Lab Report

Your Performance

Your Score: 4 of 4 (100%)   Pass Status: Pass

Elapsed Time: 10 minutes 5 seconds   Required Score: 100%

Task Summary

Required Actions

✔ Add a file exclusion

✔ Add a process exclusion

✔ Update protection definitions before scanning

✔ Perform a quick scan

Explanation

In this lab, your task is to configure Windows Defender as follows:

- Add a file exclusion for **D:\Graphics\cat.jpg**.
- Add a process exclusion for **welcome.scr**.
- Check for updates before you perform the scan.
- Perform a quick scan.

Complete this lab as follows:

1. Add a file exclusion as follows:
   a. In the search field on the taskbar, enter **Windows Defender**.
   b. Under Best match, select **Windows Defender Security Center**.
   c. Maximize the window for easier viewing.
   d. Select **Virus & threat protection**.
   e. Select **Virus & threat protection settings**.
   f. Under Exclusions, select **Add or remove exclusions**.
   g. Select the **+** (plus sign) next to Add an exclusion.
   h. From the drop-down lists, select **File**.
   i. Under This PC, select **Data (D:)**.
   j. Double-click **Graphics**.
   k. Select **cat.jpg**.
   l. Select **Open**.

2. Add a process exclusion as follows:
   a. Select the **+** (plus sign) next to Add an exclusion.
   b. From the drop-down lists, select **Process**.
   c. In the Enter process name field, enter **welcome.scr** for the process name.
   d. Select **Add**.

3. Update protection definitions as follows:
   a. In the left menu, select the **shield** icon.
   b. Select **Protection updates**.
   c. Select **Check for updates**.

4. Perform a quick scan as follows:
   a. In the left menu, select the **shield** icon.
   b. Under Scan History, select **Quick scan** to run a quick scan now.