**Find Your**

Name

Period #

Computer #

**Computer Systems Specifications**

In order to find out if software is going to run on your computer, you must find out what your system specs are. This exercise is designed to show you how to find this information on any windows based computer.

1. **Part 1: Find the specs without the assistance of a special program**

Find the information on the operating system and its memory.

* 1. Go to the **Start Menu**
	2. Select **Control Panel**
	3. Change to **Classic Mode (top left)**
	4. Now open up the **System** icon
1. What operating system does this computer use (Window/Mac/Linux and the version)

Click here to enter text.

1. Who is this system registered to? Click here to enter text.
2. What is the processor? (Intel or AMD …) Click here to enter text.
3. What is the processor speed is @ Click here to enter text.GHz
4. How much RAM (memory) is installed? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_GB RAM

Now find out about the hard drive

* 1. Close this box
	2. Open up the **Computer** icon on the desktop
	3. *Right Click* on the **Local Disk (C:)** Drive
	4. Select **Properties**
	5. A pie chart will appear
1. How much space has been used (in blue)? Used Space: Click here to enter text.GB
2. How much space is free (in pink)? Free Space: Click here to enter text.GB
3. How much is the total capacity of this hard drive? Capacity: Click here to enter text.GB