

## Re: Logging in as Administrator automatically

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Click Start, Run and enter CONTROL USERPASSWORDS2 Check the box for Users must enter a username and password.

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"Edward J. Skirvin" <[newtec@prodigy.net](mailto:newtec@prodigy.net)> wrote in message  
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> After installing Windows XP Pro from the OEM restore disc  
> provided by Alienware, my computer now logs in  
> automatically as administrator without prompting for a  
> password, even when a password is enabled. I made a new  
> Admin account, Edward Skirvin and set a password for it.  
> After rebooting, it still automatically logs in without  
> prompting for a password to the Administrator account and  
> loads those settings. All very frustrating. I currently  
> have the administrator account disabled but am still  
> faced with the message that the account is disabled when  
> I boot up. Any ideas?