

## J101 support for the coursework

- you should only read this if you are in J101
- you can download [putty](http://floppsie.comp.glam.ac.uk/windows-utils/putty.exe) `<http://floppsie.comp.glam.ac.uk/windows-utils/putty.exe>` and [vnc](http://floppsie.comp.glam.ac.uk/windows-utils/VNC-Viewer-6.18.907-Windows-64bit.exe) `<http://floppsie.comp.glam.ac.uk/windows-utils/VNC-Viewer-6.18.907-Windows-64bit.exe>`
- to access the graphical aspects of GNU/Linux from Windows we will use vnc
- but to do this you need to configure a vnc server

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- run `putty` and connect to `mcgreg.comp.glam.ac.uk`
- on `mcgreg`, run the following command line programs
- ```
$ vncserver -localhost no
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- take note of the server id (this is a colon followed by a number)
  - for example `:1`
- you will be asked to give a password, do not use your GNU/Linux password
  - choose a password you do not use for anything else!
- now on your Windows machine run the vnc client
  - and connect to `mcgreg.comp.glam.ac.uk:1`
  - note your id is probably not 1

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- you should now see a GUI screen which is running on `mcgreg.comp.glam.ac.uk`

## Finishing

- at the end of the tutorial you should
- close down the vncclient window
- now open up putty and connect to `mcgreg.comp.glam.ac.uk`
- in the terminal type:
- ```
$ vncserver -kill :1
```
- the `:1` should be substituted by your id