Old Dominion University

CYSE 301 CYBERSECURITY TECHNIQUES AND OPERATIONS

Assignment M4.1 – Linux Password Cracking

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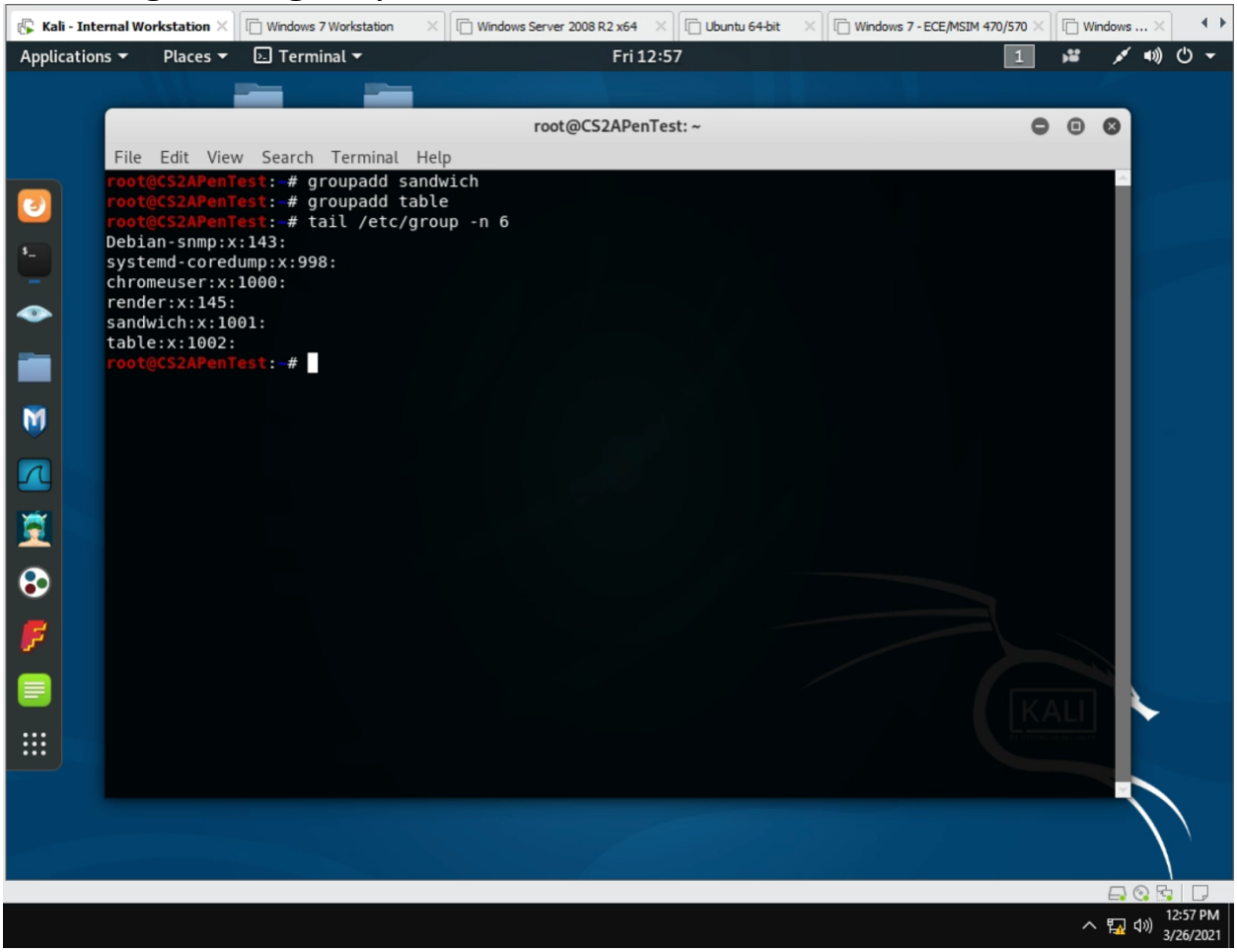
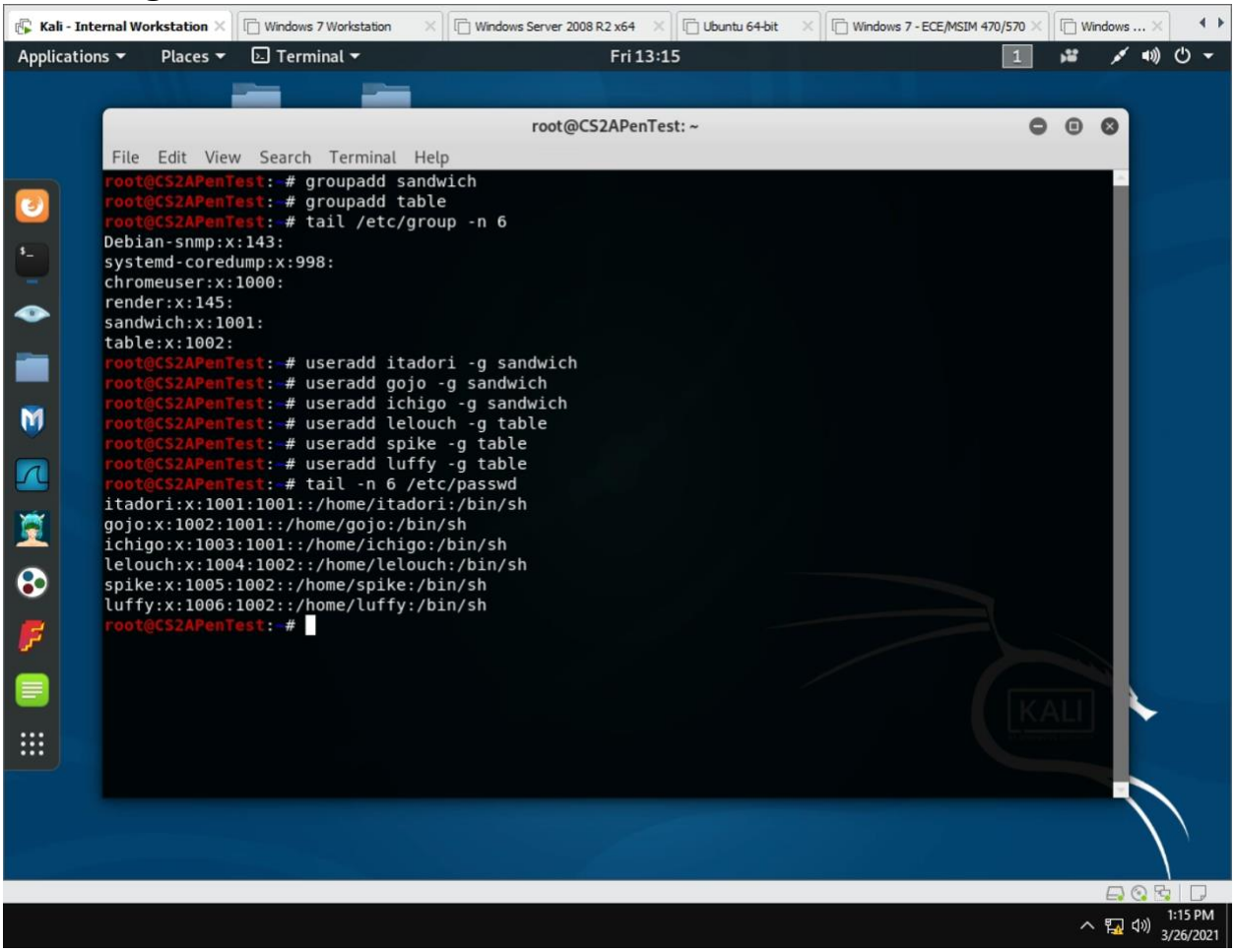
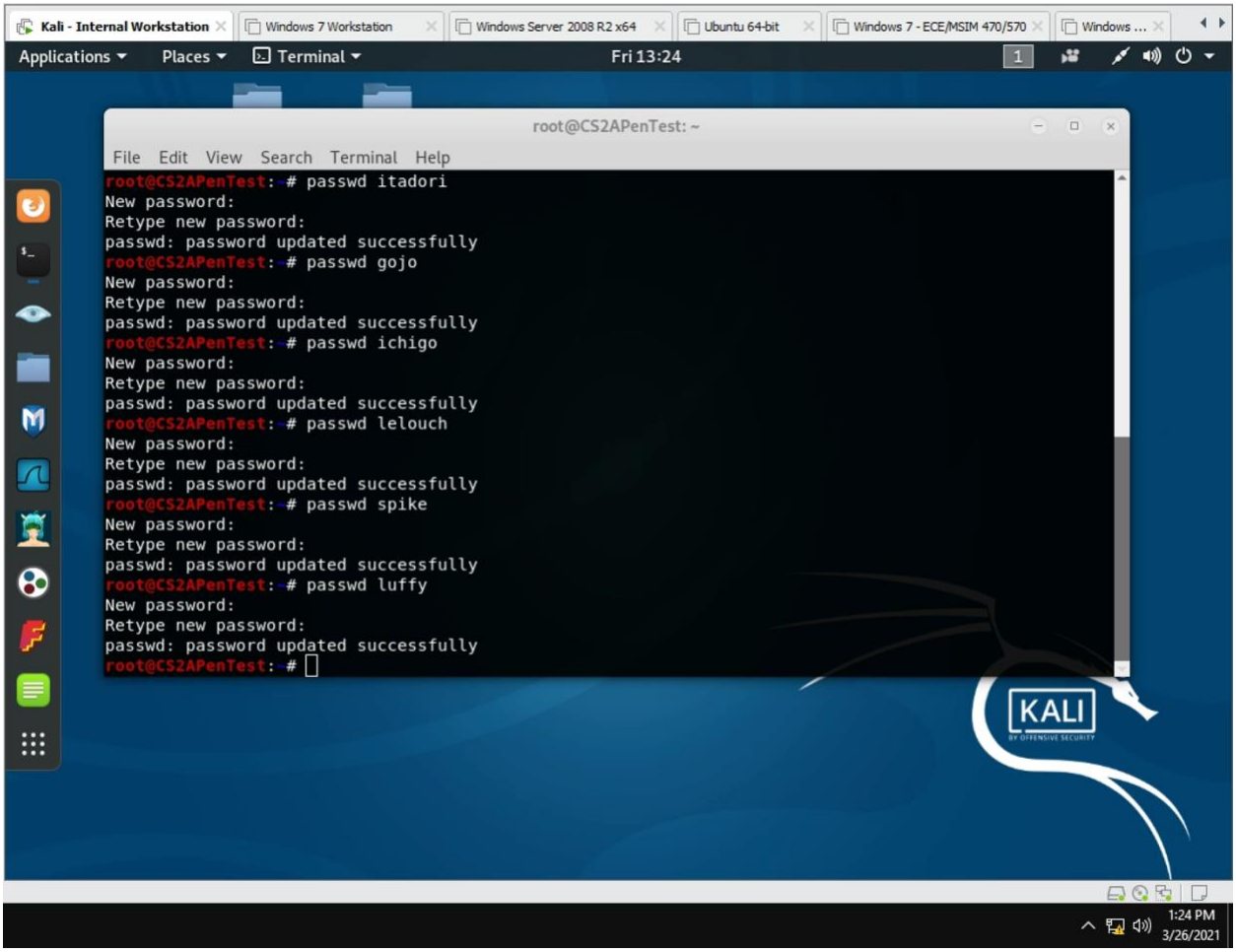
