



Windows 10 Profiles



Windows 10 is the current operating system for Windows. With Windows 10 there are different options available when setting up a user account.

-  Child accounts can be created to control which websites can be viewed
-  Windows 10 will be the last major version of Windows for 5 to 10 years

What options are available?

When creating a user account there are 2 available options: a local account (an account that can only be used on the PC it is created on) and an account tied to a Microsoft account. The latter will allow for the use of family settings to be used on that account as this is not available on a local account.

Administrator accounts

Administrator accounts provide complete control of the operating system to the user and is only recommended for users that are knowledgeable with advanced system settings such as Local Security Policies and Local Group Policies.

Family Settings

With creating a new profile, it can now be set as a children's profile. Once done, settings can be modified by logging in with the Microsoft account at:

[https://account.microsoft.com/account/ManageMyAccount?
refd=account.microsoft.com&destrt=FamilyLanding
Page](https://account.microsoft.com/account/ManageMyAccount?refd=account.microsoft.com&destrt=FamilyLandingPage)

This gives account holders the ability to control the amount of time that the account can be used for, what websites that can be viewed by the child account, being able to view the recent activity of the account (web browsing) and all of the apps and games that can be installed from the account via the Windows Store.



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