

## Re: strange name on my hotmail acct sign in

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Compromised wrote:

> *My question now: Is there a way to require a password to browse the internet?*

Built into Windows XP – no.

> *I don't want to create guest or multiple user accts – just want to have a password box that pops up when someone clicks on my internet explorer icon. Content Advisor password doesn't seem to have this option.*

Sorry – natively I know that does not exist and I cannot speak for a third party option.

> *Let's say I have a trespasser or a guest who asks to use Zorro to make a word Doc, then wants to use the internet and for whatever reason I don't want them to be able to get on the internet at all. Does XP offer that?*

Again – not natively. If they are using your account – I don't believe you can do what you have described here with just Windows XP. There may well be a third-party application out there that does this – but I have no experience with one that does things the way you describe them. Maybe someone else does and will volunteer some information?

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