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The Processing Cycle

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| 1. What is a thin sheet of fiberglass or other material with electrical pathways | A. Plotter |
| 2. The real intelligence of a personal computer resides in its | B. Bus |
| 3. Also called main memory, consists of a group of electronic chips inside the system | C. Printer |
| 4. A secondary type of processing storage used with RAM is | D. Microprocessor |
| 5. Chips contain instructions, information, or data placed on the chip by the manufacturer | E. Scanner |
| 6. Is a plug-in slot on a computer to which you can connect a device | F. Bar Code |
| 7. Is an opening in a computer motherboard where an expansion board | G. Digital Camera |
| 8. Plugs into the side of a notebook or portable computer | H. Port |
| 9. Is a collection of tiny wires through which data in the form of "0s" | I. Keyboard |
| 10. The most common input device, is an electronically controlled hardware component | J. RAM |
| 11. Are designed for specific applications involving simplified, rapid data input. | K. Expansion Slot |
| 12. The user issues commands by pointing at an icon or menu item with | L. PC Card |
| 13. A input device similar to a mouse | M. Motherboard |
| 14. A _____ feels less mechanical than a mouse than a mouse or trackball | N. Touch Pad |
| 15. Is a flat tablet used together with a penlike stylus or a crosshair cursor | O. Mouse |
| 16. Is a light-sensing electronic device that can read and capture printed text and images | P. Magnetic Storage devices |
| 17. When text or a photo is scanned, it is a matrix of rows and columns of dots called | Q. Special Function Keyboard |

18. Almost everything for sale today on the retail level is marked with a	R. Video Input
19. Occurs with a special type of video camera attached to the computer and plugged into a video capture card	S. Floppy Disk
20. Record and store images in a digitized form that can be entered into and Stored by a computer	T. Monitor
21. A fundamental component of every single-user computer system, are the most common soft copy	U. ROM Chips
22. Most Common type of hard-copy output device 20	V. Cache Memory
23. Is a hard-copy output device used to output special kinds of hard copy, including architectural	W. Graphics Tablet
24. Alerts user with warning sounds to errors or other matters that require attention	X. Page Scanner
25. Most Common used secondary storage	Y. Speaker
26. Also called diskette or simply disk	Z. Trackball