Services and service providers

In today’s lesson, the objective is to **expand your vocabulary** related to **services.**

A **service** is an action that a person does for someone else. While **goods** are *things* you can touch. **Services** are *actions*, such as haircuts, mail delivery, shoe or car repair, teaching, financial services etc. They are **paid for** just like goods.

Fill in the table with suitable words to complete the **service providers** and the **service** they provide. Learn them. Think about which services you use often / sometimes / hardly ever / never. Then fill in the three remaining rows with your own ideas (e.g. doctor/vet, etc.)

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|   | SERVICE PROVIDER | SERVICE |
| 1 |   |  you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an account/savings account |
|   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a loan/mortgage |
| 2 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new haircut |
| 3 |   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the car |
| 4 |   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a book |
| 5 |   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a holiday |
| 6 |   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a pizza |
| 7 |   | you can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a letter, |
| 8 |   | he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your car |
| 9 |   | he\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ water/gas pipes or washing machine |
| 10 |  *fill in your own ideas here* |  *fill in your own ideas here* |
| 11 |  *fill in your own ideas here* |  *fill in your own ideas here* |
| 12 |  *fill in your own ideas here* |  *fill in your own ideas here* |
|   | **post office, mechanic, travel agent´s, pizza delivery, hairdresser´s, bank, barber´s, library, plumber, gas station/petrol station** | send - take out - open - get - order - book - repair (2x) - fill up - borrow |

**Answer key**

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|   | SERVICE PROVIDER | SERVICE |
| 1 |  bank |  you can open an account/savings account |
|   | you can take out a loan/mortgage |
| 2 | hairdresser´s, barber´s | you can get a new haircut |
| 3 |  gas station/petrol station | you can fill up the car |
| 4 |  library | you can borrow a book |
| 5 |  travel agent´s | you can book a holiday |
| 6 |  pizza delivery | you can order a pizza |
| 7 |  post office | you can send a letter, |
| 8 |  mechanic | he repairs your car |
| 9 |  plumber | he repairs water/gas pipes or washing machine |
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