Basics

*Mouse — The mouse normally looks like a little arrow, but it can change depending on what you are doing



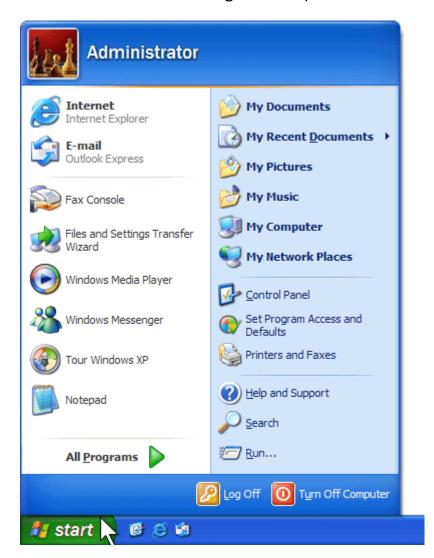
*Red X Button — It is found on the top right of every window, and if you press it with the mouse it will close the window



*Enter key — it is located on the keyboard it can be used to open icons, and create new lines when typing a message



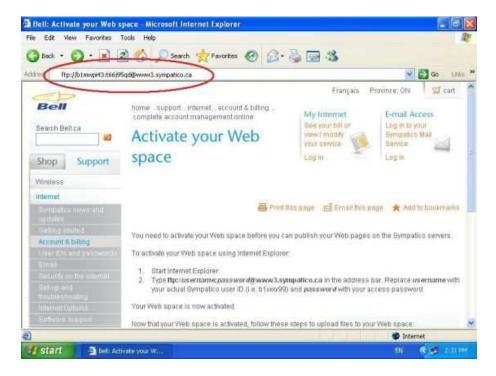
*Start Menu — Nearly everything you can do with a computer can be found in the start menu -(it is a good idea to practice using the start menu, it is one of the hardest things to learn)



*Tab Key — it is located on the keyboard and it is typically used to go from the user name to the password field. (but remember when finished you have to press enter key)



*Address Bar — it is found on the top right of the Internet Explorer, this is where you type in "yahoo.com" or ("mail.yahoo.com" to go directly to mail)



*Period (or dot) - is used for the period between "yahoo" and "com"

Example: Yahoo.Com



*White area under Yahoo!ID and Password: — is called a field, you have to click in it one time with the mouse before you can start to type



Please use the space below to make your own personal notes:

(Remember this is yours to keep so feel free to write wherever you'd like)

Turning On The Computer

To turn on the computer you need to press the Power Button

- -> It is found on the outside of the computer (Box)
 - The power button looks like this:



-> After the computer is finished starting up, a screen similar to this screen should appear:



- -> Since your computer screen probably has different icons on the screen, click your mouse on the picture that says "UHGC" next to it.
- -> After you Click on "UHGC", with the mouse, you have now Successfully logged onto the computer, please proceed to the next page for more information on how to go on the internet.

GOING TO THE INTERNET:

After completing the steps on Page 3, you should now see a screen similar to this:

You must now find the Internet Explorer.

Internet Explorer is found in several locations:

- 1) On the Desktop
- 2) In the Quick Launch Bar
- 3) In the Start Menu

Please Pick **ONE** way



- 1) On the Desktop, Internet explorer looks like this:
- —You Can Double-Click (click 2 times fast) on this:
- Or you can click it one time and press Enter (enter is on the keyboard)





- OR

2) In the Quick Launch bar, you simply find the E next to start and click on it one time with the mouse.



3) In the Start Menu,



You Will Then See This Menu:





The Internet Continued...

- -> If you now see a screen like this one you are on the internet.
- -> If this is **not** the Screen you see do not be worried.
- -> To get to this screen you can easily follow steps on the next page.



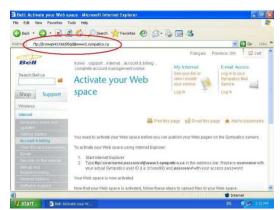
- ->*If **no page displays or only a white screen,** there was an error made.
 - -> Please go to page #6 and try again.

Checking Yahoo Mail

-> If you see this screen then you are on the right track.



