

Re: locking down Win2k

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You can use group policy and ntfs permissions (do NOT change ntfs permissions on the winnt directory unless you know what you are doing) to lock down a workstation. You will have to configure group policy on each workstation by running mmc in the run box and adding the group policy snap in. Administrative templates under user configuration will allow a lot of configuration. Keep in mind that changes in group policy on a workstation apply to ALL users including administrator, however you could configure group policy remotely as an administrator (except security settings) from another computer. Be sure to have locks on the computer cases, password protect cmos, and do not allow booting into any drive but the hard drive. Consider not having a floppy or cdrom if you do not need them and disable any unneeded ports in cmos and in device manager. --- Steve

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- > we have a couple of workstations which require access to
- > the public, or viceversa, and i am wanting to lock em down
- > tight as poss, while still allowing net and tcp iop
- > traffic for a couple of apps. anyone know an easy way to
- > go about this, hide all control panels, etc etc, stop
- > browsing etc? cheers in advance, Zsolt
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