

Introduction to Computers

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1. A ____ requires the capabilities of a workstation or other type of powerful computer.

- a. small office/home office user
- b. power user
- c. mobile user
- d. home user

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2. Once software is installed, you can ____ it.

- a. debug
- b. run
- c. code
- d. label

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3. A mainframe computer fits ____.

- a. on a desk
- b. in a small cabinet
- c. in a partial room
- d. on your lap or in your hand

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4. Six widely used ____ are the keyboard, mouse, microphone, scanner, digital camera, and Web cam.

- a. input devices
- b. storage devices
- c. output devices
- d. system units

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5. Through ____, health-care professionals in separate locations conduct live conferences on the computer.

- a. neural networks
- b. telemedicine
- c. distance learning
- d. computer-aided health-care (CAH)

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6. Computers process data into _____.

- a. storage
- b. communications
- c. memory
- d. information

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7. Generating information from a computer requires the following five elements: hardware, software, data, people, and _____.

- a. memory
- b. output
- c. input
- d. procedures

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8. The major differences between the _____ and client computers are that the _____ ordinarily has more power, more storage space, and expanded communications capabilities.

- a. smart terminal
- b. desktop
- c. server
- d. workgroup

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9. Processing involves computing (adding, subtracting, etc.), _____, organizing, displaying pictures, recording audio clips, playing music, and showing a movie or video.

- a. debugging
- b. sorting
- c. compiling
- d. coding

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11. For security purposes, some ____ have a built-in fingerprint reader, which allows you to work with the computer only if your fingerprint is recognized.

- a. printers
- b. monitors
- c. keyboards
- d. hard disks

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12. Each employee or customer who uses a computer in the large business is a ____ user.

- a. large business
- b. power
- c. SOHO
- d. mobile

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13. With a ____, you interact with the software using text, graphics, and visual images such as icons.

- a. utility program
- b. communications device
- c. graphical user interface
- d. digital pen

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14. A widely used ____ is a modem.

- a. input device
- b. communications device
- c. hard disk
- d. motherboard

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15. A ____ is a portable storage device that is small and lightweight enough to be transported on a keychain or in a pocket.

- a. CD
- b. USB flash drive
- c. Zip disk
- d. DVD

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16. ____ typically have a desktop computer to perform some or all of their duties.

- a. Large Business users
- b. Power users
- c. Small Office/Home Office users
- d. Mobile users

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17. When a computer connects to a network, it is ____.

- a. compiled
- b. processed
- c. coded
- d. online

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18. The ____ must be reliable and capable of handling the expected workload.

- a. hardware
- b. procedures
- c. data
- d. people

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19. Two types of system software are the operating system and ____.

- a. application software
- b. utility programs
- c. Web page authoring software
- d. spreadsheet software

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20. Many people believe that computer literacy is vital to success in today's world.

True or False