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## Checking Account - Check Registers 2

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## Formula for Calculating Your Check Register Balance

Previous Balance - Check Amount = New Balance

Previous Balance + Deposit Amount = New Balance

## Directions: Read the information carefully. Then complete the check registers.

1. Janice Reynolds has forgotten to write some of her transactions in her check register. Record the following transactions of March 11 in her check register. Janice had an opening balance of $\$ 162.58$. She wrote check \#956 at McDonalds for \$8.10. She wrote check \#957 at Get Stepping Shoes for \$39.99. She deposited her Christmas bonus of $\$ 250.00$.

2. Bryson Oliver has forgotten to write some of his transactions in his check register. Record the following transactions of June 14 in his check register. Bryson had an opening balance of $\$ 506.87$. He wrote check \#1002 to the Johnson Power Company for $\$ 159.46$. He wrote check \#1003 to Target for $\$ 76.81$. He wrote check $\$ 1004$ to Murphy's Gas Station for $\$ 20.00$. He deposited his payroll check of $\$ 1,464.00$.


## Answer Key Checking Account - Check Registers 1

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Directions: Complete the check registers below and answer the questions.

| Check \# | Date | Description | Check <br> Amount |  | Deposit Amount |  | Balance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Balance Forward --------- |  |  |  | 32 | 26 |
| 256 | 9/25 | Hillcrest Water Association | 12 | 25 |  |  | 20 | 01 |
|  | 9/30 | Deposit - Payroll Check |  |  | 468 | 21 | 488 | 22 |
| 257 | 10/1 | Henderson Electric | 121 | 14 |  |  | 367 | 08 |
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1. The above check register belongs to Maggie Smithfield. What is her checking account balance after depositing her payroll check? \$488.22
2. What is Maggie's ending balance? $\$ 367.08$

| Check \# | Date | Description | Check <br> Amount |  | Deposit Amount |  | Balance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Balance Forward --------- |  |  |  | 148 | 32 |
| 1452 | 8/25 | Sanderson Deli | 14 | 87 |  |  | 133 | 45 |
|  | 9/1 | Deposit - Cash |  |  | 694 | 67 | 828 | 12 |
| 1453 | 9/10 | JC Penny | 254 | 32 |  |  | 573 | 80 |
| 1454 | 9/11 | Gilreath's Tire | 168 | 51 |  |  | 405 | 29 |
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3. The above check register is for Michael Hall. What is his beginning balance? $\$ 148.32$
4. What is Michael's balance after going to the tire shop? $\$ 405.29$
5. What is Michael's balance after making a deposit? $\$ 828.12$

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|  |  |  | Balance Forward --------- |  |  |  | 162 | 58 |
| 956 | 3/11 | McDonalds | 8 | 10 |  |  | 154 | 48 |
| 957 | 3/11 | Get Stepping Shoes | 39 | 99 |  |  | 114 | 49 |
|  | 3/11 | Deposit - Christmas Bonue |  |  | 250 | 00 | 364 | 49 |
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2. Bryson Oliver has forgotten to write some of his transactions in his check register. Record the following transactions of June 14 in his check register. Bryson had an opening balance of $\$ 506.87$. He wrote check $\# 1002$ to the Johnson Power Company for $\$ 159.46$. He wrote check \#1003 to Target for $\$ 76.81$. He wrote check $\$ 1004$ to Murphy's Gas Station for $\$ 20.00$. He deposited his payroll check of $\$ 1,464.00$.

| Check \# | Date | Description | Check <br> Amount |  | Deposit Amount |  | Balance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Balance Forward --------- |  |  |  | 506 | 87 |
| 1002 | 6/14 | Johnson's Power Company | 159 | 46 |  |  | 347 | 41 |
| 1003 | 6/14 | Target | 76 | 81 |  |  | 270 | 60 |
| 1004 | 6/14 | Murphy's Gas Station | 20 | 00 |  |  | 250 | 60 |
|  | 6/14 | Deposit - Payroll Check |  |  | 1464 | 00 | 1714 | 60 |
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