

# Answers to Chapter 2 questions

### Activity 2.1

- a data sent one bit at a time over a single wire/channel in both directions but not at the same time
- **b** several bits of data sent down several wires/channels in both directions at the same time
- c data sent one bit at a time over a single wire/channel in one direction only

## Activity 2.2

- a parity bit = 1
- **b** parity bit = 0
- c parity bit = 1
- d parity bit = 1
- e parity bit = 0

#### Activity 2.3

- a OK
- **b** error following transmission
- c error following transmission
- d OK
- e error following transmission

#### Activity 2.4

Byte 4 row and bit 6 column show error (incorrect parity)
Bit value '0' at intersection of row 4 and column 6 is in error
Byte should be: 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 0

## Activity 2.5

- **a** 148
- **b** 137
- **c** 170
- **d** 255