

# A Healthy Computer



HAND-OUT SHEET

ANSWER KEY

**It is best to install only the programs that you need and use because:**

- a) Too many programs will make your computer heavy
  - b) Programs are very complex and may contain unknown security faults**
  - c) Isn't fashionable to have a lot of apps
  - d) It uses less battery
- > *The millions of lines of coded instructions in software means there is a risk that they could contain a little mistake that could create security flaw.*

**Software updates are:**

- a) Not necessary
  - b) Important maintenance work to fix potential issues with your programs**
  - c) Something to do when you have time
  - d) A money making scheme
- > *Updating software regularly greatly increases the security of your computer or device.*

**Spyware is... :**

- a) Encryption programs
  - b) Privacy invading software sometimes bundled with other programs**
  - c) Made by the FBI
  - d) always very easy to spot
- > *Software designed to monitor your activity on the computer such as by sending a record of your Internet use to marketing companies is known as spyware.*