

Name _____

Compound Words

A compound word is made up of two smaller words by joining them together. For example: bed + room makes the word "Bedroom"

Read the passage and highlight as many compound words as you can find.

How computers work?

Computers are everywhere in our world. People use them for work and play. A computer is made up of hardware and software. The hardware is the physical part of the computer. The computer unit, monitor, keyboard, and mouse are the parts you see. Inside the computer there are wires, hard drive, and memory components. The CPU, central processing unit, is the brain of the computer found inside the unit. It follows the commands found in the software and makes the computer work. Software is the program that makes the computer work.

Choose three compound words from above. Write each word in spaces given below and write the whole word.

Word 1

Word 2

Compound word