Date **Reading a Credit Card Statement**

A credit card statement includes information such as the credit card transactions you made in a month, credit card payments, finance charges, payments due, and your available credit. Understanding how to read your credit card statement is important so you can make sure you understand where you are spending your money, and also to make sure the transactions appearing on the statement are correct.

Morgan received the following credit card statement. Answer the questions that follow.



Money Instructor Bank **CREDIT CARD STATEMENT**

Name Morgan Credit Line \$5,000.00 **Previous Balance** \$927.00

Account Number 8184 9809 2212 7860 Available Credit \$4,745.00 Purchases \$255.00

Statement Date **FEB 28** New Balance \$255.00 **Payments** \$927.00

Payment Due Date MAR 10 Minimum Payment Due \$50.00 **Finance Charge** \$0.00

| TRANSACTION NUMBER | DATE | DESCRIPTION | AMOUNT |
|-----------------------|--------|----------------------------|--------|
| | FEB 1 | Payment | 927.00 |
| 92 | FEB 3 | Isabella's Auto Repair | 39.00 |
| 93 | FEB 4 | Austin's Phone Company | 17.00 |
| 94 | FEB 6 | Christopher's Furniture | 42.00 |
| 95 | FEB 10 | Alexander's Clothing Store | 59.00 |
| 96 | FEB 12 | Alexander's Books | 27.00 |
| 97 | FEB 13 | Jaden's Restaurant | 71.00 |
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QUESTIONS

- 1. What was the previous balance on Morgan's credit card?
- 2. What date is the credit card payment due?
- 3. How many charges, or transactions, were completed on this statement?
- 4. What is the minimum payment that must be paid?
- 5. How much did Morgan make in payments to the credit card company?
- 6. What is the individual's account number?
- 7. How much was charged during the period of this statement?
- 8. What is the date of the credit card statement?
- 9. What is Morgan's available credit?
- 10. How much more can Morgan charge on the credit card?