LOAN PRODUCT COMPARISON SHEET



There are many great loan products available to homeowners.

Below is a comparison of the four most popular loan products and a bit of information about each.

MAIN FEATURES COMPARISON









Summary	Most Popular	Great for 1st- Time Buyers	For rural properties	For Veterans
Credit Score - Minimum	620	580	620	580
Down Payment - Minimum	3% - First Time 5% - Standard	3.5%	N/A	N/A
Mortgage Insurance* Funding Fee** Guarantee Fee***	*% is based upon loan size, credit score & property location Yes - until 80% of home value is paid	**1.75% Yes - for life of loan	***1% Yes - for life of loan. The percentage decreases each year based upon loan balance.	**2.3% (1st loan) **3.6% (2nd loan and beyond) Yes - for life of loan
2nd Homes Allowed	YES	NO	NO	YES****
Homeownership Education Course - 1st Time Homebuyers	Yes \$75 - \$100	N/A	N/A	N/A

**** A 2nd home is allowed if there is adequate VA eligibility benefit leftover from the purchase of first home.



