**Comparing Banking Services:**

In this activity, you will work with a partner to research and compare banking services.

1. When you opened your first bank account what factors did you consider when choosing your bank, and type of bank account?
2. Use the internet to research banking services at a ***local bank or credit union***.
3. What are five types of accounts and other services offered by the financial institution?

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| **Bank** | **Account Name** | **Services** |
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1. List the types of transactions that can be made using internet or telephone banking.
2. What types of transactions must be done in person?
3. Describe three advantages and three disadvantages of online banking.

Advantages:

 1.

 2.

 3.

Disadvantages:

 1.

 2.

 3.

**Protecting Your Personal and Financial Information:**

1. Find out how financial institutions protect your personal information if you are an account-holder.
2. Describe how you can ensure the security of your personal and financial information when using your bank card.
3. Create a list of “Tips to Protect Your Personal and Financial Information.”