

CLASS : 4

SUBJECT : COMPUTER SCIENCE

TOPIC : BROWSING THE INTERNET

WORKSHEET

SYNOPSIS:

- The World Wide Web (WWW) is a huge collection of pages.
- The World Wide Web is popularly known as the Web.
- Moving from one website to another is known as net surfing or web browsing.
- A hyperlink is a highlighted text or graphic image on a web page that we can click to jump to another location.
- A website that provides the facility of searching for information on various topics are known as search engines. For example - Google, Bing, Yahoo Search etc.
- The first search engine was named Archie. Veronica and Jughead are the search tools. These three are well-known comic characters.
- There are many tips to make our search effective on the Internet.
- We must spell the words correctly.
- We should know what we are looking for and be specific.
- Use double quotation marks around search words. This will tell the search engine that the words in quotes must be searched exactly as they are typed, and in the same order.
- We can put a plus sign (+) instead of AND and a minus sign (-) instead of OR.

I. Fill in the blanks:

- _____ is a highlighted word or graphic image.
- The first page of a website is called the _____ page.
- The WWW stands for _____ .
- The WWW is popularly known as the _____.
- _____, _____ and _____ are popular search engines.
- _____ was the first search engine.

II. State whether the following statements are True or False:

- We can spell the search words incorrectly.
- The web pages are linked together by hyperlinks.
- The address for the search engine Excite is www.excite.com.
- A search engine has a search box.
- Net surfing is also known as web browsing.
- The arrow changes into a small hand as we move the cursor over a hyperlink.
- Veronica is a search tool.

h) We should rush into a search for information.

III. Answer the following questions:

- a) What do you mean by net surfing?
- b) What is a hyperlink? What is its use?
- c) Write the searching tips to make your search on the Internet more effective.
- d) What is WWW?
- e) What are search engines? Give any three examples along with their addresses.

IV. Complete the following exercises at the end of the chapter:

- a) Exercise A (Question No. 7 to 10) on Page No. 64.
- b) Exercise B on Page No. 65.
