

This works for the following phone companies: ATT/SBC, Verizon, Windstream/Alltel

For ATT/SBC, you MUST add “@netlink.net” to your username (ie., example@netlink.net)

If your area code is 740, and Verizon is your phone provider, you do not need this guide. Once you have everything hooked up, simply open up a web browser such as Internet Explorer, and it should work

Setting up Windows XP for Netlink DSL

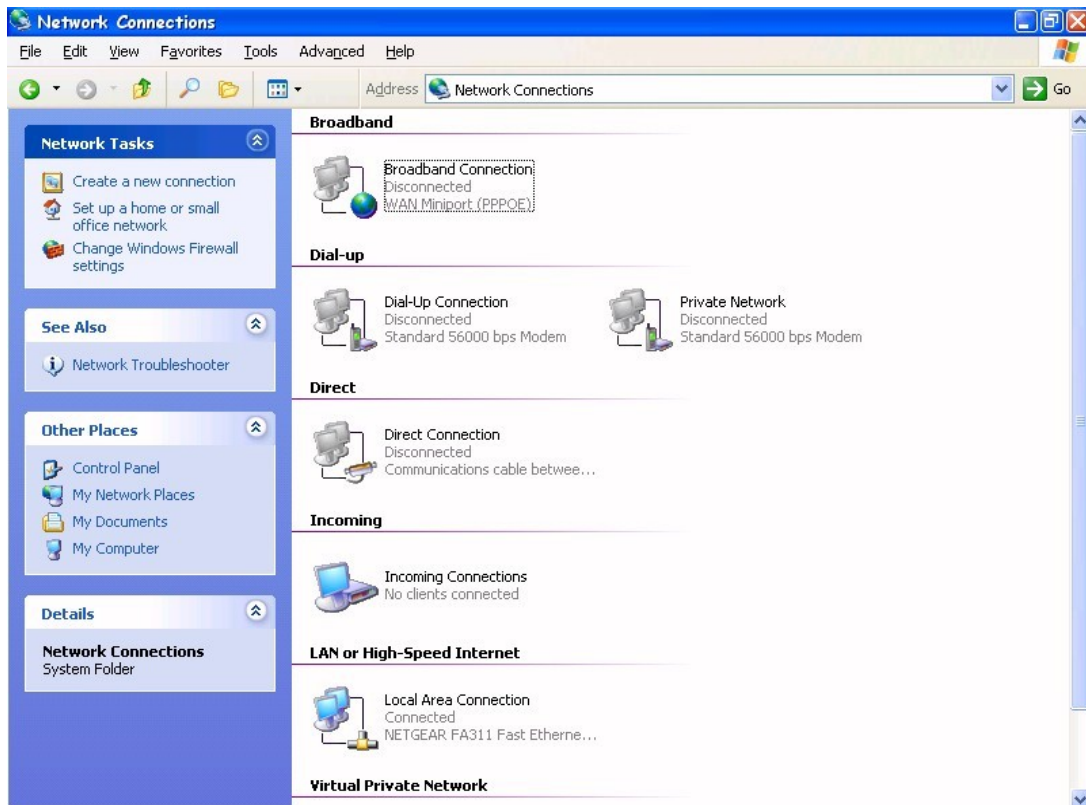
Click on the “Start” button

Click on “Run”

In the run box, type “ncpa.cpl”



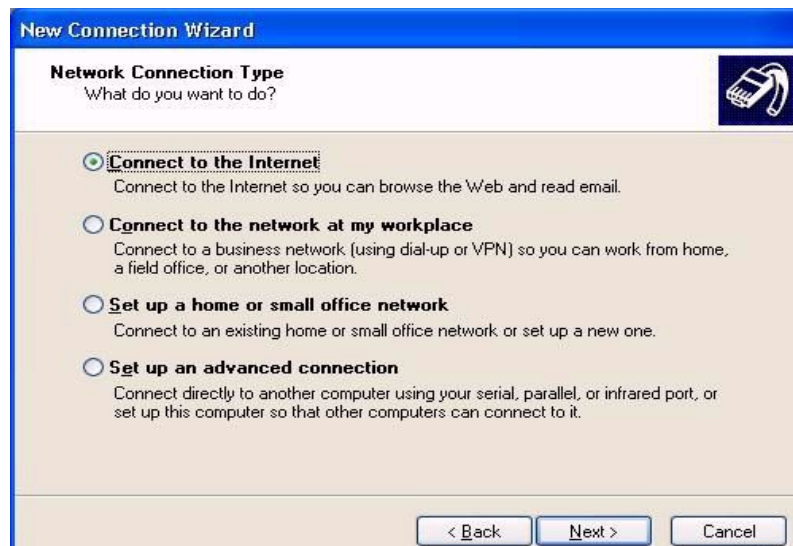
This will open up the “Network Connections” window. On the left hand side, click on “Create new connection”



This will open up the new connection wizard. Press “Next” on the Welcome screen



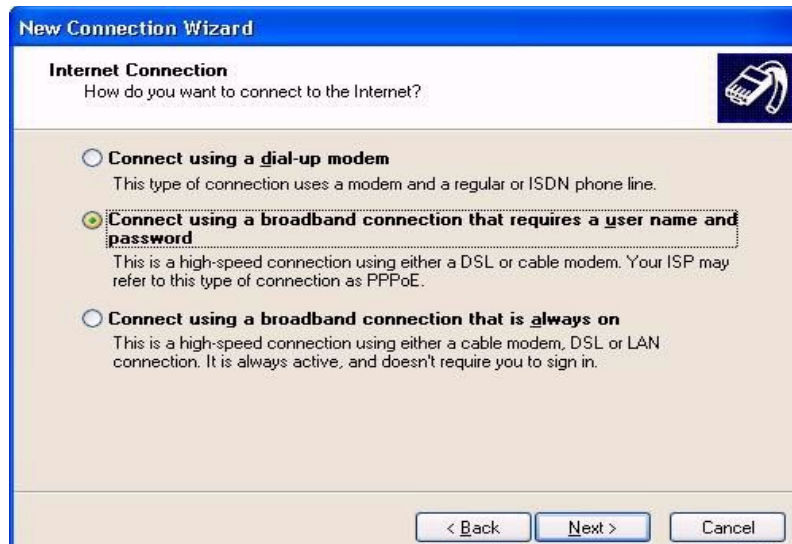
Press “Next” again for “Connect to the Internet”



Here, go ahead and choose “Setup my connection manually” and press “Next”



On this screen choose “Connect using a Broadband modem that requires a username and password” and press “Next”



The screenshot shows the 'New Connection Wizard' window with the 'Internet Connection' step. The question is 'How do you want to connect to the Internet?'. There are three radio button options: 'Connect using a dial-up modem', 'Connect using a broadband connection that requires a user name and password' (which is selected), and 'Connect using a broadband connection that is always on'. Each option has a brief description. At the bottom, there are buttons for '< Back', 'Next >', and 'Cancel'.

Then type in “Netlink” for the ISP name, press “Next”



The screenshot shows the 'New Connection Wizard' window with the 'Connection Name' step. The question is 'What is the name of the service that provides your Internet connection?'. Below the question, it says 'Type the name of your ISP in the following box.' and 'ISP Name'. There is a text input field containing 'Broadband Provider'. Below the field, it says 'The name you type here will be the name of the connection you are creating.' At the bottom, there are buttons for '< Back', 'Next >', and 'Cancel'.

Type in your username and password (do not forget to type in your password in the “confirm password” field as well) then press “Next”



The screenshot shows the 'New Connection Wizard' window with the 'Internet Account Information' step. The question is 'You will need an account name and password to sign in to your Internet account.' Below the question, it says 'Type an ISP account name and password, then write down this information and store it in a safe place. (If you have forgotten an existing account name or password, contact your ISP.)'. There are three text input fields: 'User name:' with 'username', 'Password:' with '.....', and 'Confirm password:' with '.....'. Below the fields, there are three checkboxes: 'Use this account name and password when anyone connects to the Internet from this computer' (checked), 'Make this the default Internet connection' (checked), and 'Turn on Internet Connection Firewall for this connection' (unchecked). At the bottom, there are buttons for '< Back', 'Next >', and 'Cancel'.

Go ahead and put a check-mark next to “Add a shortcut to this connection to my desktop” and press “Finish”



On the connection screen that pops up, go ahead and click “Connect”



Once it says its connected, you can go ahead and open up Internet Explorer or whatever web browser you use to browse the Internet! Keep in mind, whenever you turn off your computer, disconnect your connection, or restart your modem, you will need to double-click on your Netlink icon on your desktop and tell it to connect.