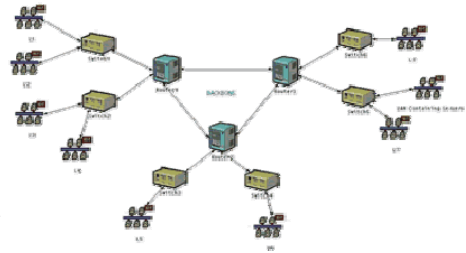


Computer Networks



1) What is meant by the phrase 'Computer Network'?

2) What are the differences between Wide Area Networks and Local Area Networks.

3) Describe the security methods used on networks.

4) Describe three advantages and three disadvantages of using computer networks in a business.

5) Explain why the National Lottery could not be run without a computer network

6) Hospitals are linked by computer networks. How do you think this makes organ transplantation easier?

7) Explain how would you back up all files on a firms' computers if the computer were not on a network?

8) What is a file server and what is its purpose?

9) Why do network managers often ask users to change their passwords on a regular basis?

10) Describe a security measure besides user names, that could be used to maintain network security

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