UNIT 5

WRITE ON WORDPAD

LEARNING Objectives

At the end of the Unit, you should be able to:

- acquire some basic information about WordPad;
- locate the parts of WordPad;
- state the function of each WordPad part;
- · work with WordPad;
- save a document;
- · open a saved document;
- edit text;
- move text;
- · apply text alignment; and







WORD SPACE

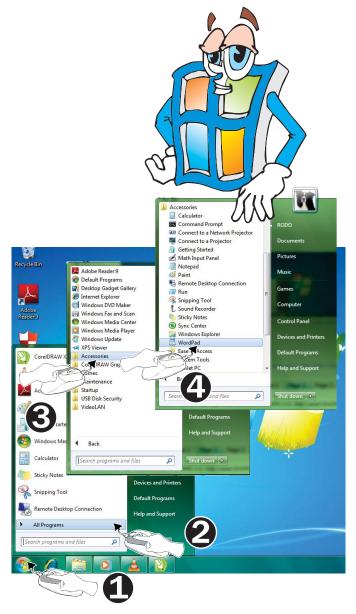
Starting WordPad

WordPad is a basic word processor that is included in Windows. With WordPad, you can type letters, book reports and other simple documents. You can also change how the text looks, move quickly sentences and paragraphs around, and copy and paste text within and

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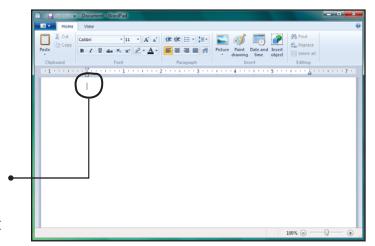
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- Move the mouse ★ over
 Start and then press the left button.
- 2. Move the mouse \(\) over \(\) **Programs** and then press the left button.
- 3. Move the mouse ★ over **Accessories** and then press the left button.
- Move the mouse ★ over
 WordPad and then press



5. To enlarge the WordPad window to fill your screen, move the mouse ▶ over □ and then press the left button.

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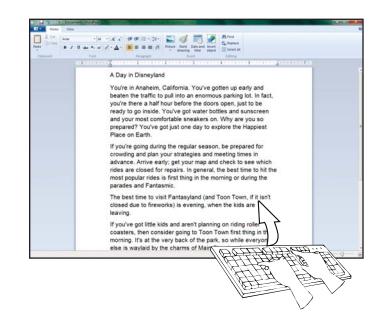


ENTERING TEXT

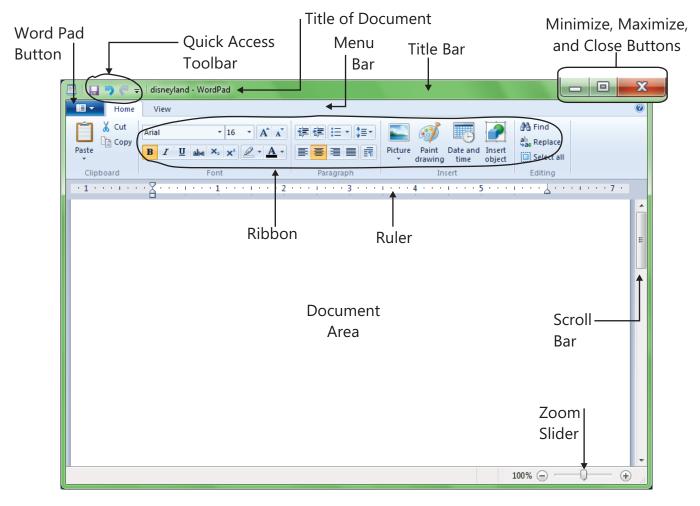
- 1. Type the first line of the text.
- 2. To start a new paragraph, press the **Enter** key twice.
- 3. Type the remaining text.

Note:

Press only Enter when you want to start a new line or paragraph.



PARTS OF THE WORDPAD



There are four main parts of the WordPad window:

Toolbar. The toolbar contains buttons for basic commands including saving and painting. To find out what a button does, rest your mouse pointer on it. A box pops up showing the function of the button.

Format Bar. The format bar contains buttons that you can use to format the text in your document. For example, you can choose the font, color, and alignment of your text.

Ruler. Use the ruler to check the layout and placement of text in your document.

Document Area. It is where you type your document, make

FOR WINDOWS 8 USERS:

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- Move the mouse to the bottom left corner of your screen / desktop. Click Start button when it appears.
- 2. Type **WordPad** on the search box as shown.
- 3. Move the mouse ★ over **WordPad** and then press
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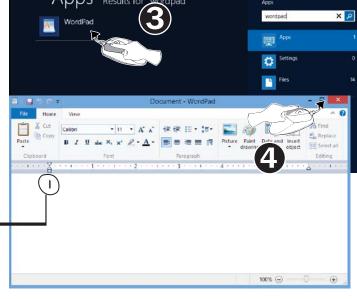
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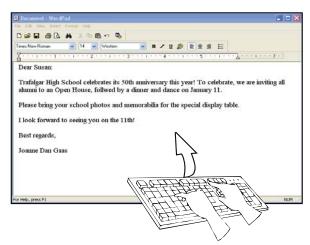
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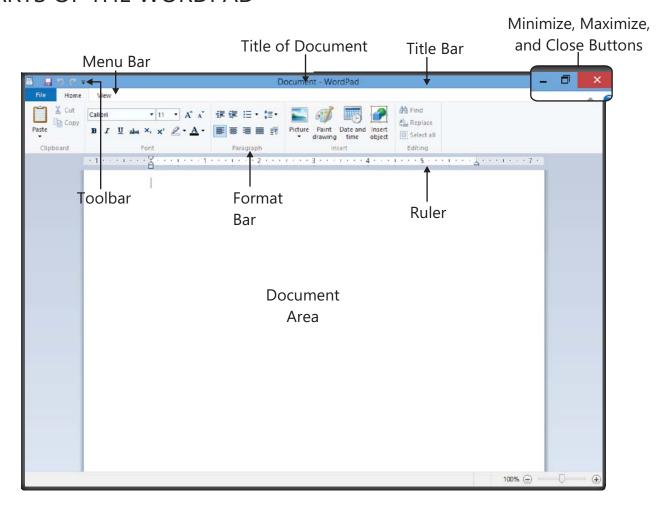
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