- ->If you get a blank screen or a screen that shows only white, no writing, please re-try pages #6 and #7.
- -> **IF** the above screen **does not** appear, please follow these steps.
 - 1) Click in the address bar (—It can be found at the top right)



2) Back space the text and type **www.yahoo.com** and click **enter** on the keyboard. This will bring you to the screen above.

Checking Yahoo Mail Continued...

-> Now that you see this page, you can easily check your mail.



Check your mail status: Sign In

Messenger

Local

Mail

Weather

Free mail Sign Up

Radio

Heroscopes

->To Check your Mail, **Click** with the **mouse** on the **Mail tab** (image below)

—The mail tab is found on the middle upper right. It looks like this image.

Checking Yahoo Mail Continued ...



With the **mouse click** on Yahoo!ID or click in the white field next to the YahooID:

->Now type in your Yahoo ID,



-> When finished press Enter



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	ng up is easy.	

If you would like, write your user
name & password here for easy reference.
User name:
Password:

Checking Your Mail

After Entering your user name and password you should be taken to this page:_____



->To Check your mail, Click Check Mail on the top right with the mouse.

-OR-Click on Inbox

Folders:

Dinbox (2)

(Add - Edit)

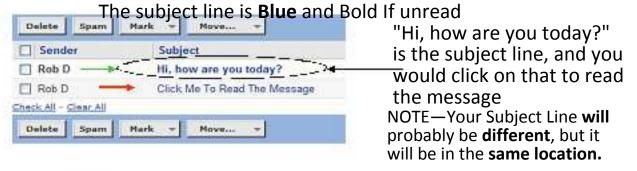


Reading Mail Messages

You should now be in your Inbox, your Inbox looks similar to what is below:

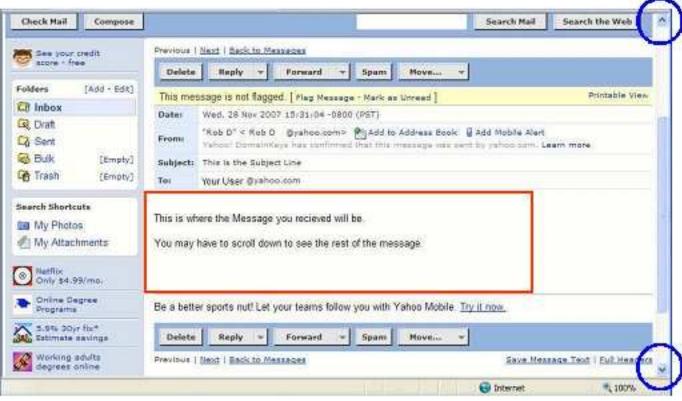


To Read messages you have Click on the Messages subject line.



"Click Me to Read the Message" has been read, so it's not bold "Hi, How are you today?" has not been read so it is Bold

Reading Your Messages



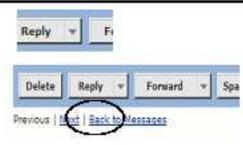
- ->The Red Box Shows where the message should appear from the person sending you a message.
- ->In many cases to read the message you will have to scroll.
 - →If your **mouse** has a **scroll** wheel you could use that. **If not:**
 - To scroll you click on the scrolling arrows (highlighted in blue above)
 - Clicking lower button will scroll down, and the button on top will scroll up again.



->When you have finished Reading your message, you can Delete it, Reply, or move to the next message. If you Click Delete you will get rid of the message.

Do not Delete messages you wish to keep!

- -Use Reply To send a message back
- -Use Next, to see your next message





Sending (Composing) An Email

- ->Generally Compose and Check Mail are always on the top right.
- ->If you are starting from the page (#9) below you would Click on Compose (as shown below)

