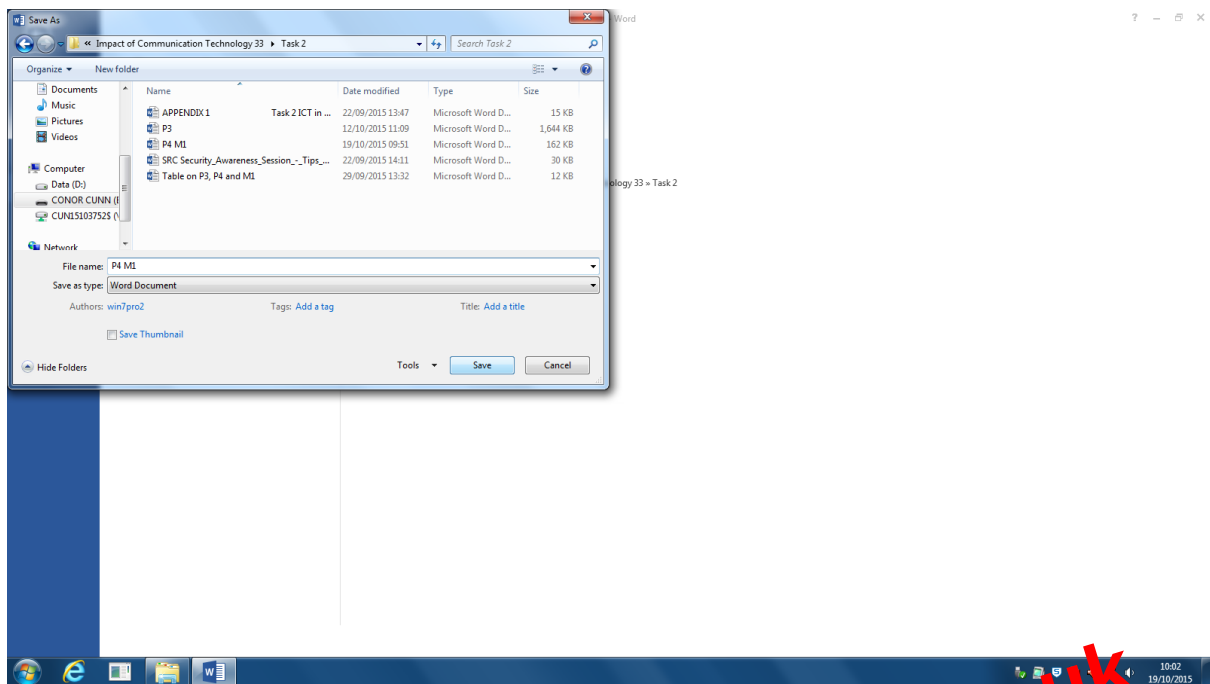


- 3) The file will be named and saved to the intended destination. After clicking save, the file is then backed up to the USB pen.



Carrying out business research

Risks:

- When research is carried out and taken from websites online, there are many risks. A risk would be that the information could be false. It could be uploaded by an unreliable source which is not true. There is a risk here of the information being invalid and unusable.
- Another risk would be that there could be viruses on the website which can be passed on to a users computer. There is a risk here that the entire computer could be corrupted.
- Carrying out research online can also be a risk if there is too much information on the website. A person may not know which information is most relevant to what they're actually looking for so the risk here is that the information gathered could be misinterpreted and/or irrelevant.

Actions:

- An action to take when carrying out business research would be to only visit certified websites. This means that all information gathered will be from relevant and reputable sources. It also means the information is 100% true and valid.
- Another action to taken when carrying out research online would be to install anti-virus. This will prevent any viruses or damaging material being transmitted to a users computer and corrupting their system.

Carrying out a shopping transaction

Carrying out shopping transactions online has become extremely common as E-Commerce is booming. However, there are risks associated with this.

Risks:

- A huge risk with carrying out a shopping transaction is the risk of your personal details being stolen.
- Hackers can steal your details and hack into your account and withdraw your money for their own personal use.
- Another risk would be that a person could buy something online which isn't real. The seller could be a scam and falsely advertise a product which you purchase. This is common on websites such as Ebay where people can take advantage of others.

Actions:

- An action to take when carrying out a shopping transaction would be to only use trusted websites. These can be identified with "https" in a website's URL which shows that it is secure.
- Another action to take would be to use a credit card instead of a debit card. This is because there is insurance involved with credit cards so if money is stolen you may get it back. However, with debit cards you will not get any money back after it is stolen or hacked into.

Demonstration of a shopping transaction being carried out (M1):

The following is a demonstration of a shopping transaction being carried out on EBay, an online website which sells goods and services to members of the public.

