Access the VDI Environment

To start up the VDI environment after you, install the Horizon client.

Open your browser and go to https://vdi.sunypoly.edu.

Select the Omni Horizon Web Client.

There is an option to always use the Omni client. Click that box will allow the end user rt bypass that screen and go directly to the login screen.

You will be presented with the standard screen that you are used to.

Enter your Campus email address and your

Microsoft login

Baner Password.

Complete the MFA steps if prompted.
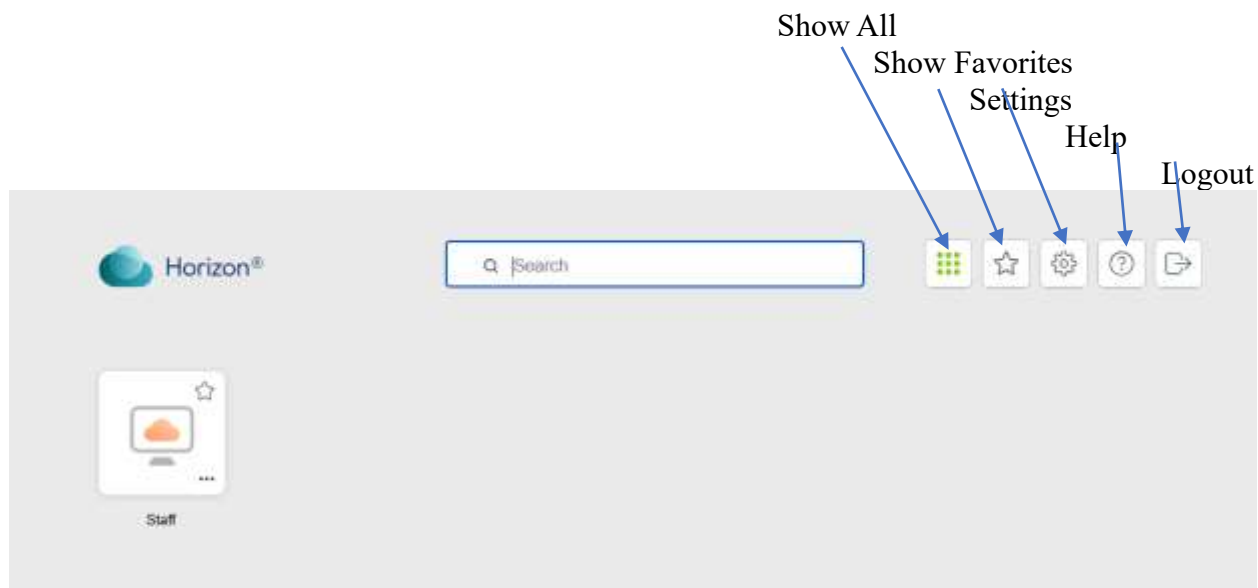

Enter your login information again on this screen three bad attempts you will be locked out FOR 30 minutes.

You will be presented with the Virtual desktop that has been assigned to you.

Show All
Show Favorites
Settings
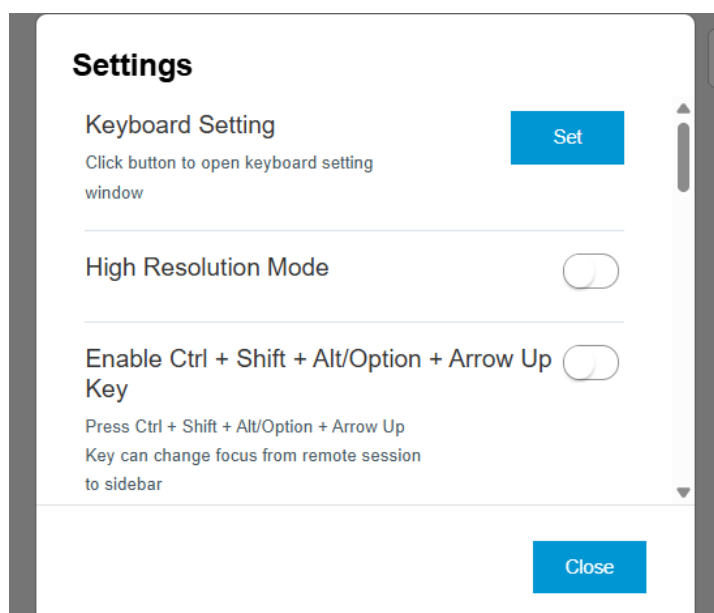Help
Logout

Horizon®

Q Search

Staff

Show all will display all desktops that you are assigned.