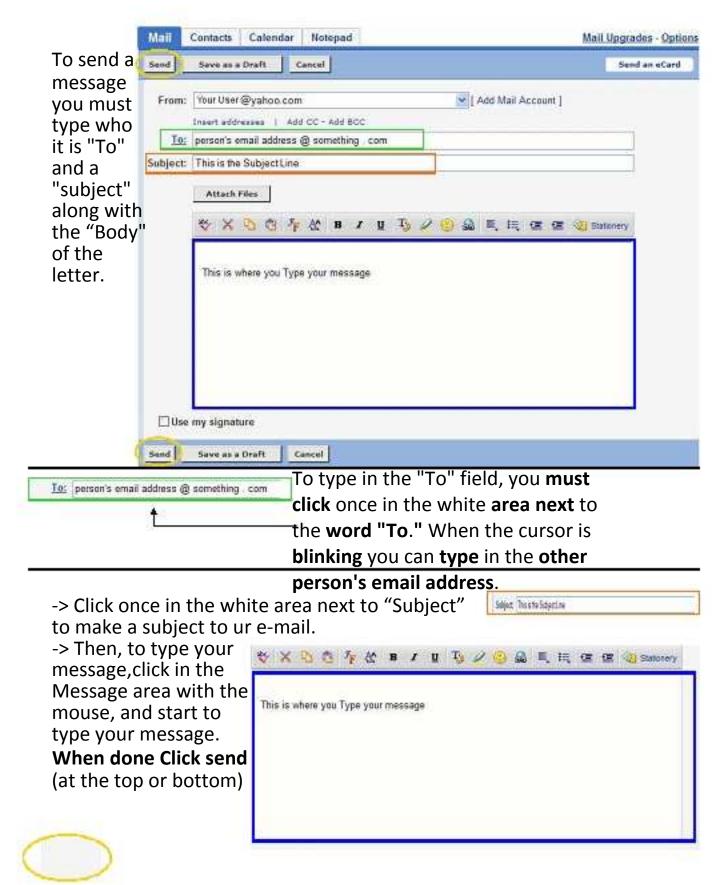


Compose is also on the top right if you are reading a message someone sent to you.



Sending An Email

-> When you Click Compose, a screen like this should appear.



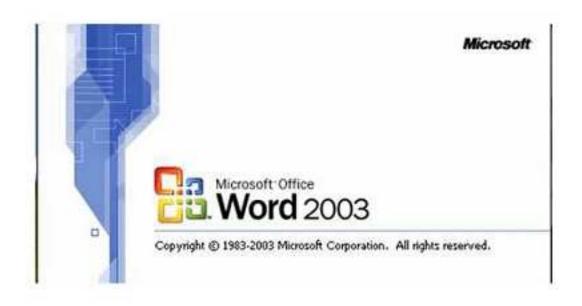
Finished Sending Mail

- -> When you Finish typing your message, and you click on Send at the top or bottom of the page, you will see a screen similar to this one.
- ->You have now finished sending your message. You can Check Your Mail or you can Compose another message from this screen.



Microsoft Word

- Microsoft word is used to type documents, similar to a typewriter. It also includes a spelling checker, to make sure when you type, the words are spelled correctly, and the proper grammar is used.
- Microsoft word is very simple and easy to use



Using Microsoft Word

To Start Microsoft Word you have to find it's icon.

-The Microsoft Word Icon looks like this:

The Icon is almost always in different places on different computers



You must now find the **Microsoft Word Icon** Normally it is found in several places:

- 1) On the Desktop
- 2) In the Start Menu
- 3) In the All Programs Menu
- 1) On the Desktop, Microsoft Word will look like this:
- —You Can Double-Click (click 2 times fast) on this:
- Or you can click it one time and press Enter (enter is on the keyboard)







2) In the Start Menu, you first click on Start

You Will Then See This Menu:

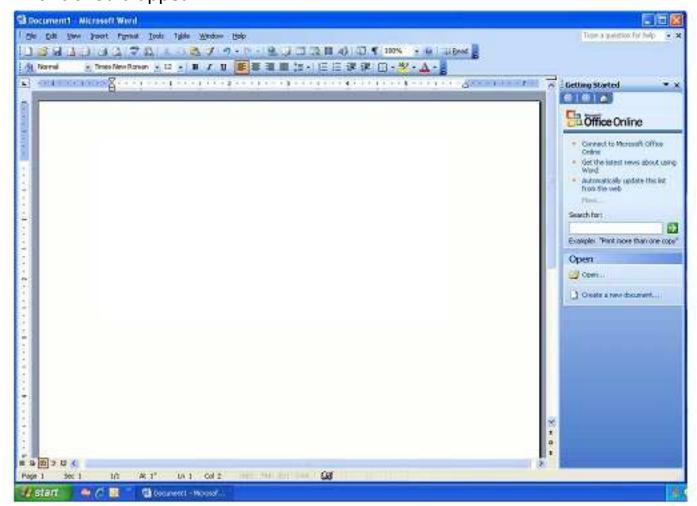
Next you bring the mouse over the **Microsoft Word** Icon, and **click** it one time with the **mouse**.





