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WRA 210: Intro to Web Authoring
Module 1 Questions

1. What are the 3 basic technologies needed to run a website?

 The three basic technologies needed to run a website are Web Hosting, a domain name, and content which is CSS or HTML coded. However, you need FTP to be able to transfer files on to the server to post on the Internet.

2. What are local files, what are web servers, what is FTP and how are they related?

Local files are files that are stored on your personal computer; websites can be designed and coded locally. Web servers are computers that are on and running for 24 hours a day, 7 days away and are connected to the Internet. They also contain storage of the websites and their files that are stored by those that are web-hosted by that specific server. FTP is a protocol for transferring files from one computer to another computer and FTP is needed to upload your website or files to the internet/server.

3. What is AFS Space and what does it allow you to do?

Your AFS space allows you to not only store files on MSU computers, but also access such files remotely on a personal computer. AFS space also allows you to upload files on to the Internet, acting as a domain name, free of charge.

4. What is the URL for the web space MSU provides for you in your AFS space?

My personal URL is http://www.msu.edu/~orcuttna