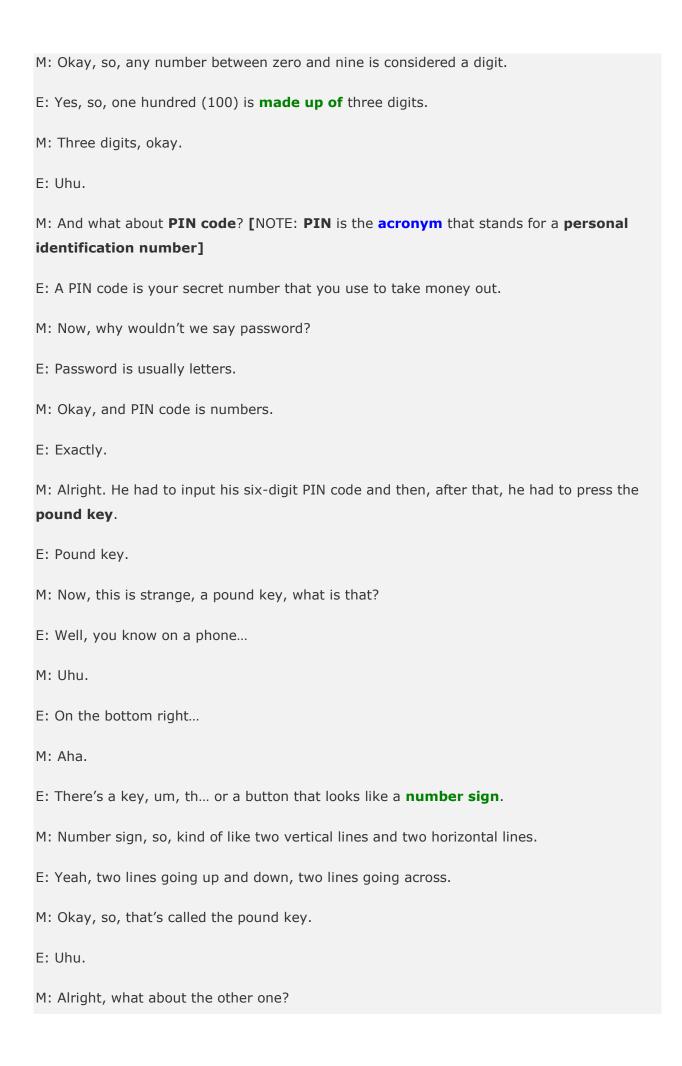
E: Wanna just do both together? Digit and PIN code.

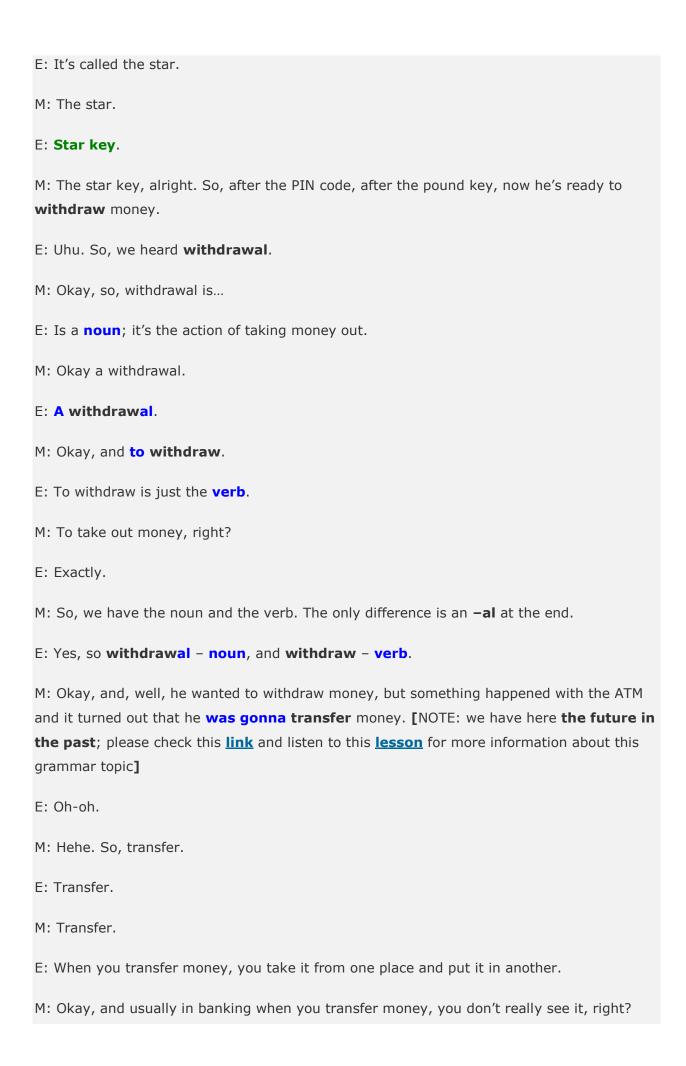
M: Yeah.

