

What is the difference between public and private goods and services?

Public Good (Everyone can use)

Private Good (You must buy for your own use)

City bus



Your own automobile



City streets



Your own driveway



Public school



Your own house



What is the difference between public and private goods and services?

Public Service (Everyone can use)

Private Service (You must pay for to use)

Firefighters putting out a fire at your house.



Lawn care workers cutting the grass at your house.



Police officers patrolling the streets to keep you safe.



Carpet cleaners cleaning the carpet in your house.



Garbage collectors taking trash and recyclables from your house.



Carpenters repairing a porch at your house.



Which is a public good or service and which is a private good or service?



Oshkosh Community Water Park



Backyard playground



Using a computer at your home



Using a computer at the public library