Virtual Private Networking at SDSM&T

1. To set up a VPN connection with Windows 7, click on control panel, then find Network and Sharing Center.

2. Click on “Set up a new connection or network.”
3. Click on “Connect to a workplace.” Then click next.

4.) Click on “Use my Internet connection (VPN).”

How do you want to connect?

- Use my Internet connection (VPN)
  Connect using a virtual private network (VPN) connection through the Internet.

- Dial directly
  Connect directly to a phone number without going through the Internet.

What is a VPN connection?
5. In the First box, type in: “techvpn.sdsmt.edu”. In the second box, type in “SDSMTVPN,” then click next.

Type the Internet address to connect to

Your network administrator can give you this address.

Internet address: techvpn.sdsmt.edu
Destination name: Tech VPN

☐ Use a smart card
☐ Allow other people to use this connection
   This option allows anyone with access to this computer to use this connection.
☐ Don’t connect now, just set it up so I can connect later

6. You’ll be prompted for a user name and password. The username is the student ID number, while the password is your birthday followed by your student ID number.

EX: User name: 1234567
Password: mmddyyyy1234567
7. You will then see this screen if you were successful. Click close.

You are connected

8.) To quickly Access the VPN, click on the network icon on the bottom right of the screen. It is next to the clock. Tech VPN should be on the list at the top. Click connect.

9.) Once the connection is established, you will need to map the network drives. To do this, right click on My Network Places. Click on the “Remap Map Network Drives” icon. It is on the desktop.