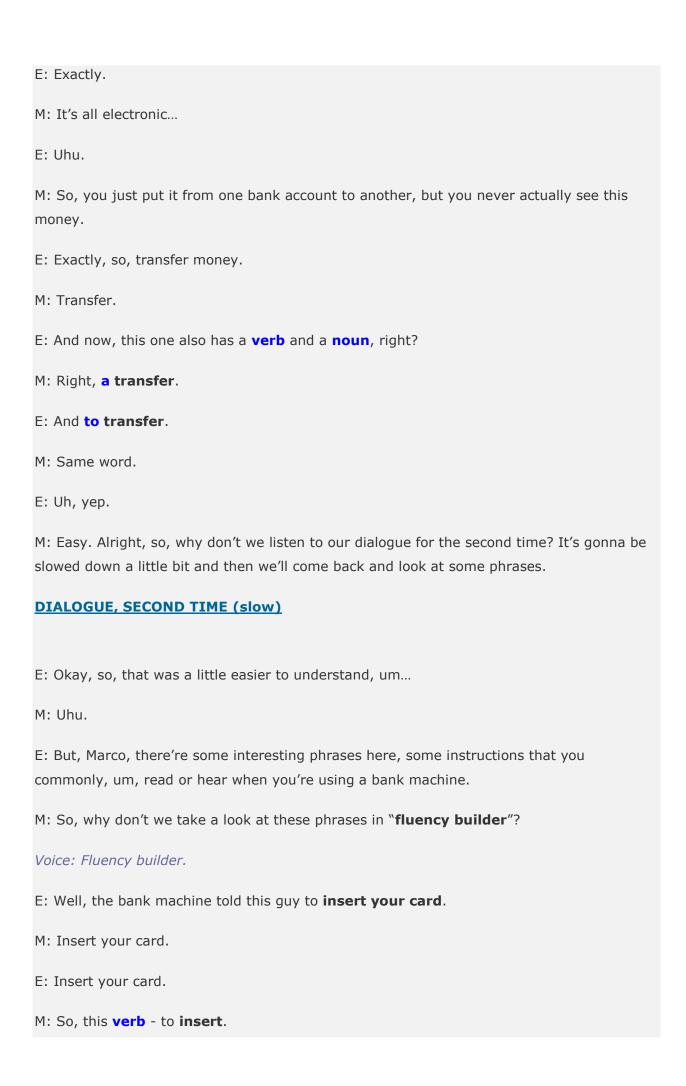
E: Okay, so, a six-digit PIN code.

