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What is a VPN?

- VPN stands for Virtual Private Network.
- VPNs allow users to securely connect to the local network from a remote computer.
- The remote computer virtually becomes part of the local network.

Supported Authentication Protocols

- Unauthenticated BAD IDEA
- PAP Password Authentication Protocol (Low Security)
- CHAP Challenge Handshake Authentication
 Protocol (Medium Security) Non-Microsoft Systems)
- MS-CHAPv2 Microsoft Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (High Security)
- EAP-TLS Extensible Authentication Protocol Transport Level Security (Highest Security)

Choosing a VPN Protocol

- PPTP Point to Point Tunneling Protocol
 - Uses MPPE encryption
 Point-point protocol –original protocol
 - Primarily used with pre-Windows 2000 clients
- L2TP Layer Two Tunneling Protocol
 - Uses IPsec encryption
 - First supported in Windows 2000
- SSTP Secure Socket Tunneling Protocol
 - Uses the SSL channel of HTTPS for encryption
 - New to Windows Server 2008
 - Primarily used when PPTP/L2TP are blocked at the firewall

Must have a certificate assigned to Server if You will be using sstp for your vpn protocol