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### *Windows 11 Help on 'CHDIR' command*

#### **C:\>HELP CHDIR**

Displays the name of or changes the current directory.

CHDIR [/D] [drive:][path]

CHDIR [..]

CD [/D] [drive:][path]

CD [..]

.. Specifies that you want to change to the parent directory.

Type CD drive: to display the current directory in the specified drive.

Type CD without parameters to display the current drive and directory.

Use the /D switch to change current drive in addition to changing current directory for a drive.

If Command Extensions are enabled CHDIR changes as follows:

The current directory string is converted to use the same case as the on disk names. So CD C:\TEMP would actually set the current directory to C:\Temp if that is the case on disk.

CHDIR command does not treat spaces as delimiters, so it is possible to CD into a subdirectory name that contains a space without surrounding the name with quotes. For example:

```
cd \winnt\profiles\username\programs\start menu
```

is the same as:

```
cd "\winnt\profiles\username\programs\start menu"
```

which is what you would have to type if extensions were disabled.