Show Favorites – allows you to just show the desktops that you have marked as favorites.

Help -takes you to the SUNY poly ticket system, where you can login and create a support ticket.

Logout - logs you out of the VDI desktop application.

Settings

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Keyboard Setting

Set

Click button to open keyboard setting window

High Resolution Mode

Enable Ctrl + Shift + Alt/Option + Arrow Up Key

Press Ctrl + Shift + Alt/Option + Arrow Up Key can change focus from remote session to sidebar

Close

Settings

Share your location

This will allow applications inside of your
remote session to use your location.

Do not show geo permission dialog when
connecting to a desktop or application.

Enable Media Optimization for Microsoft
Teams

Microsoft Teams must be relaunched for this
change to take effect.

Close

Settings

Enable screen sharing for Microsoft Teams
virtualization

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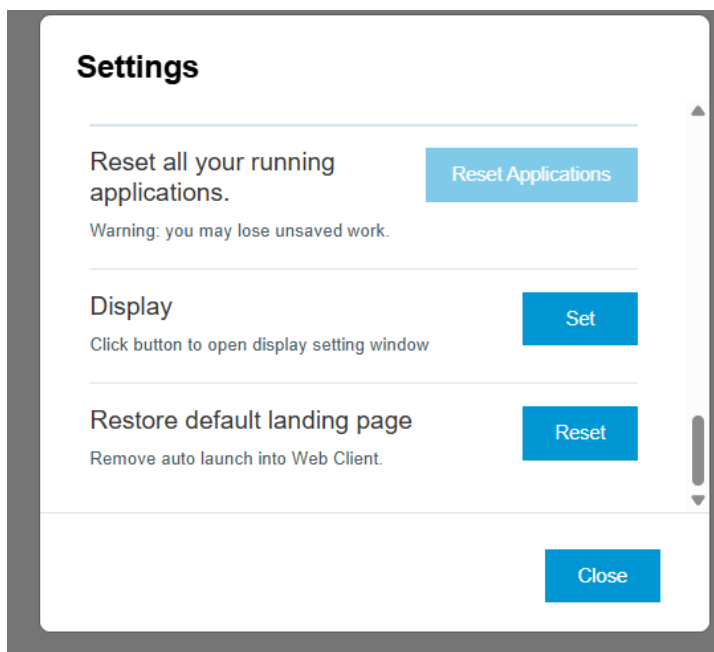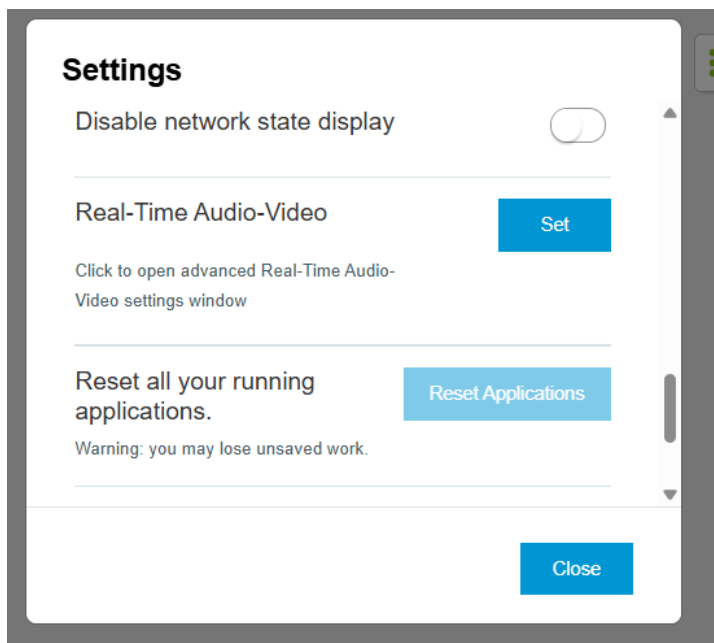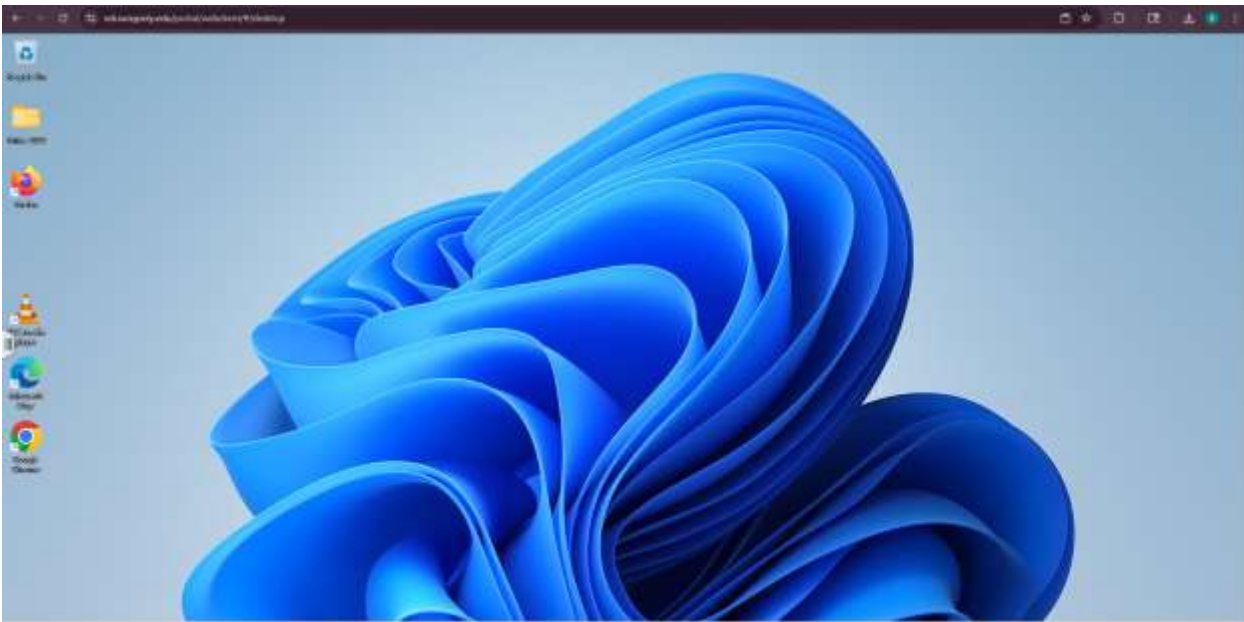change to take effect.

