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| Computer science | computing | a computer scientist/analyst |
| data | a laptop | a screen |
| a keyboard | a mouse | a mousepad |
| printer | software | a software program |
| a USB flash drive | a USB connection | a microchip |
| a code number | an update | computerized |
| state of the art/top of the line | time saving | user friendly |
| to switch on | to switch off | to start up |
| to open/close | a file | to run |
| to save | to update | to telecommute |
| to crash | | |

And now a bit of conversation

- Man: Not being computer literate is becoming a handicap in today's word.
- Woman: Yesterday, I deleted a whole file and I don't have a backup. That's why I'm so upset.
- Man: What's wrong? The computer doesn't work.
- Woman: On this plane, all the seat are equipped with a touch screen.
- Man: Computers can not cure the worlds ills, Bill Gates once declared.