

THE KANSAS CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY



Access useful & popular applications
with your library card

SOFTWARE



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Can be expensive



Requires
computing resources



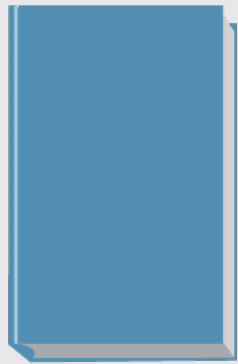
Installation,
configuration, updates

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We already lend...



BOOKS



CDs/DVDs



E-CONTENT

[We **used to** lend software disks]

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We currently provide



PUBLIC COMPUTING STATIONS

COMMUNITY NEED

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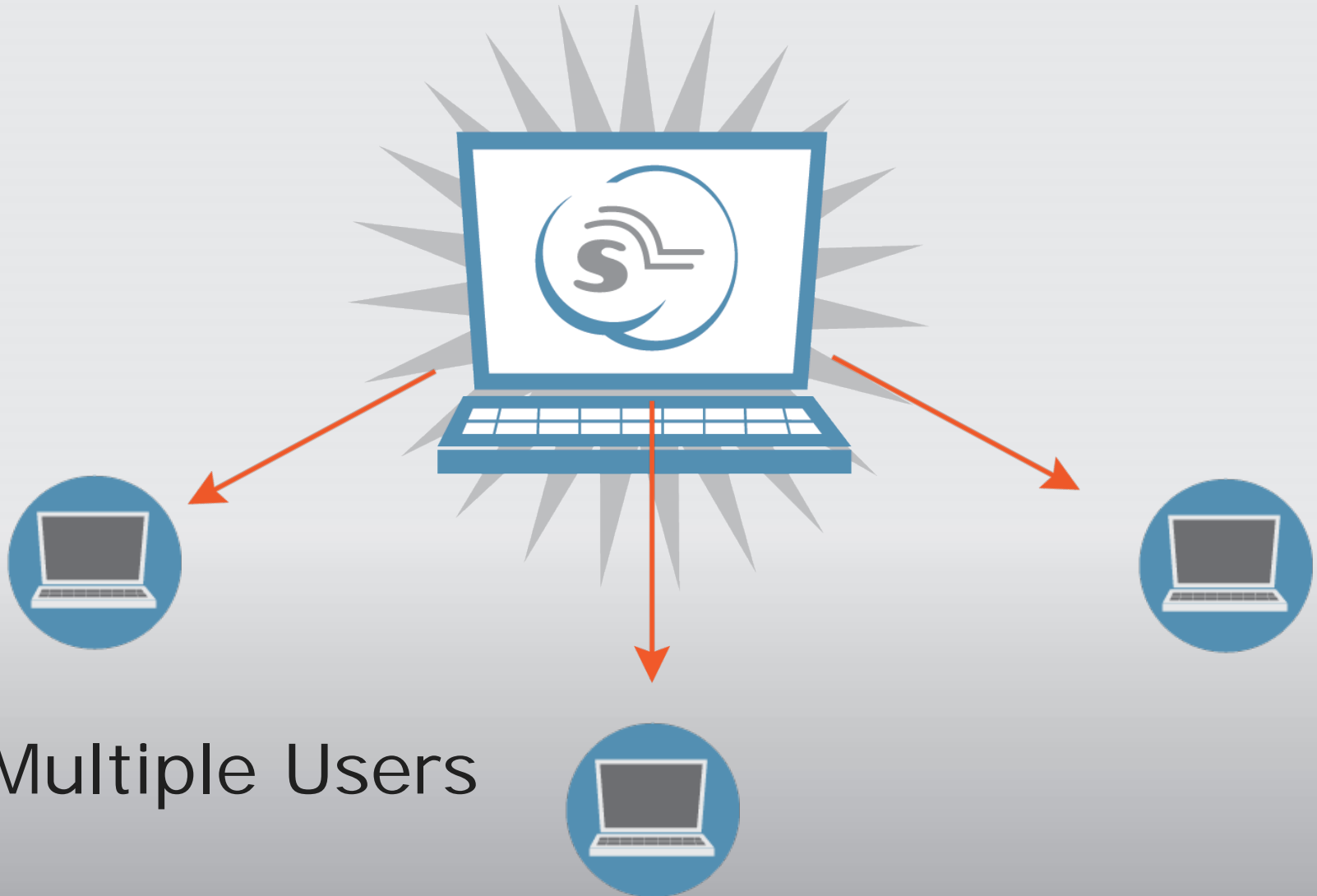
Remote desktop performs well over
ultra-high bandwidth

