



Vocabulary List

Windows 11 with JAWS Lessons 1 - 3

Term	Definition	Skills ✓
Chat	The button on the Taskbar that launches a version of Microsoft Teams, allowing you to find contacts, type and send messages, and organize meetings.	
Desktop List View	A group of items arranged in rows, columns, or both, with text labels and/or icons.	
Notifications Center	A slide out panel that includes both notifications and the calendar.	
Pinned Apps	Buttons for apps that have been anchored in semi-permanent positions on the Taskbar, Start Menu, or System Tray.	
Quick Settings	A slide out panel that includes wi-fi, Bluetooth, volume, and brightness controls and more.	
Search App	The Windows 11 search feature, which has the search edit box at the top as well as areas for Top Apps, Recent, and Quick Searches.	
Search Edit Box	The search edit box at the top of the Start Menu and Search app.	
Show Hidden Icons Button	The first button in the System Tray area. Opens a pop up with icons hidden from view in the System Tray (application area) of the Taskbar.	
Snap Group	A group of apps arranged in a grid on the screen. A pop up also visually appears when hovering the mouse pointer over an icon on the taskbar that is part of a snap group.	
Snap Layout	A grid that appears when hovering the mouse pointer over the minimize/maximize button of an app that allows one to resize the current window and place it in one of the available spots on the grid.	
Start Button	The first button on the Taskbar, used to open the Start menu.	
Start Menu	The Windows menu that contains a search edit box at the top, an area of pinned apps, recommended	

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	items, and user account, lock screen, and power options.	
System Tray	The right corner of the Taskbar, officially called the "Notification Area," where buttons for running apps and services appear alongside the buttons for Internet access and Speakers and Headphones.	
Task View	A zoom out list of all current windows open and running on the desktops and/or monitors on your PC that allows you to switch between apps or desktops and create and manage multiple desktops.	
Taskbar	The bottom row of the Windows screen which contains buttons for launching apps as well as buttons for apps running in the System Tray.	
Taskbar Corner	The right side of the Taskbar, including the Show Hidden Icons button and other buttons for running apps as well as the buttons for Internet access and Speakers and Headphones.	
Widget Board	A slide out panel that includes a new personalized feed with quick access to news, weather, and other web content.	
Windows Icon	A small graphic square or tile approximately 2-3cm in size that represents a shortcut to launch apps, folders, etc. These are usually found on the desktop.	