

GRADE 3 COMPUTER

Chapter 1

Introduction to Computers

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Computer system can be defined as an electronic machine that is used to generate information from raw data.

It performs various functions such as

- entering data.
- processing and storing data.
- presenting output on the screen.

Let us know how a computer works:

A data or instruction is entered into a computer using keyboard. This data or instruction is called **input**.

The data is converted into a meaningful information with the help of CPU which is called **processing**.

After processing the data, the result is displayed on the monitor. This is called the **output**.

A computer is divided into two parts: Hardware and Software.

This chapter includes

- ▶ Hardware
- ▶ Software
 - Types of Softwares
 - System software
 - Application Software

