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## Questions for Guided Reading 2

(low intermediate and above)

Questions for class discussion:

1. In the sentence “you give the lender a check for the amount of money you want to borrow – plus a fee,” what does the word “plus” mean?
2. In the sentence “the lender keeps your check and gives you cash – less the fee they charge,” what does the word “less” mean?
3. In the sentence “You owe the amount you borrowed plus the fee,” what does the word “plus” mean?

### A Story About a Payday Loan

What the Website Says	What Happens in Our Story
You go to see a payday lender to borrow money.	
You give the lender a check for the amount of money you want to borrow – plus a fee.	
The lender keeps your check and gives you cash – less the fee they charge.	
On your next payday, you have to pay the lender in cash.	
You owe the amount you borrowed plus the fee.	