1. Would you create a user with a blank password? Why or why not?

No, I would not create a user with a blank password. It is a huge security risk and would put all of your data at risk. If a hacker or nefarious being decided to steal your data, they could simply login to your database without a password and begin to wreak havoc on the system. Even if the user did not have evil intentions, it opens up the original user to mistakes and unintentional breaches. The user could be blamed for mistakes they didn’t make.