#### PENANG SANGAM HIGH SCHOOL Year 12 COMPUTER STUDIES Worksheet # 3

# **Chapter 3 – Computers in Society**

- 1) Explain one way in which computers can benefit an organization
- 2) Explain how a Robot network or Botnet is formed
- 3) Describe one way in which computer virus spreads
- 4) Identify ways to protect computer security
- 5) What is an information society?

# 6) Define the term:

Ethics, computer ethics, spyware, encryption, phishing

- 7) Give two reasons why it is difficult to detect computer crime?
- 8) Differentiate between hacker and cracker.
- 9) Explain two reasons as to how computer crimes have increased.
- Explain what Computerization of society is and list the two trends which led to Computerization of society.
- 11) State the function of GPS in relation to transportation?
- 12) State the benefit of internet banking system?
- 13) Explain expert system? Give an example
- 14) How data in a database can be misused?
- 15) List different types of malware?
- 16) How can an employee restrict access to others?
- 17) What is possessed object? Give an example?
- 18) State the role of Helpdesk support professionals?
- 19) Explain how an organisation can benefit from a hacker's harmless intrusion into a computer system?
- 20) Importance of installing biometric security in your organisation?
- 21) Use the diagrams given below to answer the questions that follow.



Diagram A



Diagram B

Source: Google Image Search

- (i) Which **principal measure** is used in both the diagrams above to secure computing resources?
- (ii) Name the security measure used in Diagram A and Diagram B.
- (iii) State the **difference** between the security measures used in **Diagram A** and **Diagram B**.
- (iv) Identify **one building** where these security measures are mostly used.

# ESSAY

Write an essay of 200 - 250 words to answer the questions.

# **QUESTION 1**

#### Computer technology and its application are vital today.

With reference to the above statement, discuss:

- what is meant by **Computerization of Society**;
- **two** related trends that have led to the Computerization of Society;
- three positive social impacts of Computerization of Society; and
- two negative social impacts of Computerization of Society.

# **QUESTION 2**

# In recent years, the explosion in the use of networks and the internet has created a new avenue for computer viruses to spread at a rapid rate.

With reference to the above statement, discuss the following:

- What are computer viruses and give two examples
- Three ways in which computer viruses are activated
- Two harmful effects of computer viruses
- Two ways of protecting computers from viruses

#### **QUESTION 3**

#### Computer crime is also becoming a common sight in Fiji.

With reference to the above statement, discuss the following:

- Define what computer crime is (2 marks)
- Discuss three reasons for the increase in computer crime (3 marks)
- Discuss **four** reasons why it is difficult to detect computer crime. (4 marks)