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Your New \$1 1/2 Banknote





Front of note

A new \$ $\frac{1}{2}$ banknote has been introduced and it is important that you know what to look for to verify whether a note is genuine or not.

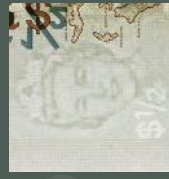
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Feel



1 The characteristic raised print of genuine banknotes can be found throughout the note. This can be felt by running your fingers across various areas of the note such as: the Bank title and the larger \$1/2 numerals.

Look



2 The watermark of Her Majesty the Queen – the same subject as the printed portrait on the front of the note – along with a lighter area reading '\$1/2'. You can see this from both sides of the note.



3 That the security thread is actually a solid line rather than just the windows that can be seen on the surface of the note.

Tilt



4 On the front of the banknote there is lizird that changes colour from metallic gold to green as you tilt the note.



5 There is a subtle, lustrous golden band across the back of the note. In this band you can see repeating images of the letters CBB, \$1/2 and a basket weave pattern.

Check



8 There are some areas of the note that just look like plain areas of print or simple lines, but when using a magnifying lens, you will see that they actually read 'CENTRAL BANK OF THE BAHAMAS FIFTY CENTS' and 'CBB'.



7 If you look at the note under ultra violet (UV) light, you will see a number of features revealed – on the front you will see a large lizird, \$1/2 and the vertical serial number. On the back a large area of yellow/green print together with basket weave pattern. You will also notice that there are scattered fibres all over the note that show up under UV light.