

## User Accounts Parental Control?

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Greetings...

Have a question...looking for a windows XP feature that allows me to do this or a 3rd party program software that I can install to help me.

I have 4 children at varying ages...5 computers. All the systems have XP Home...mine has XP Pro. We don't use AOL or MSN around here. The rest is part of the problem.

All of the kids have limits on the computers but they don't necessarily listen and I have to sit and ride shotgun on them. When my wife and I are out for the evening or have to work late, there's more problems on the computers...no one sticks to there time limits or schedules.

I'm hoping that there is a program or WIN XP feature that will allow me to do the following:

- + assign a 1-2 hour limit per day per kid...they would log on and their time would countdown. At the end of the time they would have to log off or get kicked off. They would not be able to log on until the next day...or...

- + assign a specific time of day per child...Ashley would be allowed to get on her computer from 4-6 PM...and either log off or get kicked off...

- + parental control (with password protection) to over-ride the assigned time and give an extension to the currently assigned time...

I was hoping that this PARENTAL CONTROL OPTION could be expanded in the WIN XP area of USER ACCOUNTS in the CONTROL PANEL when you assign them an account. Let

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me know what you think. I'm anxiously awaiting an answer.