

1. Processor: A machine that processes things. It's purpose is to be the "brain" of the computer.



2. Monitor: A device used for keeping records and recording. Its purpose is to check progress.



3. Sound Card: A device that gets inserted into a computer. Its purpose is to allow audio components to work.



4. Keyboard: A section of keys used with a computer. Its purpose is to allow typing.



5. Memory: Where information is stored. Its purpose is to store information.

6. Operating System: Software that supports a computer's basic functions.

7. Hard Drive: Storage device of high capacity.



8. Optical Drive: A computer disk drive. Its purpose is to read and write data from optical disks.



9. Video Card: A printed circuit board.

10. Speaker: Produce audio.

11. Mouse: Input device, that is used with a computer.



12. Modem: Transmits data.

