

GRADE 5

CHAPTER-2

COMPUTER MEMORY

Q1. Define byte.

Ans:The computer's memory is measured in byte. It consists of a group of bits.

Q2.What are the two types of primary memory?

Ans: The two types of primary memory are RAM and ROM.

Q3.Name three secondary storage devices.

Ans: Hard disk, Floppy disk, CD-ROM

Q4. What are the two types of CD?

Ans:The two types of CD are CD-R and CD-RW.

Q5. What is a hard disk?

Ans: Hard disk is a secondary storage device having large storage capacity. All the programs required for the working of a computer are stored on hard disk. It is kept inside the CPU box.

Q6.What is the difference between CD-R and CD-RW?

Ans: CD-R is Compact Disk Recordable .Data can be written only once and it is permanent. But CD-RW is Compact Disk Rewritable. We can store data on it and we can erase it.

Q7. What is the basic use of pen drive?

Ans: Pen drive is a small portable device which can easily store and transfer data from one computer to another. It is faster and more reliable than floppy disks.