

# Tech Talk

Try to match the words on the left with examples on the right.

1	operating system	aquarium / 3D pipes / Disney characters	
2	application	Open, Open new, Save, Print, Close	
3	version	Word / Excel / Netscape Navigator	
4	menu	2.0, 2.1, 2.2, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0	
5	dialog box	floppy disc / zip disk / CD	
6	virus	Windows 95 / Windows 98 / Mac OS 7.1	
7	screen saver	Melissa / Love Bug / Code Red	
8	back-up copy	Illegal Command! / Caution! / Are you sure?	

Now put one of these words into each of the sentences below.  
(Some of the information may be incorrect!)

1. Before you install a new \_\_\_\_\_ you should check that it matches your computer's specifications and your operating system.
2. You should change your computer's \_\_\_\_\_ every two years so that you can install the latest applications.
3. If your computer is not connected to the internet you don't have to worry about catching a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. Every time a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ appears on the screen you should always read it carefully before you click on "Yes" or "OK".
5. You should make a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ of all important files every day in case your hard disc develops a problem.
6. You should select your computer's most boring \_\_\_\_\_. If you select an interesting one you will spend time watching it moving and then you will not do so much work.
7. Always buy an old \_\_\_\_\_ of the software you want. The new one is much more expensive but it's only a little better.
8. Be careful when you are selecting a command from a(n) \_\_\_\_\_. It's very easy to click on the wrong one.

Now choose some of these sentences and discuss them.  
Is some of the information incorrect?