

## Re: Outlook Express Spell check halts sending message

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"Jim" <[anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com](mailto:anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com)> wrote in message news:1019f01c40dbd\$a1f62660\$a501280a@phx.gbl

- > *When sending messages using Outlook Express, the message*
- > *is halted and spell check is not performed. I can send*
- > *without spell check but do not desire to.*
- > *I built my system and installed WinXP Pro. Therefore*
- > *there is no Microsoft help available.*

OE does not come with a spelling checker. It uses the spelling checker from any Office program that has one. Do you have such a program?

If not you could try one of these:

Free spellchecker.

<http://www.quinion.com/mqa/spell.htm>

or this, which I use on my laptop, which has Works.

<http://www.majorgeeks.com/article.php?sid=2952&cat=10A>

\$15 shareware

<http://www.spellchecker.com/>

And here's a freeware that checks your spelling as you type:

TinySpell

<http://www.megspace.com/computers/tinyspell/>

See also:

Bill James' SpellCheck Fix

[http://www.billsway.com/notes\\_public/Fix\\_OE\\_SpellCheck.txt](http://www.billsway.com/notes_public/Fix_OE_SpellCheck.txt)

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