**ALL ABOUT THE**

 **CLOUD**

 

Definition: Cloud computing is nothing more than services or applications (software) provided online over the internet. If you use gmail, hotmail or yahoo you’re already using the Cloud!

**Uses-**

* **Synch folders and files between devices:**
* Desktop - Laptop - Tablet PC - Smart Phone

SkyDrive Dropbox

 <https://skydrive.live.com/> <https://www.dropbox.com/>

* **Share files; collaborate: (your normal – not mega – files)**

SkyDrive google drive (docs)

 <https://skydrive.live.com/> <https://drive.google.com/start#home>

* **Sending large files:**

Rapid Share Send Space

<https://rapidshare.com/> <http://www.sendspace.com/>

* **PC Back-up:**

Carbonite Crash Plan

<http://www.carbonite.com/en/v2/index?ref&tp=ns> <http://www.crashplan.com/>

* **Photo Sharing and Storage:**

Flickr Photo Bucket

<http://www.flickr.com/> <http://photobucket.com/>

* **Store or Stream Music:**

Amazon Cloud Storage google Play

<http://www.amazon.com/gp/dmusic/marketing/CloudPlayerLaunchPage>

<https://play.google.com/music/listen#start_pl>

* **Password Management**

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/security/pc-security/password-checker.aspx>

<https://lastpass.com/>

[http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2817,2381432,00.asp](http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0%2C2817%2C2381432%2C00.asp)

<http://www.pctools.com/guides/password/>

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/security/pc-security/password-checker.aspx>

* **Synching All Bookmarks:**

Xmarks

<http://www.xmarks.com/>

  