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- Your Yale NetID password must be changed once per calendar year as per Yale University Policy 1601 PR.02 NetIDs and Identity Management
- Don’t use your Yale NetID or password elsewhere (such as on Internet websites) outside of Yale.
- Each year’s password must be unique – don’t recycle previous year’s passwords.
- Select a Strong Password as per Yale University Guide 1610 GD.01 Selecting Good Passwords

How to prevent account lockout during a password change

- Following a Yale NetID password change, your account may become locked out if you fail to immediately update your password in all locations on which your password is stored.
- Your account will be locked out for a period of 20 minutes if your password is incorrectly entered or saved on any device or in any application. Your account will automatically unlock 20 minutes after your password is corrected.
- To prevent account lock out, you should review the Yale ITS NetID Password Locations Guide
- Log out of lab, kiosk, and other public workstations.
- Log out of virtual machines, secondary computers, and open sessions and applications.
- Shutdown home computers the day you plan on changing your password.

password change instructions for devices and applications based on role – Use all that apply FOR DEVICES THAT YOU’VE INVENTORIED.

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SMARTPHONES AND TABLETS (STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND STAFF)

Apple iPhone, iPad, or iPod Touch (iOS Devices)

- E-mail, Contacts, and Calendar
- YaleSecure Wireless

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