

Re: Sysfader: explorer.exe error

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"Vickie",

My suggestion would be to perform the following steps in this exact order, and do nothing else until it is complete:

If possible to uninstall from Add/Remove Programs:

1. Download Windows XP Service Pack 2 from this link, but SAVE the file to a known directory: (please disregard the IT Professionals and Developers portion of this, as it will run on an individual computer as well: (266 MB) <http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyID=049c9dbe-3b8e-4f30-8245-9e368d3cdb5a>)
2. After download is complete, uninstall Service Pack 2 from the Add/Remove programs group in the Control Panel.
3. Reboot when asked.
4. After reboot, immediately proceed to the directory from step 1, and install Service Pack 2 by double-clicking on the file: WindowsXP-KB835935-SP2-ENU.exe
5. Follow the prompts, and install SP2. Be sure to BACKUP during the wizard portion.
6. Write us back and let us know how this goes.

Sincerely,

Pat Walters [MSFT]

"Vickie" <Vickie@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:EF5C2308-2768-4B83-84D1-597C4DD0786C@microsoft.com...
> *Client installed SP2 on Win XP Home; received Dr. Watson error; resolved by removing registry entry. Received "sysfader: explorer.exe" error and unable to resolve. Checked MS Website and cannot obtain a fix; known problem with Microsoft; site suggested waiting for the next release. Checked the web for other suggestions, tried the display properties trick; didn't work. Tried checking for SpyWare and Viruses - no help. Any suggestions short of a rebuild? It would be greatly appreciated.*