

DIRECTORATE SENIOR CURRICULUM MANAGEMENT (SEN-FET)

HOME SCHOOLING SELF-STUDY WORKSHEET 81

SUBJECT	COMPUTER APPLICATIONS TECHNOLOGY	GRADE	12	DATE	10/8/20	
TOPIC	SYSTEM TECHNOLOGIES: Revision	TERM 1 REVISION		TERM 4 CONTENT	✓	
TIME ALLOCATION	30 Minutes	TIPS TO KEEP HEALTHY				
INSTRUCTIONS	 This is a Theory Worksheet: You will need a book to write your answers in and something to write with. Answer the following questions in your workbook. WHERE TO FIND THE ANSWERS: You may use your CAT textbook to find the answers or alternatively, you can use the free downloadable CAT textbook provided by the Department of Basic Education. See the link below to download this book.	 WASH YOUR HANDS thoroughly with soap and water for at least 20 seconds Alternatively, use hand sanitizer with a alcohol content of at least 60%. PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING – a distance of 1m away from other peol 3. PRACTISE GOOD RESPIRATORY HYGIENE: cough or sneeze into your elbow or tissue and dispose of the tiss immediately after use. TRY NOT TO TOUCH YOUR FACE. virus can be transferred from your han your nose, mouth and eyes. It can the enter your body and make you sick. STAY AT HOME. 			conds. with an IG – keep r people. RY your e tissue CE. The r hands to n then	

1 Study the advertisement below and answer the questions that follow.



1.1 Name the TWO hardware components for Device A that are most important for the effective working of a computer, other than the hard drive.
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- 1.2 Explain how adding more RAM to a computer can improve the overall system performance of the computer. (2)
- 1.3 Give TWO reasons why solid state drives (SSDs) will in future replace hard disk drives as the main storage device of a computer. (2)
- 1.4 Give TWO benefits of buying Device A, which is an 'all-in-one' computer. (2)
- 1.5 Give TWO reasons why HDMI output is better than VGA output. (2)

.2	The follo	owing	questions refer to Device B:			
	2.1		ne TWO features/functionalities, which were added to a cell phone in multiple technologies converged as a phablet.	(2)		
	2.2	Name ONE way in which you could transfer photos from Device B to your desktop computer.				
	2.3 Give ONE example of an action that can be performed on a 'multi-touch sensing screen'.			(1)		
	2.4	Nan	ne ONE biometric feature of Device B listed in the advert.	(1)		
	2.5	Con	npare the operating systems found on both devices by referring to:			
		(a)	Cost of the software	(2)		
		(b)	Support from the developer	(2)		
3	Write down the TWO processes in the information processing cycle that have the least influence on the overall performance of the computer.		(2)			
4	Explain why the central processing unit (CPU) of a computer needs cache memory.			(2)		
5	A buyer considers purchasing a 3D printer.					
	Name TWO advantages of buying a 3D printer.					