Creating the 2 groups:



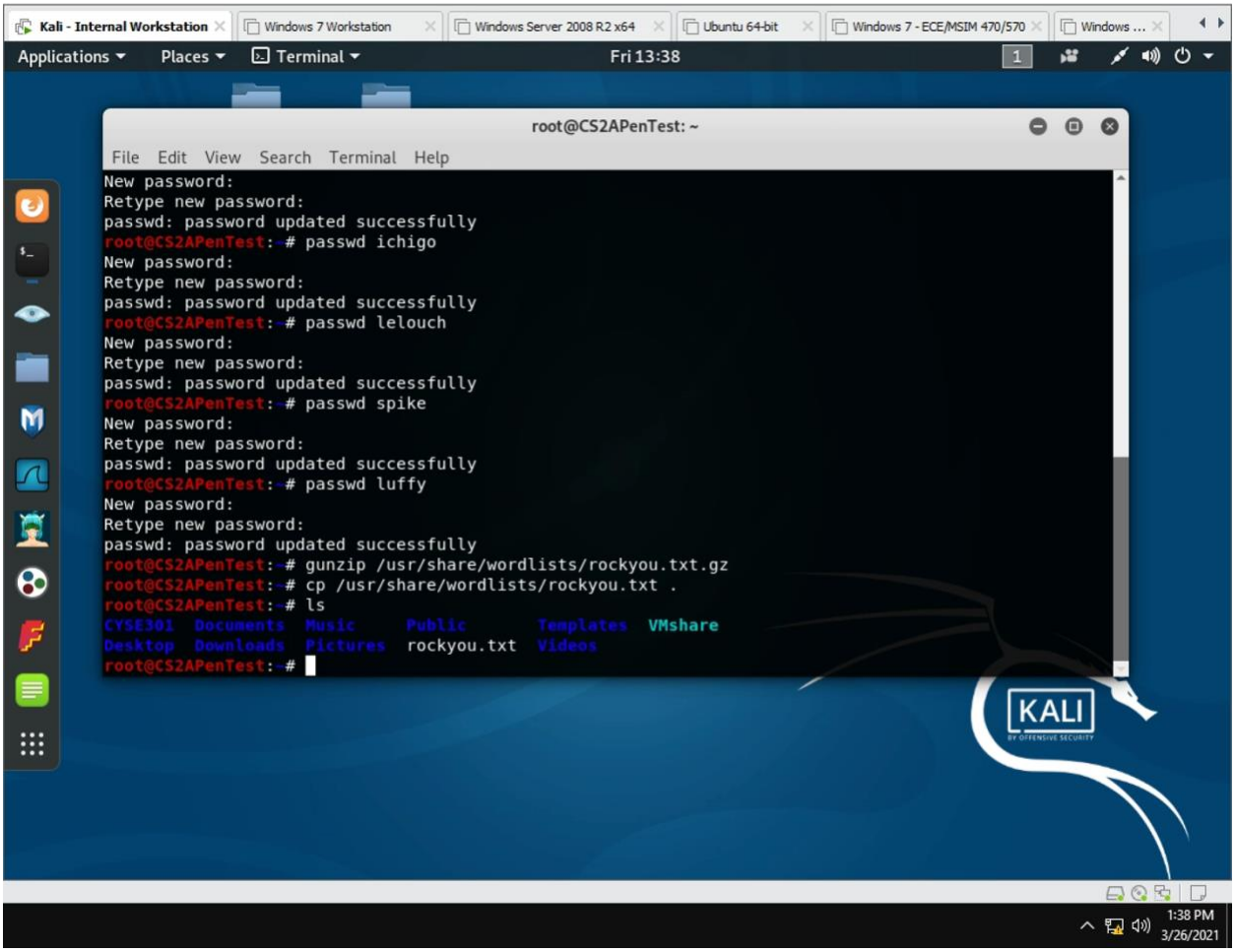
Creating users.



