

Forms of ID - to open a bank account you must be able to provide your identity. This list below shows what documents can be accepted as forms of identity, the table shown on the inside of this leaflet shows which bank accepts which form of identity. Photocopies are not usually accepted.

1	Passport	17	Letter from employer
2	Driving licence	18	Firearms certificate
3	EU National ID card	19	Residence permit
4	Utility bill - current	20	Birth certificate (under 18)
5	Council tax bill - current	21	Local Education Authority award letter (students)
6	DWP benefit letter	22	National Insurance Number Card with P45/60
7	Tax Credit letter	23	Student Identification
8	UK bank, credit card or mortgage statement	24	Student Loan letter (students)
9	NHS Med Card (under 20)	25	Armed forces ID card
10	Private tenancy agreement	26	Home Office Letter
11	Housing benefit entitlement letter	27	Vehicle Registration document
12	HMRC (Inland Revenue) letter	28	Motor of home insurance certificate
13	Letter from person of responsibility (doctor, policeman)	29	Construction Industry scheme card
14	Disabled drivers pass		
15	TV licence renewal notice		
16	Pensioners travel pass		

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The table below lists the different banks that you can find in Torrington and the basic bank accounts that they offer. It also lists some of the services they offer, such as a cheque book or debit card and whether you can arrange standing orders or use the Post Office to get money out. Please look at the back of this leaflet for details of proofs of identity that each bank will accept.

Name of bank	Address	Name of account	Standing Orders	Cheque book	Card	Post Office access	Forms of ID accepted (please see over page)
Barclays	Bideford	Cash Card account (takes up to a week to open)			Cash card		Proof of who you are: 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 14 Proof of where you live: 1, 4, 5, 6, 8, 14, 28,
Natwest	Holsworthy	Step Current plus (take 20 minutes to open)			Cash card Debit card		Proof of who you are: 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 14, 16, 18, 20, 25, 27, 31 Proof of where you live: 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 11, 12, 14, 21, 24, 29
Nationwide	Bideford Torrington	Cash card account			Cash card		Proof of who you are: 1, 2, 3, 6, 14 Proof of where you live: 4, 5, 8

* Please note that Lloyds, Halifax and HSBC banks also provide bank accounts in Torrington, please contact your local branch for further information.