

Chapter 1 On the Web Exercise Assignment -1B Due: Wednesday, March 11

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Course and Section	

1. **Convergence** Innovation has led to smaller devices that cost less and do more. Today, a tablet or smartphone has the same processing power of a PC from a few years ago. Research three of the newest smartphones or tablets on the market. Using the following table, compare the features of each device. Use this research to decide which device would best meet your personal needs.

Write up your decision in a two- to three-paragraph essay. Which device should you buy and why? What other accessories will you need to purchase? Do you need to purchase a data plan to take advantage of all the device's features?

	Device 1	Device 2	Device 3
Website or store	Website	Website	Website
Brand	Samsung	Samsung	Samsung
Model	Galaxy Tab A	Galaxy S20	Galaxy Book Flex a
Price	\$279.99	\$999.99	\$949.99
Phone	No	Yes	No
Calendar	Yes	Yes	Yes
Camera/video	8mp rear 5mp front	64mp rear 10mp front	Yes
GPS	Yes	Yes	Yes
Games	No	Yes	Yes
Video player	Yes	Yes	Yes
MP3 player	Yes	?	?
Internet	Yes	Yes	Yes
Downloadable apps	Yes	Yes	Yes

Additional features	Can DL Word though not realistically functional	No expandable storage	Lightweight and portable – able to use Microsoft Office easily
<u>Additional Purchases</u> Needed <u>Additional purchases</u> required to meet needs	Keyboard case, internet service	Case, screen protection a	Case, internet service