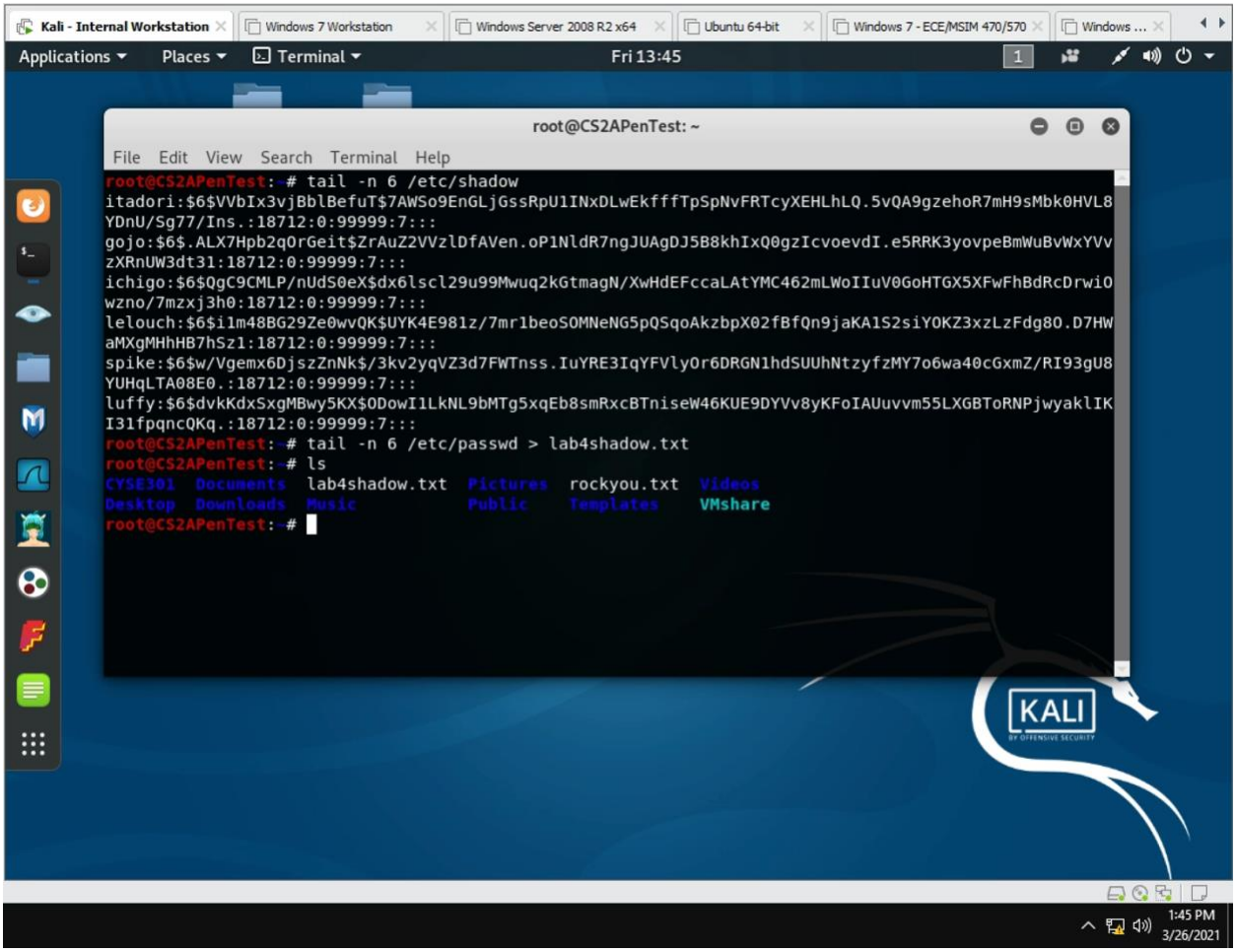
Creating passwords for each user.



