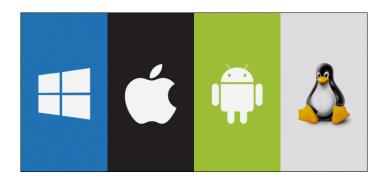




WHAT IS AN OPERATING SYSTEM AND GIVE EXAMPLES?











- An operating system, or "OS," is software that communicates with the hardware and allows other programs to run.
- Every desktop computer, tablet, and smartphone includes an operating system that provides basic functionality for the device.
- Common desktop operating systems include Windows, OS X, and Linux.

