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This Getting Started Guide will instruct you step-by-step on the basic features that will get you up and running. By the end of the guide you will have connected to the micro:pi over WiFi hotspot and tested sound, lights and OLED functions. Further instructions are provided in the online Advanced User Guide, just create a FREE account on topAcademy.com.

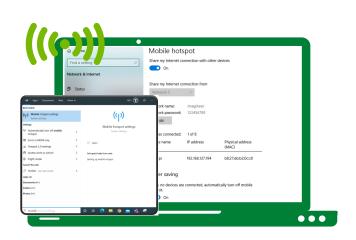
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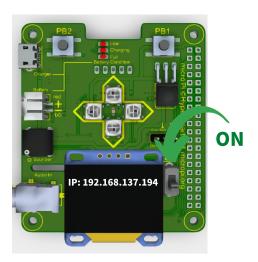
# **Create a WiFi Hotspot**

Using Windows 10 on a Laptop or a PC (fitted with a WiFi dongle), in the **search** start typing mobile hotspot and select '**mobile hotspot settings**'. On the Mobile hotspot page click on '**Edit**' and enter: Network name: **imagineer** 

Network password: **123456789** (save the settings, and then switch the

hotspot **ON**)





#### **Power-up**

Connect the micro:Pi to a 5V USB power supply and then move the switch to the **ON** position. After about 25 seconds the laptop will provide an IP address and, and this will be displayed on the OLED .

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#### **Remote connection**

There are several ways to connect, SSH, VNC or RDP. RDP is available on Windows, to connect enter the IP address





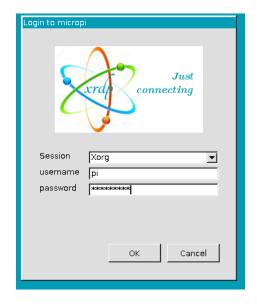
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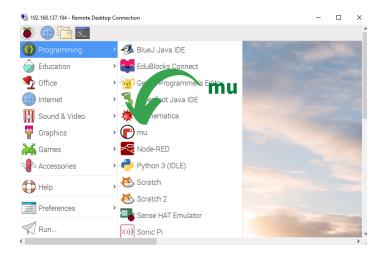
The microPi responds to RDP with an authentication dialog box, enter:

username: **pi** 

password: imagineer

(you may then be asked to confirm proceeding without a certificate, just press yes to confirm)





### **Graphical Desktop**

The connection will open a new window and display a graphical desktop. Under programming there are several choices, select **mu**.

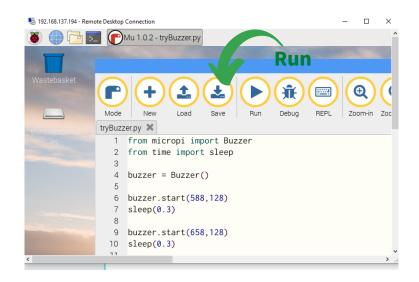




# **Running a program**

Load the tryBuzzer.py program that is in the micropi folder, then press Run. The buzzer will play a tune.

Finally, Load and Run tryLED.py and then tryOLED.py. In tryOLED.py change the "Hello World" to some other value and Run it again.



# This completes this Getting Started Guide

But this is just the beginning. Your micro:Pi is equipped with additional sensors and interfaces, visit http://topacademy.com where you will find further guidance and support.



