

Access JAWS in the SCC computing labs

This guide is intended to walk you through the process of accessing JAWS, a screen reader software available in [PCC computing labs](#). Since we use a program to manage access to the Windows desktop, JAWS may be required to navigate through the desktop log-in process.

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1. Because no screen reading software is running by default when you start working on computers in the SCC labs, you will need to open JAWS with `Windows-Ctrl-J`.
2. JAWS is now running, and you will be able to use it until logging off the computer.
3. Once JAWS is running, do the following to log in:
 - a. Press `Space Bar` to get to the login screen.
 - b. Enter your PCC username and then press `Tab`.
 - c. Enter your PCC password and then press `Enter`.
4. A short pause will occur while the desktop is loaded.
5. To log off the computer, press `Tab` until you get to the **Log Off** prompt
6. Press `Enter` on the **Log Off** prompt to end your session and restart the computer.

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