COMPUTER THREATS

1. How does a virus harm a computer's hard disk?
A. By reformatting it without warning
B. By destroying some parts of the hard disk
C. By slowing down the processing speed
D. All of the above

2. What is a characteristic of worms?
A. They require a host program to replicate
B. They move from computer to computer using physical media
C. They do not spread through networks
D. They slow down the computer by taking up disk space

3. What is the main objective of adware?
A. To destroy the computer's BIOS
B. To generate revenue for its developer
C. To slow down the processing speed of the computer
D. To steal information for crime purposes

4. What is the difference between hackers and crackers?
A. Hackers use their expertise for malicious purposes
B. Crackers break into computers without authorization
C. Hackers get unauthorized access to data and systems
D. Crackers gather information about users without their knowledge

5. How are threats like viruses, worms, and adware typically spread?
A. Through infected flash drives or USBs
B. Through secure websites
C. Through legitimate email attachments
D. Through authorized software installations

True – false statements:
1. Computer security threats include viruses, worms, adware, and hackers.
2. A virus is a program that can only attach itself to other programs without making any changes.
3. Viruses can destroy the hard disk by formatting it or destroying some parts.
4. Worms require a host program to replicate and spread.
5. Adware is software that displays advertisements but does not generate revenue for its developer.
6. Hackers are programmers who use their skills for positive purposes.
7. Computer security threats are commonly spread through infected flash drives or USBs.