**Day 3:**

**Cloud** refers to using internet services to store, manage, and run data or applications instead of using your own computer or physical hardware.

Think of it like storing your photos or files on an online storage (like Google Drive or Dropbox) so you can access them from any device, anywhere, without needing to keep everything on your computer.

**In short:**  
**Cloud** is a way to use remote computers and services over the internet to do things like store files, run applications, or manage data easily and flexibly.

Key benefits include:

Scalability: Easily scale resources up or down.

Cost-efficiency: Pay only for what you use.

Accessibility: Access services from anywhere with an internet connection.

Maintenance: Cloud providers handle hardware and software maintenance.