Computer Basics For Parents 103









PARENT COMMUNITY STUDENT SERVICES BRANCH

Welcome!

INTRODUCTIONS

GROUND RULES

- Respect everyone
- Raise your hand
- One speaker at a time



OUTCOME...

- Increase your knowledge of computers
- To help your child and parent center with technology

We are going to learn today

1. Review

- Turn On
- Keyboard
- Mouse/ TouchPad
- How to Select Text

2. Creating a Calendar on Word

- Find Word Doc
- Add Events
- Save a document

3. Create an Email Account

Compose an email







Section 1: Review

Turning On A Computer



 Desktop computer has 2 buttons that you must press to turn on

Laptops have 1 button that you have to press to turn on





Keyboard



Touch Pad



Touch Pad



Review on How to Select Text

1. Drag your

mouse to select the text you want to change



Selected Text



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Section 2: Calendar In Word

- 1. Click "Start"
- Click on "All Programs"
- Find and click on
 "Microsoft"



Click "File"
 Select "New"







 Click "Other documents"



- 1. Select "Calendar Wizard,"
- 2. Click "**OK**" to create your calendar.

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Remember to Use

- 1. BOLD
- 2. SIZE
- 3. CENTER
- 4. FONT
- 5. COLOR



<u>Remember to use the highlight text</u>
 <u>function that we learned last time</u>

Saving File

Click "File"
 Click "Save"





Section 3: Create An Email Account

GMAIL.COM

- 1. Open a search engine
- 2. Type **gmail.com** on the search bar
- Click the blue" create a account

Google

One account. All of Google.

Sign in to continue to Gmail



Information

- Fill out the information on the page
- 2. Come up with a **username**.
- 3. Come up with a **password**
- 4. Write down/ remember your username & password

Create your Google Account

One account is all you need single username and password gets you into everything Google.

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Make Google yours Set up your profile and preferences just the way you like.



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Choose your usernar	ne	
		@gmail.com
Create a password		
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CAPTCHA

- Complete the CAPTCHA.
- This is a verification tool that ensures that a real person is creating the account

johndoe1131@gmail.com

Prove you're not a robot

Skip this verification (phone verification may be required)



GMAIL Policy

- Agree to the privacy policy.
- 2. Click Next



Compose an Email

- Click the button labeled Compose.
- 2. Then a new message box comes up. In that box type the email address evelyn.larios@lausd.net where it says To:
- Type Favorite food in the email subject. The subject lets people know what the email is going to be about
- 4. Click on the send button



Replying to Message

Look in your inbox click on the message you received



Replying to Message

1. Click reply



Replying to Message

- A box opens. Here is where you write your response
- Click on the send button



Thank You!

Remember to Practice!