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March Newsletter

Check out our latest news below, and remember, you can always follow us on social media to keep up with the latest consumer news. For specific queries and issues, please call our helpline, on Lo-call **1890 432 432** or **(01) 402 5555**

DEPOSIT OR TRADE-IN

START WITH

TYPICALLY
10-30% OF THE
CASH PRICE

MONTHLY PAYMENT

MAKE FIXED
MONTHLY PAYMENTS

USUALLY 24, 36 OR 48 PAYMENTS

Based on an agreed contract length and an agreed
guaranteed minimum future value (GMFV) for the vehicle

FINAL OPTION

at the end of the
CONTRACT

YOU CAN

- 1) PAY THE GMFV
and keep the car
- 2) PART EXCHANGE
as a deposit on your
next car
- 3) RETURN THE CAR
and owe no more

Understanding Personal Contract Plans (PCPs)

PCPs are an increasingly popular way for consumers to pay for their car, but it's important to understand how these products work. Here's a quick overview of the main features of a PCP -

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Competition time!

Fancy winning a €50 One-For-All voucher? To enter, just tell us your best tip for throwing a children's party on a budget. Whether it's a communion, confirmation, birthday or any other celebration. Check out our competition on [Facebook](#) for details. But be quick - the competition closes tomorrow at 2pm!

Making a claim after Storm Emma

You may have suffered damage to your car or home or found your travel plans disrupted as a result of Storm Emma. We have information that can help you if you need to make a claim -

[Read more](#)

Digital and crypto-currencies

There's lots of talk about crypto-currencies as a new way of investing money. We take a look at some important questions, to help you get to grips with digital currencies -

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Renting a car on holidays

If you're thinking of renting a car abroad it's important that you're up to speed with all the terms and conditions before you drive away. Our top tips will help you understand all the T&Cs -

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Recent product recalls

We have published a number of product recalls in the product safety section of our website. These recalls relate to products such as toys, cars and electrical goods. We have a full list on our website and also share them on our [Facebook page](#) -

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