

## **The three basic rules when using Internet/LAN in the ATW**

There are three basic rules in the ATW concerning the using of Internet/LAN:

### **1. Keep system up-to-date at all times [Windows Updates]**

#### *1.1 Manual update (Multilanguage Windows version)*


- ✓ in the Internet Explorer go to **Tools**
- ✓ **Windows Update**
- ✓ **Search for Updates**
- ✓ Install all updates listed at **Important Updates and Service Packs** until the number of updates left is zero (sometimes several reboots of the system are needed).
- ✓ Some useful updates will be found at **Windows 2000** or **Windows XP**. These updates are not critical so they don't have to be installed.

#### *1.2 Automatic Update*

##### a. Update Service of the GWDG

- ✓ Manual at <http://sus.gwdg.de> (Windows XP professional only)

##### b. Windows Assistant for automatic Updates

- ✓ The assistant can be found at **Start** or use the appropriate symbol  in the lower right corner.

After a new installation of a system patches and updates should be installed immediately to get the system in a current state or otherwise an infection with viruses and worms would be possible right away.

### **2. Virus protection [<http://atw.goe.net/viren.php>]**

#### 2.1 Sophos Update Service of the GWDG [free for students in Göttingen]

- ✓ Manual and Software at <http://antivir2.gwdg.de>
- ✓ Password at <http://atw.goe.net/atw-intern/antivir.html>

### **3. A constant visit to the ATW home page**

- ✓ <http://atw.goe.net>
- ✓ In the forum at **Computer & Internet** are all important and current information.