
Questions for Guided Listening

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Questions for Guided Listening - Answer Key

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Rent

Food

Car payment

Gas

Insurance

Credit card bills

Utilities

Other bills

2. When you call a company that you owe money to, what should you do?

Explain why you have trouble paying your bill

Ask for a payment plan

3. What are two things that a good credit counselor will do?

Several possible answers here:

Spend time with you, ask you about your finances,

help you make a budget / plan, talk with you

4. What are two things that a good credit counselor will not do?

Promise to fix all your problems

Charge you a lot of money before doing anything

5. When you choose a credit counselor, what should you look for?

Someone you can meet in person

Someone who can help you make a budget

Someone who can help you make a plan to stay out of debt