Hiding Passwords and Secret Keys in Environment Variables

- **cd space enter**
  to get to home directory
- **nano .bash_profile**

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export DB_USER="my_db_user"
export DB_PASS="my_db_pass_123!"
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- No space between equals sign and value!
- **Ctrl + X   -------> Y --------- Enter**
- Saves the file and keeps the same file name.
- Must restart coding instance, to acquire via OS.

```python
import os

EMAIL = os.environ.get('EMAIL')
EMAIL_PASS = os.environ.get('EMAIL_PASS')
print(EMAIL)
print(EMAIL_PASS)
```

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2015samtaylor@gmail.com
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