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Thread: [Need to gain access to admin access on school computers](#)

xbeargrylls - February 14, 2013, 4:20 pm

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xbeargrylls - February 14, 2013, 4:25 pm

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Aura - February 14, 2013, 4:28 pm

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Mycro - February 14, 2013, 4:37 pm

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One more question, could you possibly help me over join.me or answer this.Boot as ISO or floppy disk

5R1-Gnome

5R1-Gnome_x64

5R1-KDE

5R1-KDEx64

Mycro - February 14, 2013, 4:42 pm

As I previously stated, Lightspeed is most likely NOT hosted on your school's network. Backtrack is essentially useless for this.

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By accessing the computer BIOS and changing the boot order.

You can google this easily ;)

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No problem even if I was partially wrong ! :P

GI?ck - February 14, 2013, 4:57 pm

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Then the tip is obviously : don't get caught ;)

bliz - February 17, 2016, 4:59 pm

Hi,

I want to do the same however the boot is locked so I'm stuck in my attempt to enter the admin account.

any steps to bypass ?

Regards

Nomad.Null - February 17, 2016, 7:08 pm

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...whatever...

There shouldn't be any need to say it, but you should not proceed with this. I've been both a school domain administrator, a security researcher, and I can tell you from personal experience that this is an excessively bad idea. There is literally no profit to be made here, and an unauthorized account addition is easily detected and recognized. IP logs will reveal which terminal the change was made from, and time stamps will show who was in the room at the time. You are a student without any anonymity, and your friends will rat you out in a heartbeat if pressured.

It's an educational institution, which makes it government property by proxy. This makes any intrusion or unauthorized access/use of its computers a felony by default, a crime which carries maximum penalties of 15 years, plus fines exceeing \$10,000 plus cost for any damages incurred to hardware, administrative operations, etc.

You are not experienced enough to cover your tracks fully, and some administrators of school boards consider these types of actions to be supreme threats to, not only their authority, but to their careers as well and therefore take it personally. They will make a criminal out of you, the media will make you out to be a terrorist, and the law will make you an example...without fail. If you live in the UK or another European country with esspecially stringent computer crime policies such as that of the USA's FBI and NSA or the UK's NCA, you are guaranteed to at least receive a felony record, which will leave you unable to get a job, a secret clearance or above, a college education at any reputable institution (you will be barred from applying to most, if not all universities), and you will be consequently doomed to either be a slave to society as a past-felon now working a dead-end job as a janitor, or you will turn to crime as a consequence of society's punishing you.

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Sta.ze - February 17, 2016, 9:42 pm

my school uses lightspeed systems as well.

I've took a few peeks, but there is a login panel. At school, visit your schools IP address in your browser.

I haven't bothered bruting it though.

Nomad.Null - February 17, 2016, 9:47 pm

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Lol, this gave me a good excuse for creating a copy/paste. I'm worn down after answering this 10 times a day on average. It's now a saved text on my phone, and firefox sync files...rofl.

ccpower101 - February 18, 2016, 12:40 am

You better be careful because your school admin has an IT dept who is an expert. So they can track you back

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Chill out, i'm not looking to take a system down at all.

I just wanted to access a fellow students account by installing a keylogger on a admin account, that is all.

Can anyone advise the best keylogger option for a PC that is bios boot locked?

AngryBird™ - February 18, 2016, 7:38 am

In order to reset the bios for a particular computer you would have to gain access to the internals of the machine and remove the CMOS battery for about 30s.

<https://i.ytimg.com/vi/ao866l9XpTo/maxresdefault.jpg>

Once you have removed it there should no longer be a BIOS password present on the machine.

In regards to gaining access to the administrator account download something called windows password reset pro and put onto a DVD at home or USB and boot from it once at school.

Link Here :

http://download.cnet.com/Windows-Password-Recovery-Professional/3000-18501_4-75452375.html

This will reset the local administrator account password and thus gain you access (Its very straight forward).

Once in be careful as most computers in school environments use something called VNC. They can

see the machines screen and you would never know.

Good Luck OP !