



The Internet

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PRE-INTERMEDIATE

1 Internet verbs

Study the verbs below and complete the sentences.

bookmark

browse

download

log out

search

upload

1. Do you prefer to buy CDs or _____ music from the internet?
2. How often do you _____ websites that you like?
3. How often do you _____ photos to your Facebook profile?
4. Which websites do you use when you want to _____ for information?
5. If you read your email on a public computer, do you always remember to _____ after you finish?
6. How often do you _____ the internet?

In pairs, ask and answer the questions.

2 Reading a URL or email address

Match the letter or symbol to its pronunciation.

- | | |
|------|-----------------|
| 1. . | a. "double you" |
| 2. / | b. at |
| 3. @ | c. dash |
| 4. w | d. dot |
| 5. - | e. slash |
| 6. _ | f. underscore |

Now read the following URLs and email addresses:

www.amazon.com

www.travel-abroad.co.uk

www.learn-english.com/grammar

www.example.com/mail

www.food.net/greek_food.html

tony@hotmail.com

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3 Internet problems

Match the problems to the solutions.

1. I can't check my email because the website is down.
2. My WiFi connection isn't working.
3. My computer is a bit slow.
4. I can't access the internet at all.
5. I can't log in to my favourite website.
6. I see too many pop-up ads.

- a. Close a few of your browser tabs.
- b. Contact your internet service provider.
- c. Maybe you need to reset your password.
- d. Restart your router. That might help.
- e. Try to block them in your browser settings.
- f. Try to check it again in about 10 minutes.

Do you have these problems sometimes? How often?

4 Features of a website

Label each image with one of the words below.

a banner ad
a link

a button
a login box

a checkbox
a popup window

a drop-down menu
a search box



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



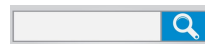
4. _____



5. _____



6. _____



7. _____



8. _____

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Now complete the sentences below (more than one answer may be possible):

1. You can click or tap a _____.
2. You can enter a word or phrase in a _____.
3. You can close a _____.
4. You can select an option from a _____.
5. You can check a _____.
6. You can enter a password in a _____.

Open your internet browser. Try to find a website with some of these features. Perform some of the actions in this exercise and describe what you are doing, e.g.

"I'm clicking a button at the moment."

5 Guess the website

Work in pairs. Think of a well-known website, but do not tell your partner. Try to guess your partner's website by asking yes/no questions such as:

- *Can you download music/films?*
- *Can you connect with friends?*
- *Do you have to sign up to use it?*
- *Can you/Is it possible to/Is it free to?*

After you have guessed the website, change roles and repeat the activity until your teacher tells you to stop.

6 Talking point

What do you usually do on the Internet? What types of websites do you use?