INTERNET

DEFINITION OF INTERNET

The Internet is the world's largest computer networks and it is referred to as a network of networks.

A network is a group of computers connected to each other for the purpose of sharing computer resources. E.g files, printers, internet connections.

WORLD WILD WEB (WWW)

It is the part of the internet that you can access using a web browser such as internet Explorer, Firefox, Google chrome, Apple Safari, e.t.c.

Www consists of a large number of web servers that host websites. Each website will normally consist of a number of web pages. A web page can consist of text, images, video, animation and sound.

WEBSITE

When we connect to the web server, we got information in the form of a web page. A web page displays information in the form of text, graphics or both. These pages are user friendly and may contain a link to other web pages. The link to other web pages. The links on these pages lead you to another page. This process is known as **Hyperlink.**

Exam in order to connect to a website, you need to have a website address.

Examples of website addresses are

Www.strongtoweracademic.com

Www.yahoo.com

E-MAIL (Electronic mail)

Electronic mail is a means of sending messages, text, and computer files between computers via the internet.

E-mail messages are text-based but other types of files can also be sent as attachment!

E-mails that are received wait in a user's inbox until the users is ready to read them.

To send and receive e-mail, you need to have an e-mail address.

An e-mail address is made up of two parts, a username and an e-mail provider, with an '@' symbol in the middle.Username @ provider E.g.

jenny@mtu.edu

Musa@yahoo.com

Emeka@hotmail.com

Assignment

List five (5) advantage of using e-mail.