

## Re: repairing whithout the admin password

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Hi

A 'Repair' install doesn't need a password. You may be pressing 'R' at the wrong time. Please have a look at the following article by Michael Stevens:

"How to Perform a Windows XP Repair Install"

<http://michaelstevenstech.com/XPrepairinstall.htm>

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Please reply to the News Groups

"jessef" <jessef@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message

news:5EBFCA52-850F-4893-A5F3-E6C5C8808D35@microsoft.com...

>I never new that the admin password existed so I never set it and now my

> computer won't boot and I can't repair it because I don't know the admin

> password. what can I doo?