

Assignment 1

Basic components of IT

- 1- Discuss the major components of a computer system
- 2- Differentiate between Data, Information, Knowledge and wisdom
- 3- Differentiate between how data is organized in a Computer System (bit,....., Database)
- 4- What is meant by Big data?
- 5- Compare between computer viruses and worms:
 - i. How they invade the computers?
 - ii. How do they spread in the computer?
 - iii. Which will spread faster than the other, worms or viruses? Why?
- 6- What is the difference between a hacker and a cracker?
- 7- Discuss three computer crimes (Denial-of-service (DoS) attack, identity theft, click fraud)
- 8- What is meant by authentication? Give examples of different authentication techniques
- 9- What are the different hardware and software consideration?