

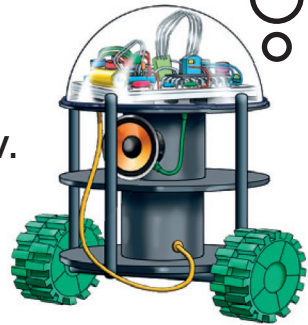
THE COMPUTER SHOP

JACO IS AT THE COMPUTER SHOP WITH A LIST OF HARDWARE ITEMS TO GET FOR HIS COMPUTER. Robo and Spinner are also there to help him.

They need your help.

- 1 Read the definition for each item on the cards below.
- 2 Look for the item on Jaco's shopping list. Circle the same item in the shop.
- 3 Now tick off the item on Jaco's list.

The parts of a computer are called hardware.



A CABLE CONNECTOR is a special plug at the end of a cable.

A ROUTER is a box that spreads the Internet connection to your cell phone and computer at home.

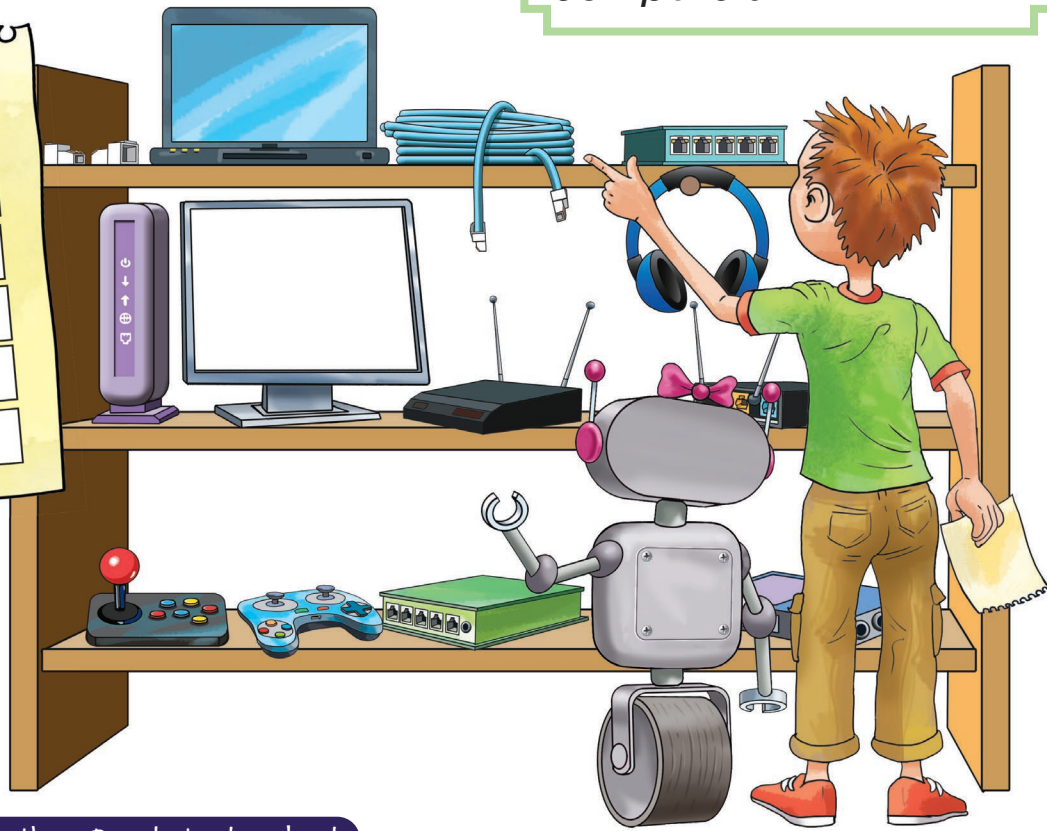
A CABLE is a wire covered in plastic that transmits power or data between devices.

A SWITCH is used to build a network connection between linked computers.

A MODEM CONNECTS YOUR DEVICES TO THE INTERNET.

Shopping List

- 1. connector
- 2. cable
- 3. modem
- 4. router
- 5. switch



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WHAT AM I?

1 DRAW LINES TO MATCH THE WORDS IN COLUMN A WITH THEIR DESCRIPTIONS IN COLUMN B.

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
1 Modem	A A special plug at the end of a cable
2 Router	B Wires covered in plastic that transmit power or data between devices
3 Cables	C Connects your devices to the Internet
4 Switch	D A box that waits for data, receives and decodes it, and then sends out the information
5 Connector	E A device used to build a network connection between linked computers

2 Play the *What am I?* game with a friend. Read each description above. Then choose an item and describe it as yourself. Your friend must guess what you are.

Example: What am I? I am a box that spreads the Internet connection to your cell phone and computer at home. (Answer: I am a router.)

