apart from the partition size. For Windows XP, the size must be between 10GB to 15GB, and for Windows Vista, the size must be 40GB to 100GB. If there are space constrictions, try to delete all of the partitions and create new partitions. (1GB=1024MB, 1MB=1024KB, 1KB=1024bytes).

Step 10: You must format the partition in the NTFS format and then just relax and let your PC take care of everything else. Oh, don't give quick format as it is not safe.

Step 11: Your computer will after 15-30 minutes, depending on your PC speed, restart. This time you don't press anything to boot from CD, instead you wait and you'll notice the Windows getting installed. The process will occasionally ask about language settings, time, network etc and you just fill in the necessary details here and there. For example: Select (Almaty, Dhaka) for time and regional settings. Administrator password is the password of the main user of the PC. It's good not to forget this password as then you may have to reinstall Windows, provided you set password protection.

Step 12: Hurrah! You've just successfully installed your first copy of Windows. Now you will have to install the necessary drivers that came in a CD or DVD with your PC and other purchases like the monitor. Remember that you have to install everything from software's to games again in your new Windows as all has been erased. Lastly go back to your bios and like in step 2, select "Hard Disk" as the first boot device. Save and exit and you're done.

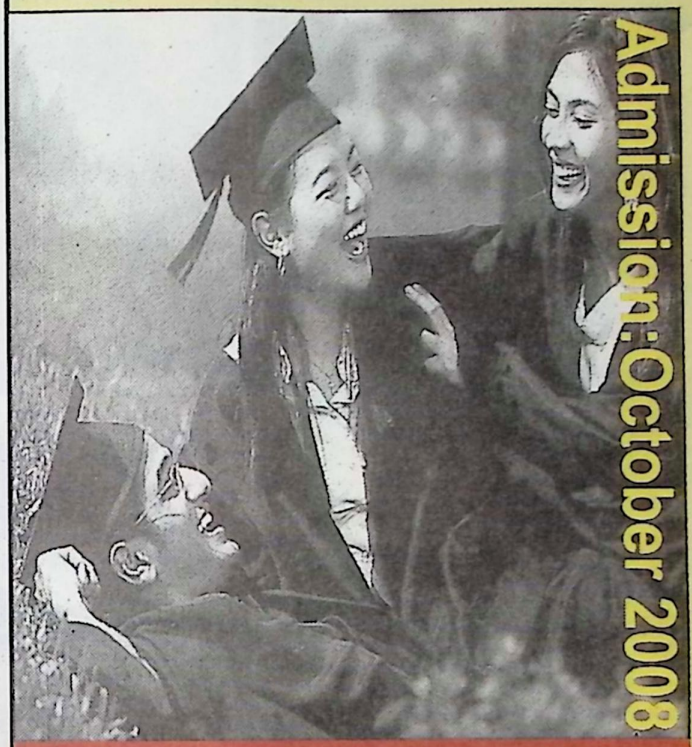
Some necessary precautions:

1. It is mandatory to back-up all of your data before performing a reinstallation.
2. Necessary CDs and DVDs like the bootable CD of Windows XP or DVD of Vista, your drivers and software's of cell phones, monitors, other PC parts, must be present while performing. For Laptop's, make sure you have the CD/DVD that came with it.
3. This is an advanced guide and must be performed only by the people who have some knowledge of the PC. Novice users are advisable to go to the PC shops.
4. Make sure that the electricity is available for a minimum of two hours, as it is crucial that the PC gets uninterrupted power through the whole operation. Thus, it is good if it is done during the night when there is no load-shedding.
5. No interruptions of any kind must occur during the operation.

That's it people. Hope you enjoyed reading it and that the information provided here can be useful to you all. Things are supposed to work out fine as long as you stick to the steps.

Disclaimer: Perform at your own risk. The writer does not take any responsibility for any malfunctions that may occur.

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