Share computing capacity of a
few centrally located machines
with multiple users

Users don't need a lot of
processing power –
just a gigabit connection

THE BASICS

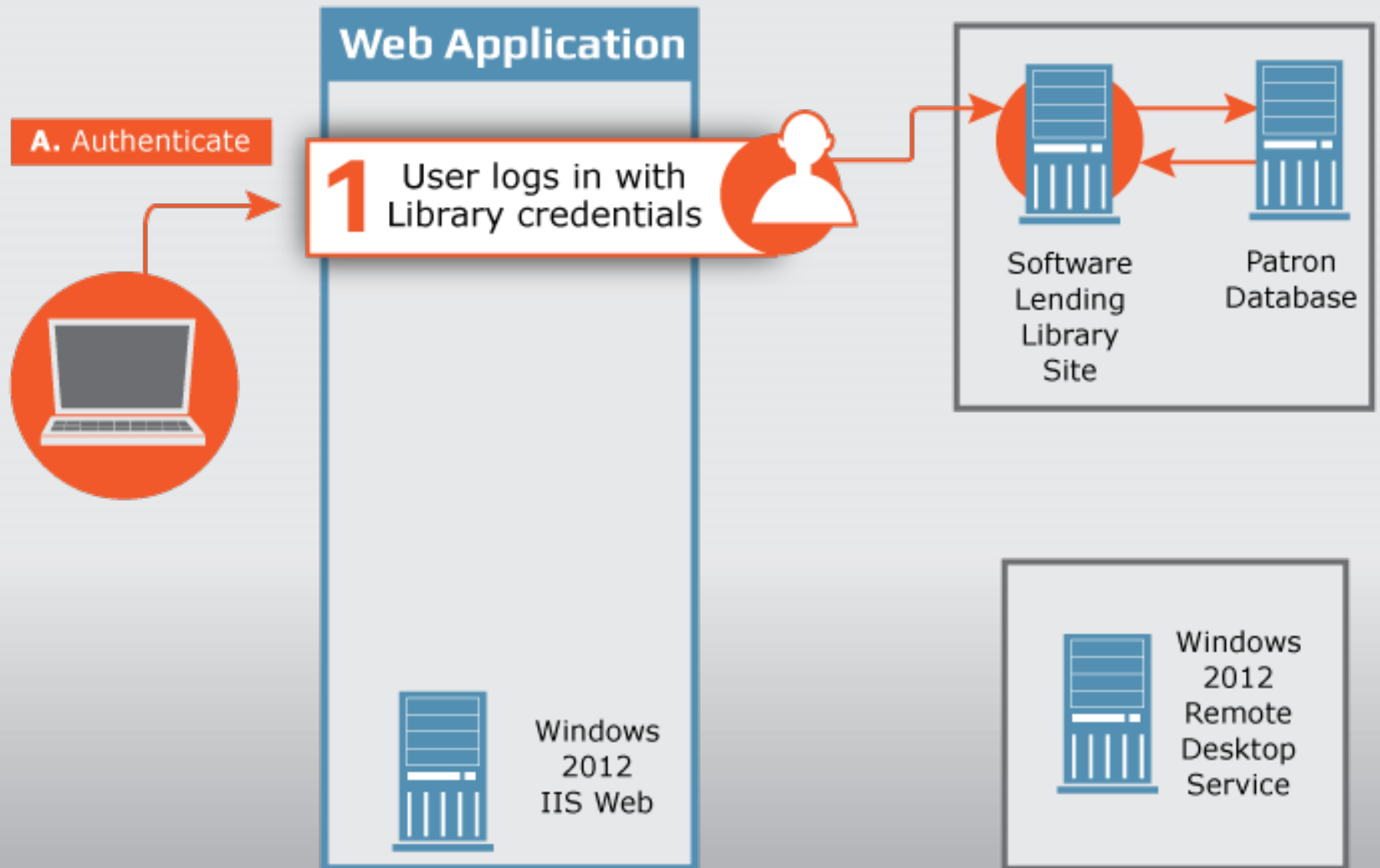
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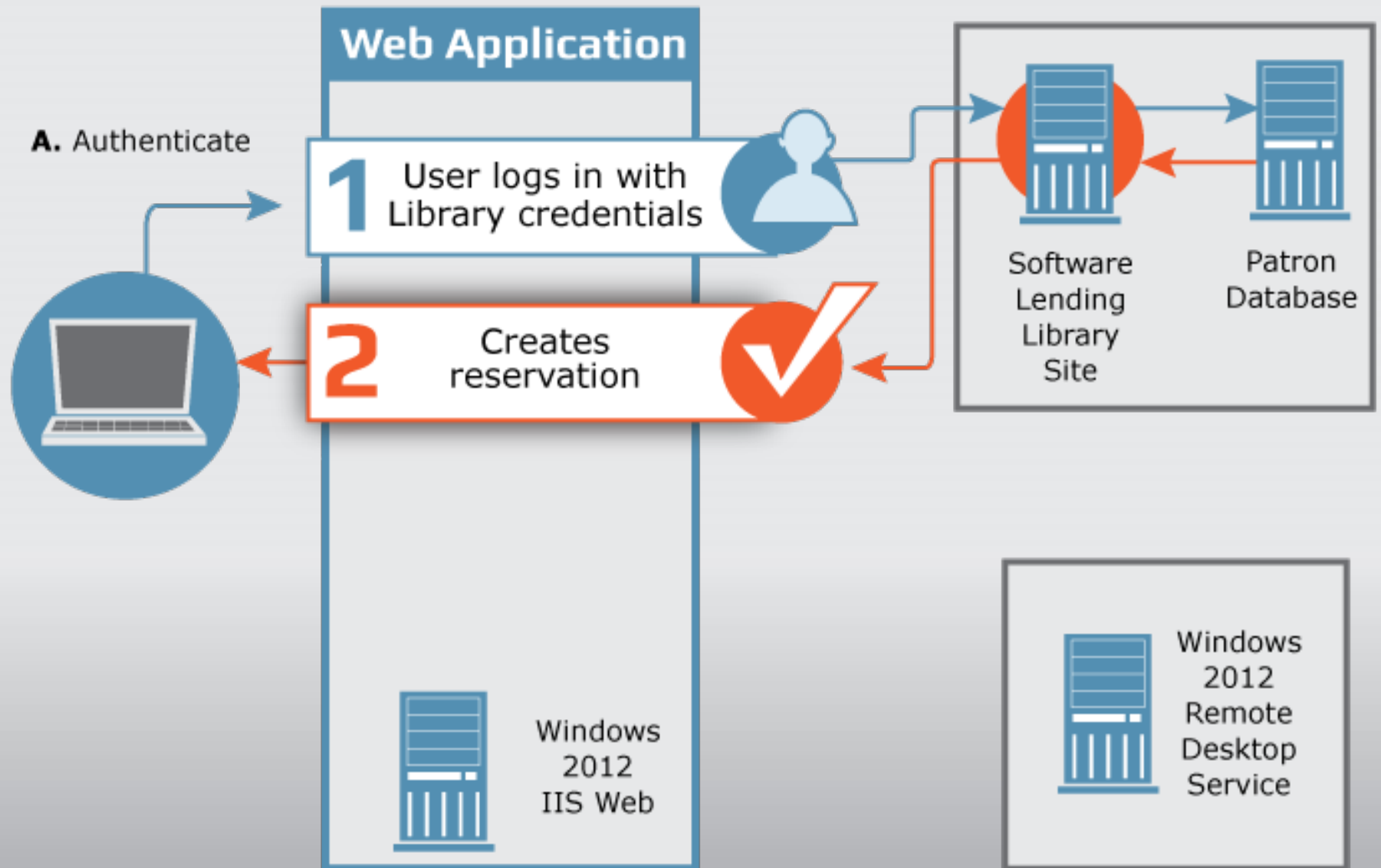