Enable Folder Sharing

Select

Set Time Zone Automatically

Close

A desktop similar to the screen below will be displayed

The software installed includes but is not limited to:

MS Office Products

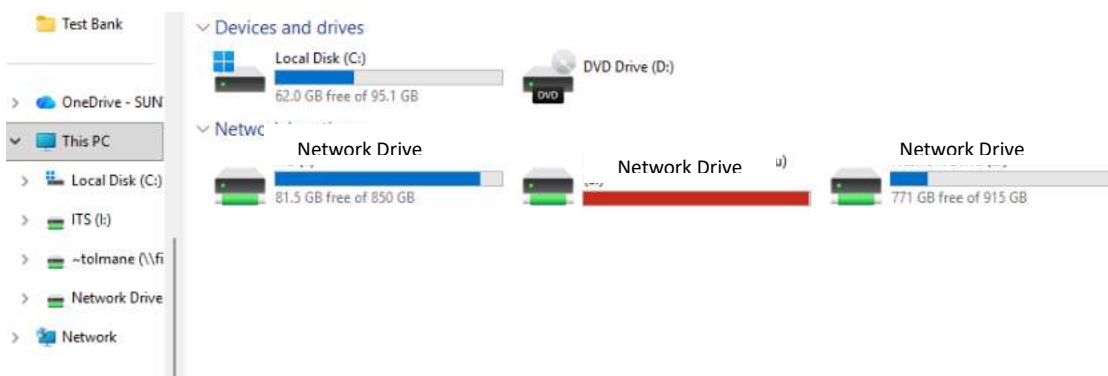Chrome, Firefox and MS Edge

Notepad

Putty

VLC Media player

Similar to using a campus computer, when you sign into the VDI environment a profile is created for you.

You will be able to access both Native banner and Argos from your browser from within the VDI environment.
You can save your favorites as well as customize your taskbar so that you have the same visual experience each time you log in.

Your personal folder as well any network folders should automatically map for you

You cannot save files to your personal computer

Printers available will include any personal printer you have attached to your personal pc along with the new campus print queue.