IT BRINGS YOUR COMPUTER TO LIFE!

A new, inexpensive service that’s fun and easy to use. Micronet 800 links your computer with a whole new world of games, education, information, and much more . . .
HOW YOU LINK INTO THE ASTONISHING WORLD OF MICRONET 800...

If you've got a small computer, you can join the new, fast expanding service that connects you to the huge Micronet 800 database. Then, simply by using your keyboard, you can call up information on your screen. Browse. Learn. Send messages. Watch demonstrations. Choose games. And download the FREE games software you want straight off the system into your own computer!

Best of all, Micronet 800 is fun, friendly and inexpensive to use. Look through this brochure at the range of services and entertainment at your fingertips. Then send us your application to join Micronet right away.

Most microcomputers may be connected to Micronet with an acoustic modem and associated software.

A separate leaflet on your own particular computer shows precisely whether you can connect this way or whether you should use a telephone jack plug. It also gives step-by-step instructions on how to connect and use Micronet.

Simply snap your telephone receiver into the acoustic modem and call Micronet's number from your keyboard. You will be asked to enter your unique identification number—then the Welcome to Micronet message appears on the screen, and you're on-line to one of the world's largest databases!

When you have all the information you need—or you've finished 'downloading' software to your computer's memory—just use your keyboard to switch off the telephone link, then replace the receiver.

All the leads, hardware and software you need to enable your computer to operate Micronet 800 are packaged as a 'networking interface' when you order now from Micronet 800!
CALL MICRONET 800 and PLAY...

Choose from hundreds of free games for all the family from Micronet’s ‘Aladdin’s Cave’. They’re changed often, so there’s no time to be bored. Just choose from the list of over 100 that are compatible with your computer – like ‘Hooked’, ‘Superbike’, ‘Contraband’ and many more. Download the game to your own machine, and it’s yours to use whenever you like. It’s just about as easy – and as cheap – as a local phone call.

To download games and other free telesoftware, you follow a simple routine explained in the instructions you receive when you join Micronet. You’ll also receive the software that enables your computer to handle all the Micronet activities – including ‘downloading’.

Another exciting way to play with Micronet is to compete in an absorbing collection of Big Prize games and quizzes, where you can play the system – and win!

There’s even more: a range of highly sophisticated, constantly changing games on Micronet which you can buy at far less than over-the-counter prices, and download to your computer. But don’t worry, there’s plenty of warning if any Micronet 800 service you’re planning to use carries a charge.
CALL MICRONET 800 and LEARN...

There's plenty of scope for education at home - but Micronet offers schools and colleges too an inexpensive way to expand their range of software and gain computing experience.

Schools can link in with other schools and educational users around the country to swap ideas, techniques and programs written by students and teachers - using the system's educational exchange library.

It's fertile ground for sharing new ideas. It cuts down the huge costs and problems of normal distribution. And you can link into news, information and a diary of events.

Micronet will be constantly developing and growing. And shortly, we'll be running educational programs on a variety of subjects, including computing. You'll get notes on how to download courses, and a progress report from your personal tutor as you work through the program. Remember, an important benefit of computer teaching is working at your own pace - as quickly or as slowly as you like. Look for details of courses in your Micronet newsletter - FREE to all subscribers.

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A quick-reference guide on the system – indexed by type of computer – lists the applications software available from Micronet for business administration, including financial planning, accounting and sales analysis.

Move to a different section to see a ‘taster’ demonstration of the package – at your leisure and without obligation. But if it’s what you need, you can download the software to your computer – at far below retail price for comparable packages!

Sounds like a good deal? That’s just a taste of what’s available. Business users will also plug into the communications possibilities of the system. Plus there’s access to all the current business information instantly available on Prestel.

Even more important – business users can operate ‘closed areas’ of Micronet for company communications. It means you can send information like new prices, special promotions, memos and so on to all retail outlets, branches, or perhaps your field force of salesmen or engineers. You’ll find it hard to beat Micronet’s speed, scope and economy with other private communications systems. Call us for more information on how you could benefit from a closed area of Micronet – for nationwide communications!

CALL MICRONET 800 AND WORK...
CALL MICRONET 800 AND COMMUNICATE...

Keeping you in touch is a Micronet speciality! The ‘user groups’ for the major micro manufacturers will maintain news and reference information on Micronet. And you can send messages to your group, or any other Micronet or Prestel users — straight from your keyboard.

Messages for you are held on Micronet’s ‘mailbox’ service — but can only be accessed with your personal subscriber number.

You can send Micronet messages even if you’re away from home — just call Micronet by phone and we’ll send messages to the Micronet user for you.

As another communications bonus, we plan to start trials of a telex system on Micronet 800.

If you have your own club — an additional subscription gives you your own ‘bulletin board’ for club news, events, and swap-shops for second-hand items.

As the service grows, Micronet will become even more interactive — directing you to additional information on a subject, or perhaps a similar game for your interest to the one you have just chosen. Suddenly, with Micronet, your own small computer takes you into a lively national network, whenever you like, at a fraction of the cost of other communications methods.
Need computer and electronics facts? Micronet has a constantly revised reference source for product comparisons, software reviews, dealership and price details and all the 'best buy' information. Micronet helps you find what you want swiftly and easily. And it has all the features of a magazine — including jobs and classified ads. If an item catches your interest — you can trace the manufacturer, the dealer, the price, and maybe even order the product direct from your keyboard!

As a Micronet subscriber, you can take advantage too of all the new databases as they are added to the system — including more 'shopping' facilities and electronic banking.

For information, Micronet's advantages are clear: the scope is vast, and the data is current. Every time you connect, you're on-line to a comprehensive, constantly updated source of reference, nationwide.

CALL MICRONET 800 FOR INFORMATION...

Over 200,000 pages of information on British Telecom's Prestel® service are immediately available to you via Micronet. It gives you fast access to news, travel, holiday and entertainment information — including an electronic booking service — and of course all the City and commodity prices, updated regularly to keep them current and accurate.
Call Micronet 800 from home, school, or business...

Wherever you use your computer, Micronet 800 is an economical way to link into fantastic computing potential and valuable services. Check on the separate price information to see how little you pay—and how much you get!

As a subscriber you’ll also receive a regular newsletter with full details of what’s on, what’s new—and what’s coming! Make sure you’re part of this exciting, growing network. Send the order form to us now and in return we’ll send you everything you need to become a Micronet user.

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