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Mountain, thanks again for the very helpful information.

I'm on a quest to purchase a new computer this year, and I am leaning towards a Dell. I will definitely do a Google search for coupons. Every little bit helps.

Sometimes when I have more than two or three applications open on my current computer, the fan comes on in my computer generating a lot of noise AND slowing it down. I did not realize that my 512MB SyncDRAM was the culprit, and I am very much looking forward to purchasing a new computer with MORE memory.

I do need a 3-1/2-inch floppy drive, and Dell provides an opportunity to build one's own computer. Most newer computers don't have the 3-1/2-inch floppies anymore, but I need one. I'm not sure what the "S" stands for in the Windows "XPS" operating system. I also desire a DOS prompt, found in the Accessories with Windows XP.

This has truly been a very informative thread for me personally. Thanks to all! :->

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