

The Internet

Part 2

1. Match the definitions with the right words

A. Series of interconnected computers and databases around the world	1. Home page
B. A part of a website that can be read on a computer screen	2. click
C. The first page that you can see when you look at a website	3. hack
D. A piece of equipment that is used to send information from a computer through a telephone system	4. internet
E. To copy computer programs or information electronically	5. World wide web
F. A connection between documents on areas on the internet	6. modem
G. www is an internet address which stands for	7. web page
H. To press the button on a computer mouse	8. link
I. To get into someone else's computer system without permission to do something illegal	9. download

2. Match the words with their meanings

1. WWW	A. a place where you talk by typing
2. E-mail	B. a secret word that only you and your parents know
3. Internet address	C. a letter you send through your computer
4. URL	D. a hidden program that can hurt your computer
5. Chat Room	E. advertising that comes to your e-mail address
6. Virus	F. a name you choose for yourself that isn't your real name
7. Password	G. an Internet address (Uniform Resource Locator)
8. SPAM	H. a process of file transfer from the Internet
9. Blog	I. a place on the Internet you can visit
10. Screen Name	J. an interconnection of computer information systems available via the Internet (World Wide Web)
11. Internet	K. another way to say URL
12. Web-site	L. the world that only exists in the computer and your head
13. Cyberspace	M. a worldwide system of computers
14. Username	N. another way to say "username"
15. Download	O. a journal you keep on the Web: short for Web log

3. Why the Internet can be a bad thing!

Read the following text:



Nowadays, the Internet has become an important part of our lives. We can go online to do shopping, pay bills, play games, make new friends and learn things. More than four billion people in the world use the Internet. However, not everything about the Internet is good. First, many people over use the Internet. It is common for people to use the Internet 24 hours each week, or about 3.4 hours each day. Many people say that the Internet is more important than watching TV, having a car, or even getting washed. Second, some people use the internet at work. This makes their boss angry and fire them. Third, when people use the Internet so much, they may not be healthy because they don't get much exercise. Fourth, many people have "friends" on Facebook, but these may not be real friends. Real friends are people you can see face-to face. Two or three real friends are better than 200 Facebook "friends" that you never see. Finally, some people are criminals. They are bad people and they use the Internet to try to steal your money.

Circle T (True) or F (False).

1. We use the net for so many things.
2. More than 4 billion people don't use the net.
3. Some people use the net 24 hours a week.
4. People might get fired for using the net.
5. People gain weight sitting for hours on the net.
6. It is good to have many friends on Facebook.
7. It is better to have real friends.
8. Not all people on the net are good people.