Using Microsoft Word

When you have successfully clicked on the Microsoft Word Icon, a screen such as this should appear:



You could now start typing

- —When you have finished typing and you like to save your work, or keep it, please go to the next page.
- —If you have already typed something and would like to go back and read it, or make changes please go to page 22.



If you have **finished** typing and would like to **save** your work, so you can read it or print it later, you can by clicking **Save**

When you
Click with the
mouse on
Save, a
screen like
this will
appear:



To **create a name** for what you typed you Click in File Name (see below)

The File Name should be something regarding the what you typed. (for example, "cookie recipe")

(*Remember you have to backspace "Document1" before you can change the name)



When you type the name in File Name you click on Save to the right



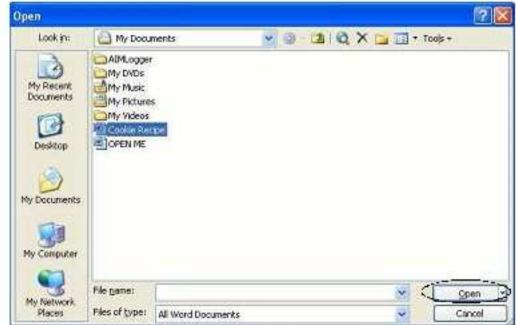
Using Microsoft Word



If you have **already** typed something and would like to open it to read it or print it, you can by clicking **Open**_____

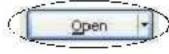


When you Click with the mouse on **Open**, a screen like this will appear:



With the Mouse you would click on the File you want to open, you click it **one time**, and it will change to look like this:

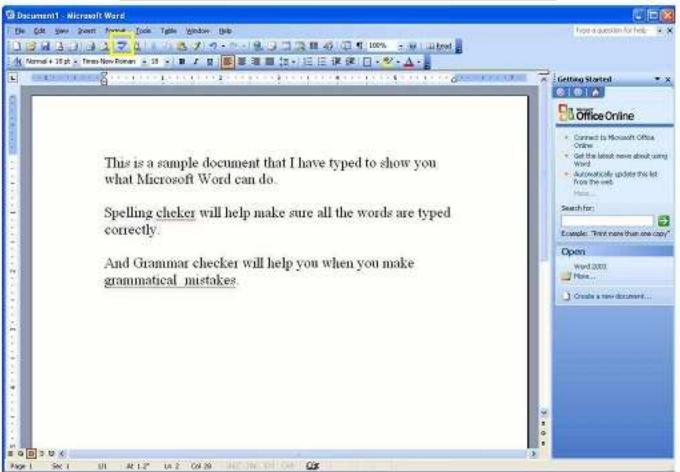
After you Click the File you want to Open, you click the "**Open**" Button on the lower right.



To Print, you would Click, the little printer icon



Using Microsoft Word—Spell Check



Notice: - Misspelled words will be underlined in red, and Grammatical mistakes will be underlined in green

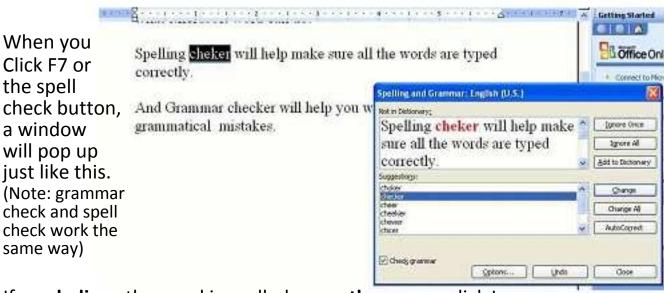
Spelling <u>cheker</u> will help make sure all the words are typed correctly.

And Grammar checker will help you when you make grammatical mistakes.

