Banner 8 - STAR INB Setup

There are some adjustments you may need to make to the settings on your computer to ensure your Internet browser and Banner 8 interact effectively. Some adjustments depend on the browser you are currently using as well as the browser set-up. The following two sections describe potential problems and possible solutions.

* Section 1: Computer Settings

**Screen Resolution** - Banner 8 now requires a screen resolution of 1024x768 or more.

For example: To change screen resolutions in any version of Windows:

Right-click on a blank area of your desktop and select Properties.

On the Properties dialog box, click on the Settings tab. In the Screen Resolution area towards the bottom left, drag the slider to the right until it is at least at 1024 by 768 pixels. Most LCD monitors support this resolution.

Click Apply, and then click OK.
* Section 2: Browser Setting

To help prevent losing your Banner session when opening another link.

For example: To change how Internet Explorer handles opening new links:

1. Open a browser session.

2. Select the Tools dropdown menu and click Internet Options.

3. Select the Advanced tab.
4. **Uncheck** the *Reuse windows for launching shortcuts (when tabbed browsing is off)* checkbox under the Browsing Settings section.

Click **Apply** and then click **OK**.

Note: These settings will only need to be done once if done successfully. You are now ready for the **STAR INB/JAVA 6 Platform Installation**.
* STAR INB/JAVA 6 Platform Installation

1. To access STAR go to this URL: [http://staraccess.wvu.edu](http://staraccess.wvu.edu)
   a. Select **STAR INB Access**

2. A License Agreement information box appears. Click **Install >**.

3. Installation will begin.
4. Setup could take a few minutes depending on your network connection.

5. Upon successful installation click **Close**.

6. Close your internet browser you used to install the Java 6 Platform.
   a. Open a new internet session and go to [http://staraccess.wvu.edu](http://staraccess.wvu.edu)
   b. Select **STAR INB Access**
   c. Note: When the Java 6 Platform is active the coffee cup will appear in the taskbar.

7. Enter your **STAR Username, Password** and **Database (STAR)** and click connect.