Due 2-10-09

A) Two of the most popular OS's are Microsoft Windows and UNIX.

In about 2 pages, give a brief outline describing each. Emphasize the features and advances of the more important versions.

B) In about half a page, describe what an embedded system is. Give examples of embedded systems.

C) From a Windows computer:

Start > Help > Windows Glossary > search "Interrupts" and "Interrupt Request" (IRQ). Give an overview of what you read.

Start > Programs > Administrative Tools > Event Viewier (or similar). Give an overview of what you read (types of events, some examples).

Also check:

Start > Programs > Administartive Tools > Performance (or similar). Give an overview of what youread.

From a UNIX/Linux computer: Use the MAN command to find out about the TRAP instruction.

Type: MAN TRAP. Give an overview of what you read.