

Re: Need help with user rights

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Michael wrote:

- > *Create a default profile.*
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- > *1) Log on with a user name that has administrative rights*
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- > *2) Install ALL software you want every user on the PC to have*
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- > *3) Reboot the computer*
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- > *4) Log on with a different user name that has administrative rights*
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- > *5) Right-click 'My Computer' – Properties – Advanced – User Profiles Setup*
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- > *6) Select the name used to install from step 1*
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- > *7) Click copy*
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- > *8) The path is "C:\Documents and Settings\Default User"*
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- > *9) Permitted to use should be "Everyone" or "LocalComputer/Users"*
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- > *Now when a non-administrative user logs onto the PC they will have there own*
- > *copy of there part of the Registry and should solve you problem.*
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- > *There is much more information on creating a 'Default Profile' on*
- > *Microsoft's web site.*
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- > *In some cases you may also need to add 'Write' permissions to individual*
- > *program directories or files for some programs to function; some update*
- > *configuration files, etc.*
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- > *Good luck,*
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- > *Michael*
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> "Nick" <Junkie@worldnet.NOSPAM.att.DON'TSPAM.net> wrote in message
> news:#j5oHXGZCHA.1432@tkmsftngp10...
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>>Hi,
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>>I don't know if this is the right message board or not, if it is not the
>>right one, please redirect me to the correct one.
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>>I would like to set up a few accounts on my Windows XP Pro system. I
>>know that scripts can be used if I was on a network, but I'm not so I'm
>>guessing that is not an option.
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>>I want my "limited" accounts to access only the required files needed to
>>run certain programs (Games) but I do not want them to have access to
>>anything else like my source code homework (VB6). There are a few
>>problems that make it so that I'm unable to do this without help
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>>1) I don't have enough skills to do this on my own
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>>2) One of the games requires access to certain registry keys, but the
>>only way I've found to get this game to work is to give the user FULL
>>RIGHTS to the entire registry. I do not like this solution. I do not
>>know the keys the game looks at to see if it's been installed. Do you
>>know a workaround or a better solution?
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>>3) How can I make an account load only game required stuff? Meaning, I
>>don't want them to load any of my email stuff (Mozilla, AIM, MSN,
>>etc...) I do not want them to have internet access either (I use dial-up).
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>>4) I partially know how to do this, but would like further assistance:
>>How can I make sure they do not have access to my D, E and F drives?
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>>5) HOW can I make the computer think that there is a CD in my drive when
>>it's not so that the kids won't have to put the CD into my computer
>>manually?
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>>Thanks for your help in advance,
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>>Nick
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OK, here's a stupid question....Since I've already intalled all the
programs (more than just the ones I want the other to have access too)
will the steps still work?