PHP ODBC CONNECTION

ODBC is an Application Programming Interface (API) that allows you to connect to a data source (e.g. an MS Access database). With an ODBC connection, you can connect to any database, on any computer in your network, as long as an ODBC connection is available.

Here is how to create an ODBC connection to a MS Access Database:

1. Open the **Administrative Tools** icon in your Control Panel.

2. Double-click on the **Data Sources (ODBC)** icon inside.

3. Choose the **System DSN** tab.

4. Click on **Add** in the System DSN tab.

5. Select the **Microsoft Access Driver**. Click **Finish**.

6. In the next screen, click **Select** to locate the database.

7. Give the database a **Data Source Name (DSN).**

8. Click **OK**.

Refer to this link for example code:
http://phpforms.net/tutorial/php-advanced/php-odbc.html