Microsoft 365 - Configuring Your Outlook

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Audience:

This document is intended for all APEagers users.

Preamble:

This document describes how to configure your Outlook to work with the new Microsoft 365 email server. IT have done a lot of background work to make this setup as painless as possible, but some manual steps must be performed. This document is intended to be user friendly and as easy to follow as possible, but if this method does not make sense to you, please ring the Helpdesk and ask for assistance.

Method:

This process will only work once IT have migrated all your emails to the new system.

*** Please DO NOT proceed until directed to by IT staff. ***

It will be assumed that you have recently logged onto your computer. If you do not regularly log off or shut down your computer, please reboot before proceeding.

Your OLD Outlook setup should now be removed. This was done automatically. Start Outlook and the following screen should appear.



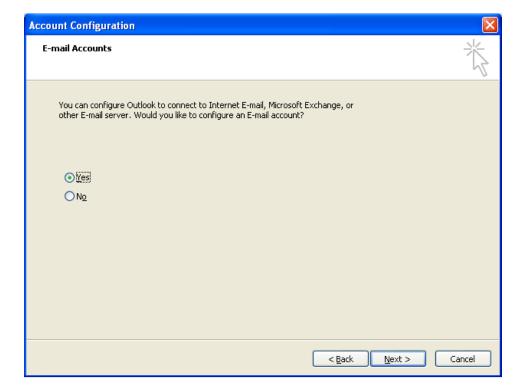
If the above screen IS NOT shown and Outlook is showing your email account, the automatic step did not work. That is OK, your old Outlook can be easily removed manually.

*** Perform these manual steps ONLY if the first screen DID NOT appear ***

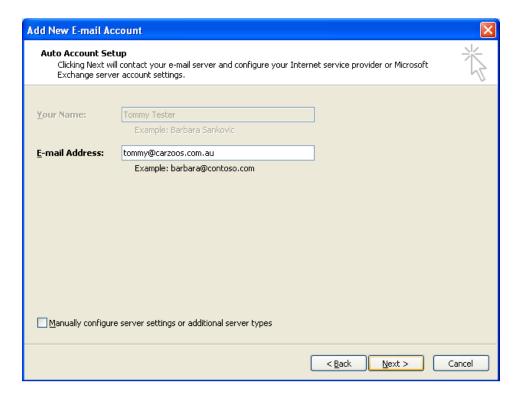
- 1. Shutdown Outlook so we don't have any complications.
- 2. Second, using Internet Explorer, go to the address: http://ittools/hacks/reg/resetprofile.reg
- 3. Click "Run" then "Yes" to make changes to your computer, then "OK"
- 4. Restart Outlook and now you should have the above picture

*** IF the manual steps still aren't working, ring helpdesk for assistance ***

Now that we are ready to proceed, Click "Next". The following screen will appear.

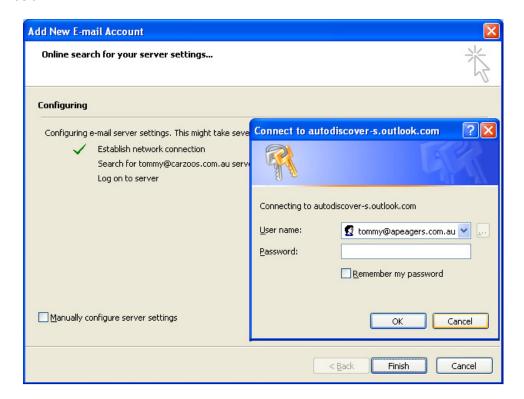


Click the circle beside "Yes" and Click "Next". Now the setup will display the following screen and will fetch your account details AUTOMATICALLY.

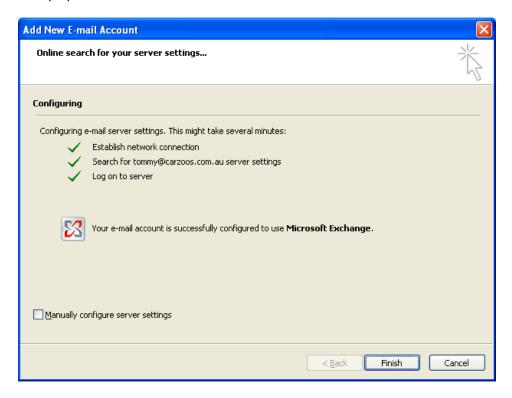


If this step doesn't fetch the account details, ring helpdesk and ask for assistance.

Once the details have been gathered, Click "Next". The setup then tries to connect to your account, but your 365 email account has a different password. The screen will change and a popup will be displayed as shown below.



By default your 365 password is **pa\$\$w0rd**. Please enter this into the password field. Note your username is already supplied, this is automatic. Click "OK" to continue. Now that your credentials are supplied, setup can continue and connect to your account. Click "Next" to continue and the final setup screen will be displayed as shown below.



Click "Finish" and shortly Outlook will be ready to use. It will do some processing for a minute or two while it fetches some emails, your calendar, etc. Please wait and it will be with you shortly.