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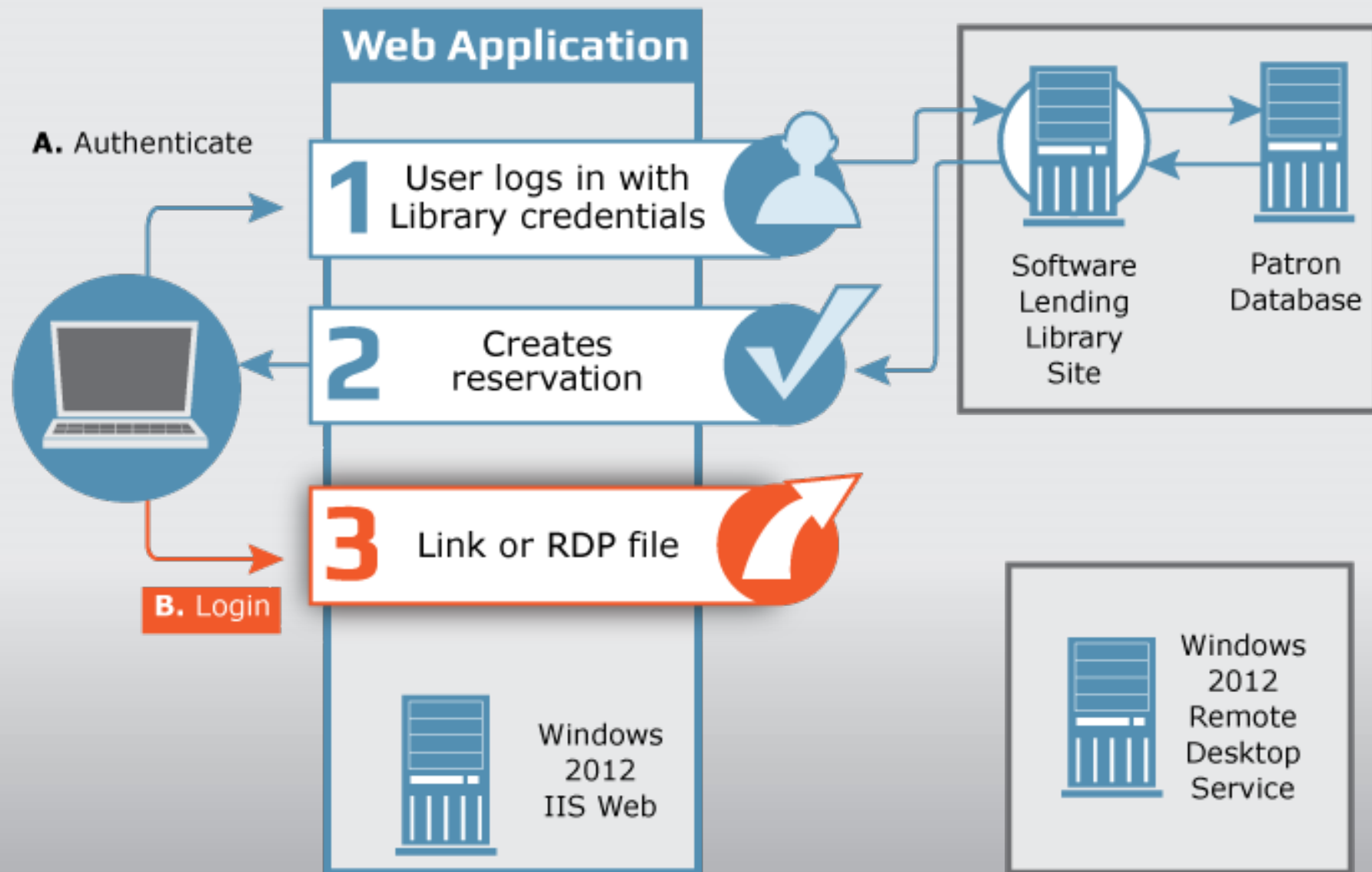
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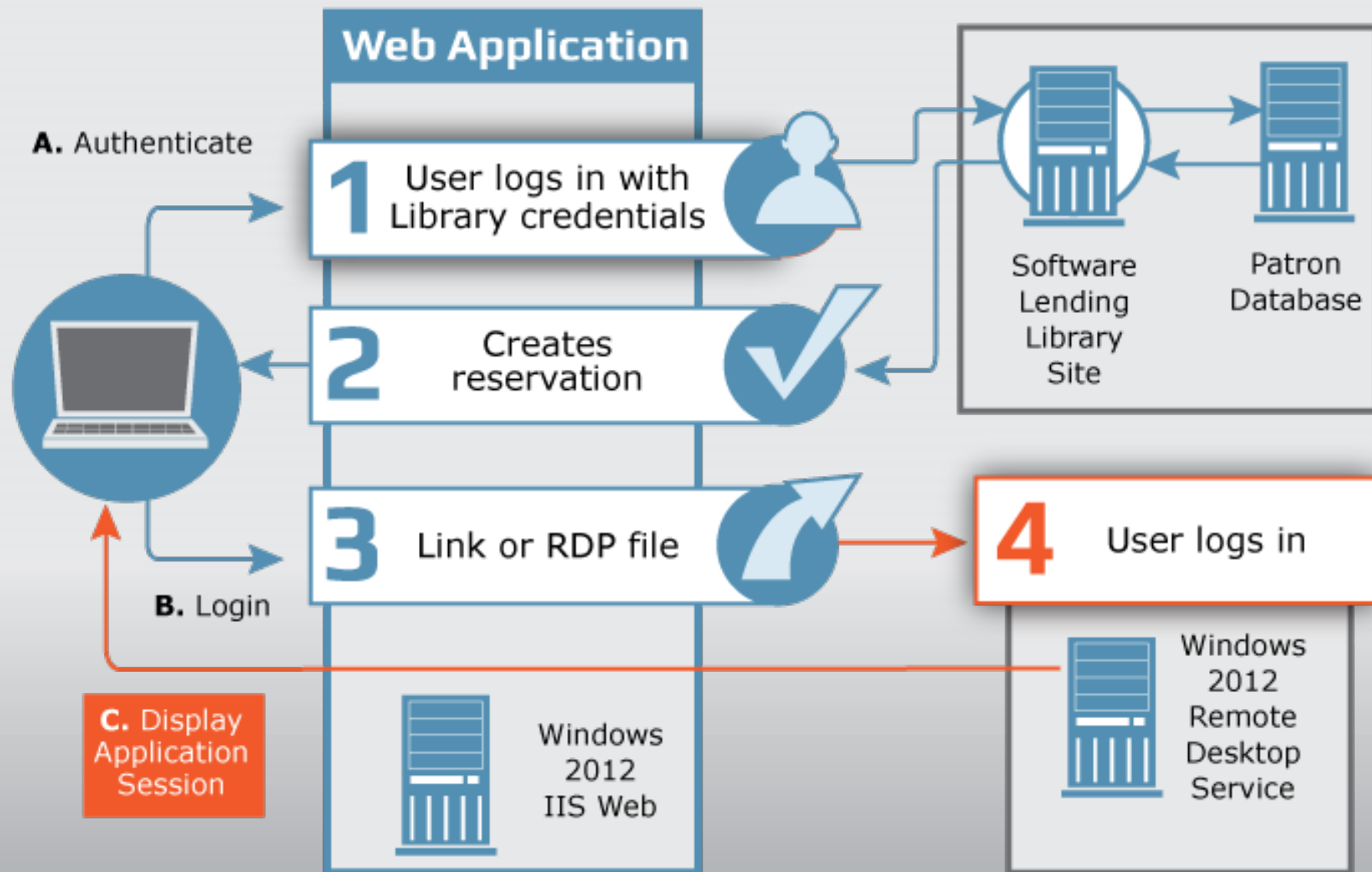
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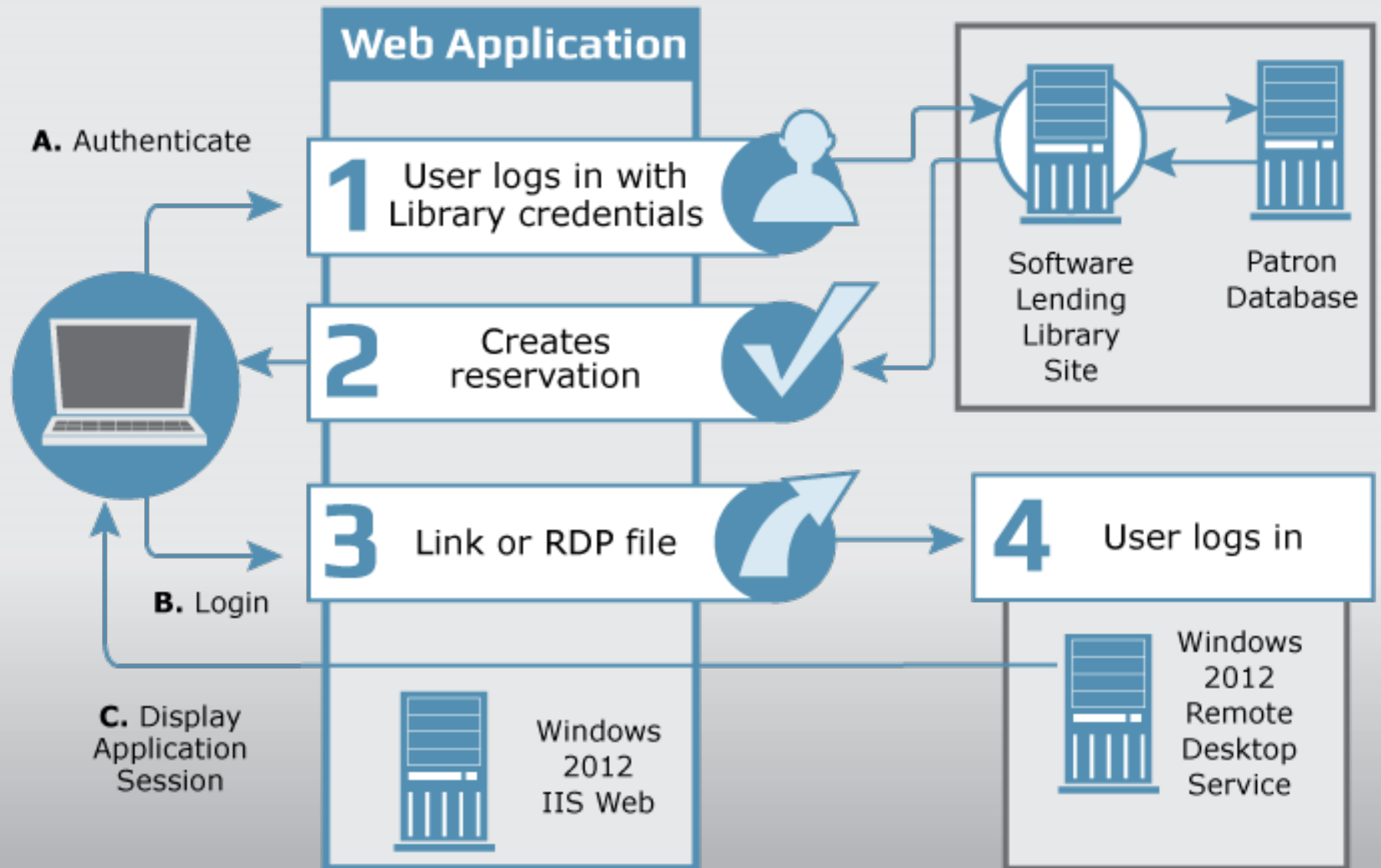
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FAMILIAR MODEL



Scheduled access –
reserve by the hour



Share few licenses with many



Same model as our
public computing stations



Help meet our users' needs

POTENTIAL USERS



Students lacking access to software at home

Early career professionals who can't afford expensive licenses

Job seekers looking to develop new tech skills

People who want to **test-drive** products

OUTCOMES

Help bridge the Digital Divide

Address workforce development needs

Open new possibilities for youth
and the digitally challenged

Provide free and equal access for all

WHAT'S NEXT

Negotiations with
software companies

Pilot testing

Informational website

Public launch

PARTNERS

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