

Words connected with communication and technology

1 2.02 Complete the names for the things in the picture with the words in the box. Listen and check.

camera | keyboard | laptop
mouse | printer | screen



- 1 _____ 4 _____
2 _____ 5 _____
3 _____ 6 _____

2 2.03 Complete the text with the words in the box. Listen and check.

blogging | camera | download | graphics
keyboard | laptop | mouse | online
printer | screen | software | stream

Hi everyone! Sorry I've been quiet! I've just moved house. It's good to get (1) online again - I missed (2) _____! I have a lovely big desk for my (3) _____ in the new house. So, I can use that when I'm at home. It's got a really big (4) _____, which is perfect for watching videos. I decided to get a (5) _____ as well, so I can print the photos I like. The laptop is good for gaming too. The (6) _____ in the games look much better. The (7) _____ is a bit different from my last one, so sorry if I make any spelling mistakes! The wireless (8) _____ is great and isn't noisy when you click it. I still need to (9) _____ my files from the old computer. And I need some new (10) _____ so that I can (11) _____ music faster. Tomorrow, I'll use the (12) _____ and upload some photos of me at my new desk!

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Compound nouns

3 2.04 Write the words in the box on the correct line to make technology words. Listen and check.

computer | phone | player | web

- CD / DVD / MP3 (1) _____
camera / cell / mobile (2) _____
(3) _____ address / page / site
laptop / personal / (4) _____ /
(4) _____ file / software

4 Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

- Let's listen to music on the DVD / MP3 player.
- This **website** / **address** is full of adverts.
- The new information is on their web **address** / **page**.
- I bought some computer **files** / **software** to help me change the way photographs look.

Collocations with verbs

5 2.05 Complete the phrases with the words in the box. Sometimes there may be more than one answer. Listen and check.

download | make | open
send | start | take

- _____ a phone call
- _____ a piece of software
- _____ a file
- _____ a photograph
- _____ a text message
- _____ a conversation

6 Complete the sentences using the correct form of the collocations from Exercise 5.

- I met her on the train and she _____ with me. We talked about social networking sites.
- Lola can't come out because she's _____ to her brother in Canada. They talk every week.
- Can I use your laptop? I need to _____ that has my school project in it.
- You need to _____ so your computer works faster. It's getting old.
- Would you _____ of me and my cat, please? I want to post it on Instagram.
- If you can't come to the barbecue, _____ to Mum so she knows.