Internet Business “Blendspace” explorations responses Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Role of Technology in Business:**

State **3 types of technologies** that have influenced how business has changed in recent history.

Identify 1 **way** that recent technology has changed the **way** business is done?

Apple’s iTunes downloading service has been a big success. What might be some of the business reasons for this success?

In 2006, the long running BBC TV show Top of the Pops ended after 42 years. Do you think Top of the Pops was a victim of developments in Technology? Provide an explanation to back up your answer.

If you were part of a band like the Arctic Monkeys, what predictions would you make about how the music industry will develop over the next five years? Provide the reasoning behind your answer.

**Online Banking:**

1. Which of the following is not an advantage of online banking?
	1. Fast/efficient
	2. Requires the internet
	3. 24/7 access
	4. Regular monitoring of account is possible
2. Which of the following activities are not possible through internet banking?
	1. Paying bills
	2. Updating contact information
	3. Transferring funds
	4. Getting a notarized signature

**Online Shopping:**

1. In a paragraph, summarize 5 tips for safe online shopping.
2. Screen shot 2 products from Craigslist that look interesting to you.
3. Post a question about EBay to our class Edmodo site and then answer a question posed by a classmate.

**Online Payments:**

1. How does PayPal help you make online payments?
2. Is there a fee for buying things with PayPal? How about if you sell using the service?
3. Name an advantage and a disadvantage of using PayPal.