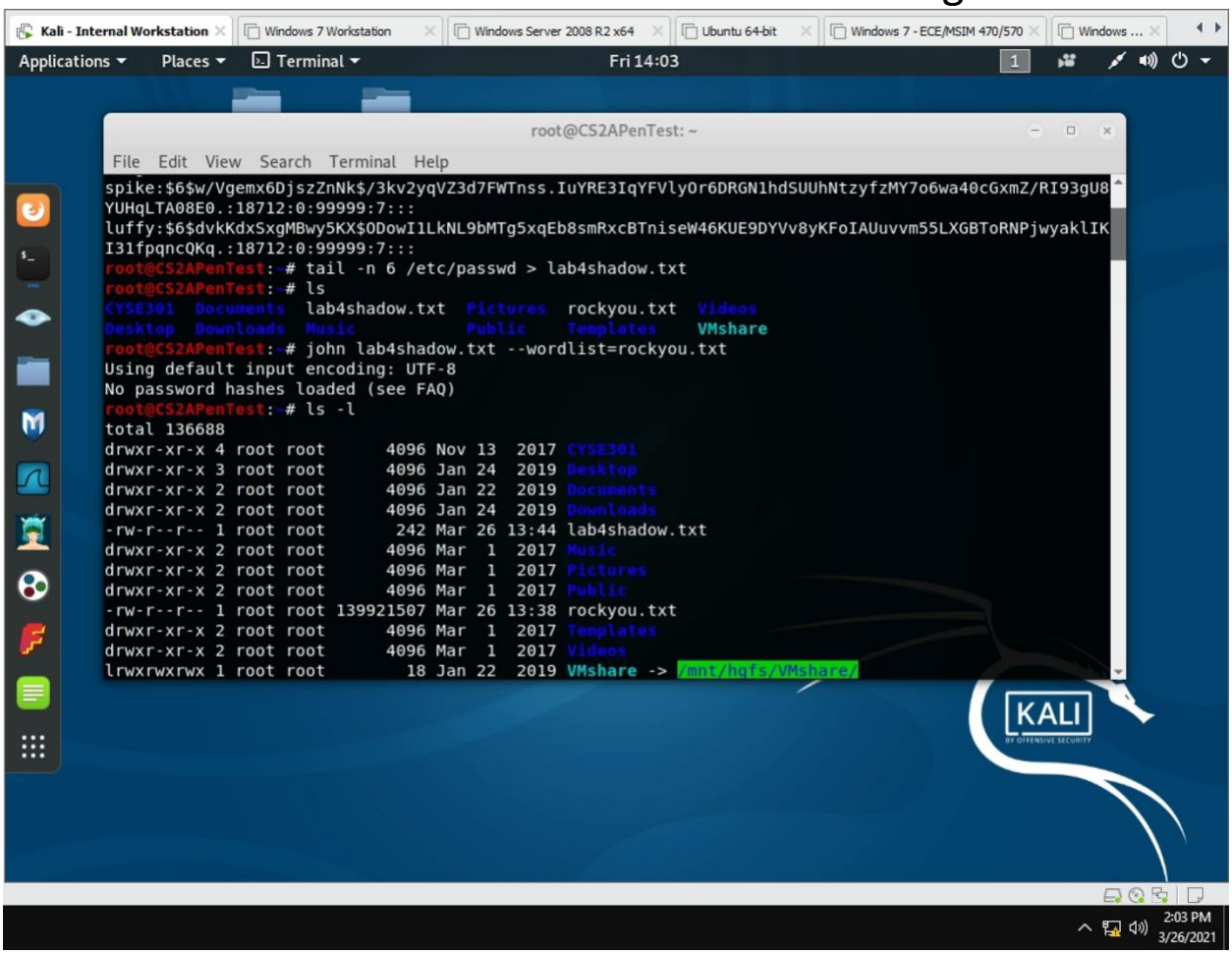
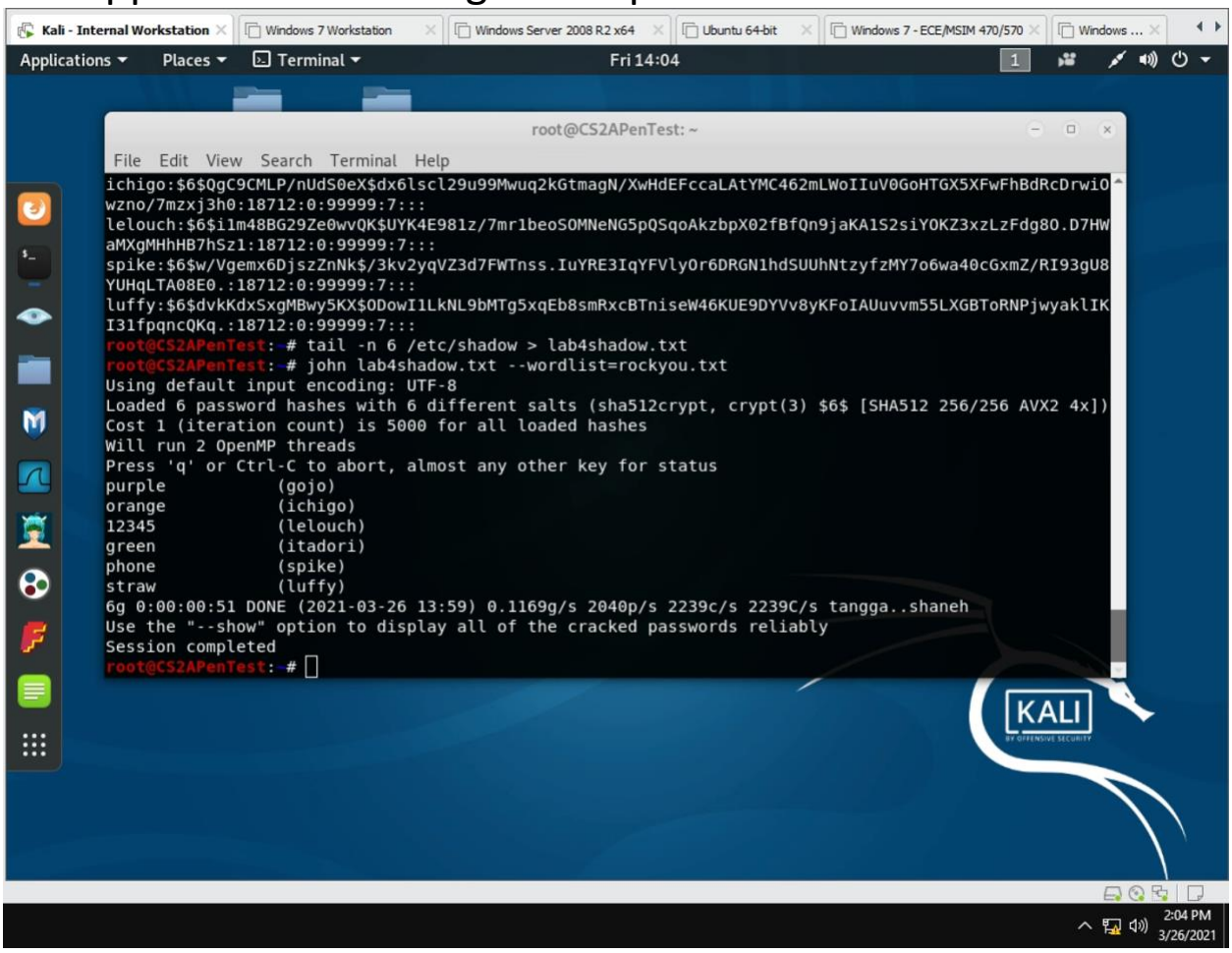
Copying the dictionary list to the current directory and displaying contents from the home directory to prove it.



Exporting the shadow file to use it for further use when cracking the passwords.



Here I had trouble executing the john the ripper command so I had to troubleshoot and find out what I did wrong.



I found out that I forgot to transfer the contents of the /etc/shadow file that contained the hashes into the lab4shadow.txt file so when I transferred those contents, john the ripper worked and I got all 6 passwords.