

Re: How to Lock Keyboard?

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In [news:Xns966E80850986CchrishchyahooomSpam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Xns966E80850986CchrishchyahooomSpam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx),
LastYJ <carsx88-6012@xxxxxxxxxx> had this to say:

My reply is at the bottom of your sent message:

> "Galen" <galennews@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote in
> news:ebSulCvaFHA.3032@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx:
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>> In news:80A8288F-71FC-4675-87E2-4DFB6A93804D@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx,
>> Mark Nave <MarkNave@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> had this to say:
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>> My reply is at the bottom of your sent message:
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>>> I have two workstations using windows 2000 pro and one using xp pro.
>>> Is there a command I can use to lock the keyboard so a young child
>>> won't mess up things?
>>
>> WinKey + L will lock the entire desktop and, assuming they don't know
>> your password, will prevent them from harming the system though you
>> will find they can still pound on the keyboard but it won't hurt
>> anything unless they spill juice on it.
>>
>> Galen
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>
> WinKey + L doesn't seem to work in Windows 2000.
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> However, you can create a shortcut and drag it onto your Quick Launch
> Bar.
> So, anywhere on your desktop, right click and then go to New... and
> then in
> the field, enter:
>
> %windir%\system32\rundll32.exe user32.dll,LockWorkStation
>
> Click Next, and then give it a name like "Lock Workstation". Then,
> click
> Finish.

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> Finally, you can then drag that shortcut onto the Quick Launch
> toolbar.
> So, whenever you walk away, you can just click that shortcut in the
> Quick
> Launch and you can lock your computer from being tampered with,
> provided no
> one knows your password, of course.
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> The other traditional way to lock it with Win2k (as well as for
> Windows XP
> if you don't use the annoying "Welcome" screen), is to just press
> CTRL-ALT-
> DEL and then press K.
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Doh! Thanks. *bashful grin* I could have sworn that was one of the WinKeys that worked with 2k but I'll take your word on it as I don't have 2k installed on any of the PCs right here. I spend too much time on XP these days.

Galen

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"And that recommendation, with the exaggerated estimate of my ability with which he prefaced it, was, if you will believe me, Watson, the very first thing which ever made me feel that a profession might be made out of what had up to that time been the merest hobby."

Sherlock Holmes

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• *References:*

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