Mortgage

...a monthly installment payment to buy a house.



Credit Card

A card that will "lend" you money at a set interest rate



Annual Percentage Rate (APR)

An annual percentage rate (APR) is the annual rate charged for borrowing



Debit Card

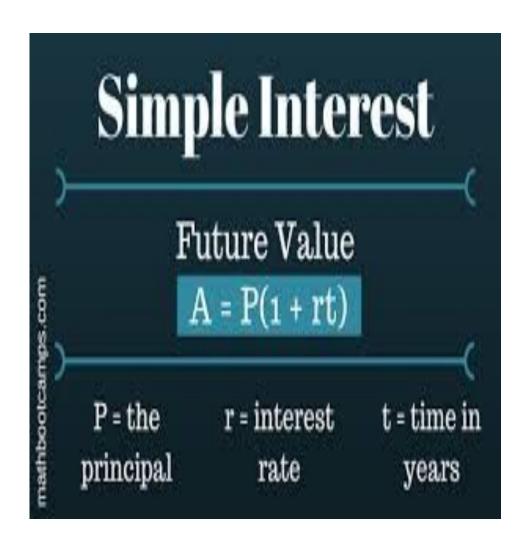
A card that removes money from your bank account and

"pays" for things.



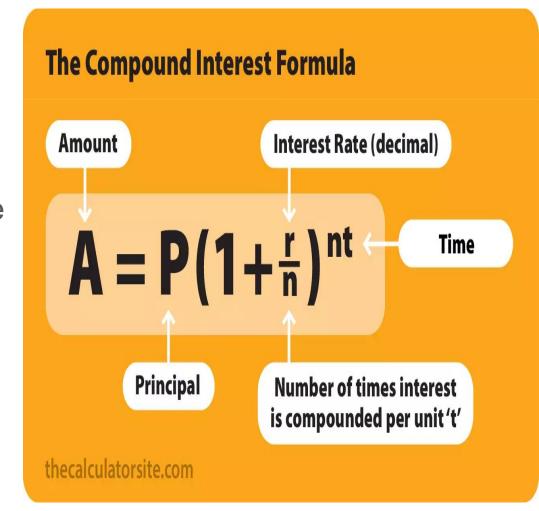
Simple Interest

Simple interest is a quick and easy method of calculating the interest charge on a loan. Simple interest is determined by multiplying the daily interest rate by the principal by the number of days that elapse between payments.



Compound interest

Compound interest is interest calculated on the initial principaland all of the accumulated interest of previous periods of a deposit or loan.



Annual Fee

An extra fee paid to a credit card company for the privilege of

having their card.



Minimum Payment

The very least a credit card company says you have to pay each month. Please try and pay more than this.



Late fee

An extra charge if you don't make your monthly credit card payments.