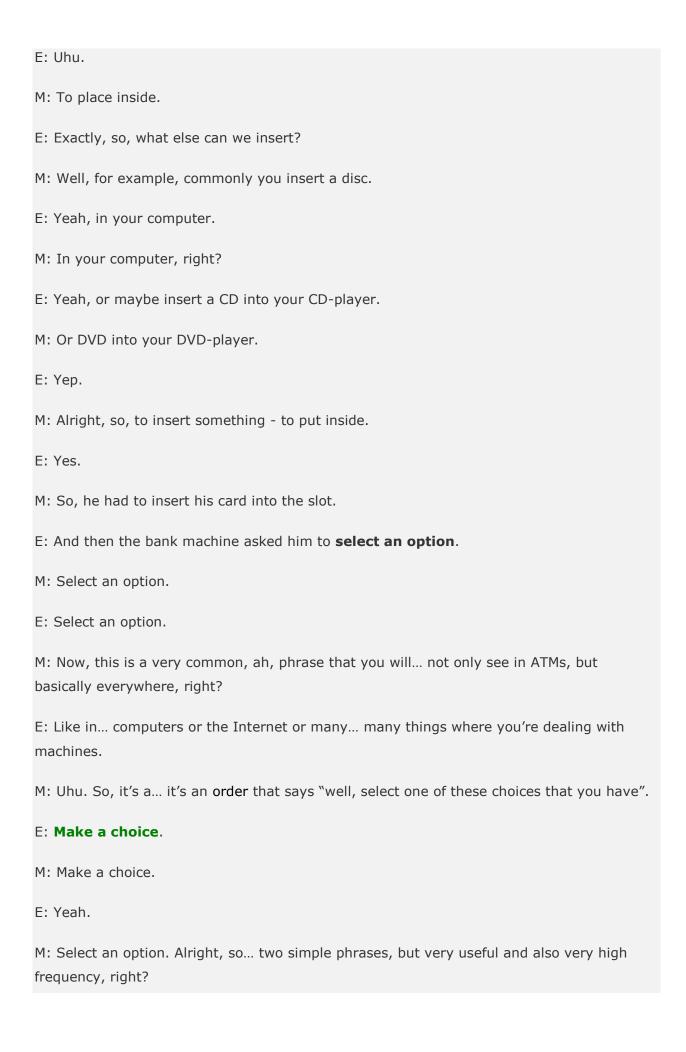
M: Alright, now, we have two words here that are new. Digit.

E: Digit is basically a number between zero and nine.









E: Yeah, and you know what? When you use phrases like these two, it sounds quite professional, doesn't it? M: Yeah, a... a little bit formal. E: Uhu. M: Okay. So, why don't we listen to our dialogue for the last time and then we'll come back and talk a little bit more. **DIALOGUE, THIRD TIME** M: Alright, Erica, so, what about you? Have you ever had any problems with the ATM? E: I've had more problems than I can count. M: Hehe. What happened? E: Well, I think in the last two years I've probably lost about seven bank cards in an ATM. M: Really? E: Yeah. M: You forget it... E: Yes. M: In the slot. E: Yeah, I leave it in the slot and then walk away from the bank machine and... no bank cards. M: Well, I think now the ATMs, because this is the common problem... E: Yeah. M: Um, now they have like a little alarm that when you take out your money and everything, it just starts beeping and beeping until you take out your card. E: Yes and I like the bank machines that actually give you your card first... M: Uhu.

E: And then give you your money.

M: Ah. E: Cause if they give me my money first, that's all I want, right? M: Hehe. E: So, I run away with my money and leave my card in the bank machine. M: Hehe. Right, I think that's a good idea. I've... I've never seen that before, though. E: In Switzerland they have them like that. M: In Switzerland. E: Yeah. M: Or what about the ATMs that you only have to **swipe** your card? [NOTE: in this context swipe means to pass your card through a special machine/device that "reads" the information encoded in a magnetic strip of the card] E: Oh, yeah, I've done that as well and also ruined a bank card with that. M: Hehe. E: I swiped it too many times, put in a wrong PIN code and... M: It blocked your card. E: Yeah, terrible. M: Hehe. Well, what about you guys? I su... I'm sure everyone has some experience or some inconvenience with ATM machines. So, why don't you come to our website and tell us all about it? E: You can also find lots more resources on our website, uh, to help your learn English, so check it out and until next time... M: Good bye! E: Bye!