

## Computers: Inside & Out - Operating Systems Vocabulary Worksheet

Fill in the blanks with the vocabulary words from the box below.  
Use each word only one time.

<b>hard drive</b>	<b>Windows</b>	<b>upgraded</b>	<b>BIOS</b>
<b>user friendly</b>	<b>essential</b>	<b>graphics</b>	<b>System 8</b>
<b>DOS</b>	<b>operating system</b>		

1. The large program that controls how the CPU communicates with other hardware components is the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A computer that is easy to operate is called \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ wakes up the computer and reminds it what to do.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ part of the operating system is stored on ROM.
5. Important, but non-essential, parts of the operating system are stored on the computer's \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Disk-based Operating System is also known as \_\_\_\_\_.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is the most common operating system for PCs.
8. Operating systems are constantly being \_\_\_\_\_ as technology advances.
9. One example of a Macintosh operating system is \_\_\_\_\_.
10. A Graphical User Interface uses \_\_\_\_\_ to help the user navigate within the computer system.