

LESSON 30

NO LOGIN PASSWORD

FLOPPY COPY

INSTANT PRIVACY

Many of you are presented with a login screen that asks for a password. If you have a stand-alone computer and are not on a computer network, this gets to be a pain in the password, so here's how to eliminate it.

Open my computer, then open Control Panel, then Network. You are likely to see some or all of the following installed components.

Client for Microsoft Networks
Client for Netware Networks
Dial-up adapter
Ipx/spx-compatible protocol
Netbeui
Tcp/ip

Highlight and then delete all of them except dial-up adapter and TCP/IP, which you may need to dial into the Internet through Windows 95 or 98. Once you have restarted your computer you will no longer be asked to log in and give a password.

One of our lessons showed you how to create a shortcut on the desktop for making copies of floppy disks. Here's how to make a floppy disk copy right from My Computer. Open My Computer, right-click on the Icon for the floppy drive, and then select Copy Disk. Windows 95 will prompt you through the copy procedure.

Here's how to create instant privacy on your computer screen. Right-click on a blank space on your desktop. Select New, then Shortcut. Now click on Browse. Select Windows, then System. Make sure you set the Files Of Type: box to all files. Find a screen saver icon and click on it. Now click on Next, then on Finish.

Right-click on the new Shortcut Icon, then select Properties. Now click on the Shortcut-Key box, and press a function key, like f10. Click on OK.

When you want to keep your computer screen private from snooping eyes, just press the f10 key and your screen saver jumps up.

Now that wasn't too hard, was it?

