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Student Self-Service – HOW TO RESET PASSWORD

TO RESET YOUR PASSWORD IN CASE YOU HAVE FORGOTTEN IT OR YOUR ACCOUNT IS LOCKED: IMPORTANT: Note that you will not be able to Reset Password if you have not <u>UPDATED</u> <u>PASSWORD</u> and <u>REGISTER YOUR SECURITY QUESTIONS</u>.

- 1. Open your Google Chrome or preferred browser
- 2. Type in https://resetmypassword.vut.ac.za/default.aspx on the browser and press enter



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Login Assistant

Please enter your user name below

Next

3. Type in your username (StudentNumber) and click next.



Login Assistant VUT Self-Service Password Reset

You must answer 3 of the following 3 questions.	What is your Favourite Color?	
	What is your NickName?	
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	Who is your Favourite Artist?	
	Next Cancel	

4. Answer the 3 questions you are presented with as you answered them during password registration process, and click next

5. If you answered your questions correctly, you will be presented with a screen to enter your NEW password

PASSWORD RULES

Minimum password length must be 8 Characters.

Passwords must consist of a mix of special and alpha-numeric characters

Passwords must not be the same as the username.

Passwords may not be blank.

Passwords may not be part of history – used before in less than 6 months



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Login Assistant You were successfully authenticated.

Account Unlock: Keep Your Current Password
Password Reset: Choose Your New Password and Unlock Your Account

(Resetting password for 210011688)

Enter a new password:

Re-enter the password:

Next Cancel

- 6. Type new password
- 7. Re-type new password
- 8. Click next and your password should be reset.



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Success: Your password was reset



You can now use your new password to log in.

If you still cannot reset password after following above steps

Contact Help Desk

it support@vut.ac.za

NB: 24hr turnaround time for emails.

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Operating Hours:

07:45am – 4:30pm Weekdays

Closed on Weekends

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