

## Re: Error Applying Security (Network Share)

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Make sure you are logged on as an administrator and take ownership of the folder first. The owner of a folder can always change permissions to it even if they have no permissions. Open un the folder properties/security/advanced/owner and change owner to administrators. Also check the box to replace owner on subcontainers and objects. Then hit OK and you should be able to change permissions. --- Steve

"MrMike" <MrMike@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:F734532F-8611-4D88-9F88-B1A8FB42B419@microsoft.com...  
>I am experiencing a problem with permissions on a network share subfolder.  
>I  
> have a network share which all users had full control of. I attempted to  
> modify the security settings on a subfolder of this share so that only  
> certain users could modify the subfolder's contents. Upon doing so  
> everyone  
> (even domain administrators) lost access to the subfolder. Upon losing  
> access I was unable to open the contents of the subfolder and unable to  
> apply  
> further security settings to that subfolder. After the problem occurred I  
> reset all permissions so that the original (everyone - full control) to  
> see  
> if that would solve the problem. However, Upon attempting to reset the  
> permissions I received the error message "Error applying security  
> settings.  
> Access is denied".  
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> Could anyone please help me understand how to fix this? Thanks.