

## **Describing the New Start Menu in Windows 11**

- a. Live tiles are gone, with apps now displaying a static app icon and its name beneath it.
- b. The Start menu offers three rows of six icons that you can have pinned, with the ability to scroll through "pages" if you have more apps that you need to pin.
- c. There's also a full apps list that shows you all your installed apps that can be accessed via the "all apps" button located just above your pinned apps.
- d. Along the top of the Start menu is a search bar, which really only acts as a shortcut to the dedicated Search function you can access via the search icon on your Taskbar.
- e. Below your pinned apps is a new "Recommended" area that acts as a recents menu for things like documents and installed apps. Whenever you install a new app or open an Office document, it will appear directly in this Recommended area for quick access.