

# home directories mapping to root of share, not user directory

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We are running Windows 2003 SP2 and are user directories are mapping to the root share instead of the user directory. We are not sure why as we have applied permissions as follows and disabled the fast login feature in Windows XP. If someone could help us we would appreciate it. Right now, only admin/helpdesk with full NTFS and share rights can have their drives mapped. Thanks.

NTFS – Add Special Permissions to "Authenticated Users" group:

Traverse Folder / Execute File  
List Folder / Read Data  
Read Attributes  
Read Permission

You may need to disable permission inheritance and make sure that the special permissions don't apply to subfolders of the root folder ("Apply Onto:" "This Folder Only").

Share – Add: Change – permission to "Authenticated Users" group

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