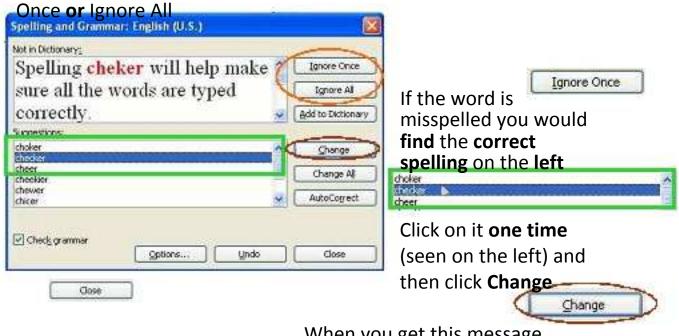
To use spell check you can press **F7** all the way at the top of the Keyboard, or click with the mouse the ABC



Using Microsoft Word—Spell Check



If you believe the word is spelled correctly you can click Ignore



Microsoft Office Word

The spelling and grammar check is complete.

OK

When you get this message You have **finished** spell check

Click **OK** to Continue what you were doing

OK

Turning off the computer

->When you have finished using the Computer, and would like to turn it off please follow the steps below

There are two ways to turn off the computer:

- 1) Press the Power Button
- 2) Use the Start Menu

ONLY USE ONE WAY

- ->The same way you turned on the computer you need to press
- 1) the **Power Button**.

It is found on the **outside** of the **computer** (Box)

— The power button looks like this:





<u>Notes</u>



Facebook is a global social networking website that is operated and privately owned by Facebook, Inc. Users can add friends and send them messages, and update their personal profiles to notify friends about themselves.

This site is great for reconnecting with long time friend and family members who you have lost contact with over the years.

How To Access Facebook

To access Facebook:

- ✓ You must first go on the Internet (explained in manual)
- ✓ Then type in www.facebook.com in the Address Bar



This is where you enter your information

When you reach the site, a page like this will appear

When you see the page above Enter Your information

✓ When you have completed registering, and are now a Facebook user, you can begin to add friends.

How to Add Friends on Facebook

- ✓ First make sure you are signed in to Facebook
- ✓ Next type in any friend or families name in the search box and hit enter
- ✓ After you hit enter, a list of people should appear
- ✓ From this list search for your friend or family members
- ✓ Once you have found a friend or family member click the add friend button
- ✓ Once you have clicked "add friend," you must wait for the users approval



Updating Profile

You can update your profile to show your friends and family what you have been doing

✓ To update your profile, click on edit profile button, and enter the corresponding information

What now?

Once you have filled out your profile, and have found family members, you can write on their wall, send them a message, or even write how you're feeling.

To send a message:

- ✓ go to the inbox portion of the page (at the top)
- ✓ Then click compose message
- ✓ Find the appropriate person and write a message
- ✓ Then hit send

To write on their wall:

- ✓ Click on the person's profile
- ✓ Then write in the blank box where it says "write something"
- ✓ Finally, hit share

To write how you are feeling:

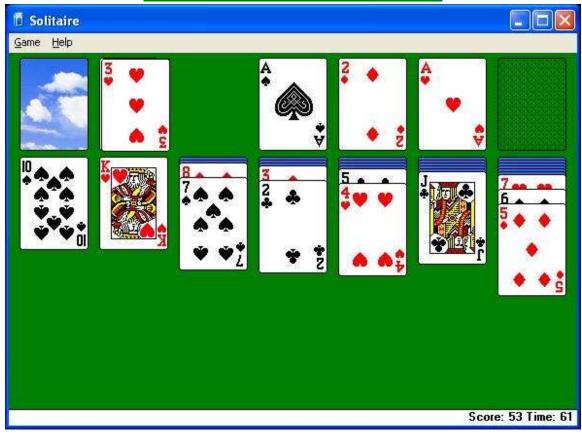
✓ go to either your homepage, or profile

- ✓ write in the box labeled "write something"
- ✓ Then click publish



- *Click on inbox to view and write messages
- *Write in the white box (under "What's on your mind?) to tell everyone how you are doing
- *Click on a persons name to view their profile and write on their wall

How to Play Solitaire



- ✓ First, Click on the Windows icon (bottom left of screen)
- √ Then click on Games (Solitaire Should listed under this menu)

When playing Solitaire

- 1. On the Game menu, click Deal.
- 2. Double-click any aces on the seven stacks to move them to the spaces at the upper right of the screen, and then make any other plays available on the board.
- 3. When you have made all available plays on the board, click the deck to begin turning over cards.