

## Computer Science 212 Lab Basics

### Logging in to the A103 and A223 labs:

Your account name should be the first two letters of your last name followed by the first two letters for your first name, followed by the last 4 digits of your CUNYFirst ID, all lower case. For example, Chris Smith with CUNYFirstID 12345678 would log in as `smch6789`. Your initial password is the your CUNYFirst ID. Change this password as soon as you log in.

### Disk Drives on the lab machines.

- C: This is the usual, local C: drive. You should not save information on this drive as it could be modified by the system administrator at any time.
- H: This is your private network drive for local storage on which you may safely leave your work. Note that this drive “follows” you as you log in, so you need not use the same computer every time you use the lab.
- Z: This is a public network drive for CS 212 to which you have read-only access. Files to be used for lab exercises will be placed here for you to copy to your own H: drive.

### Using the DOS Command Line Window

For the first few weeks of the course, you will compile and run Java programs using the command line in DOS (similar to the Unix system you may have used for CS 111). To get to the command line window,

click Start | Programs | Accessories | Command Prompt

You should get a window that looks like:

