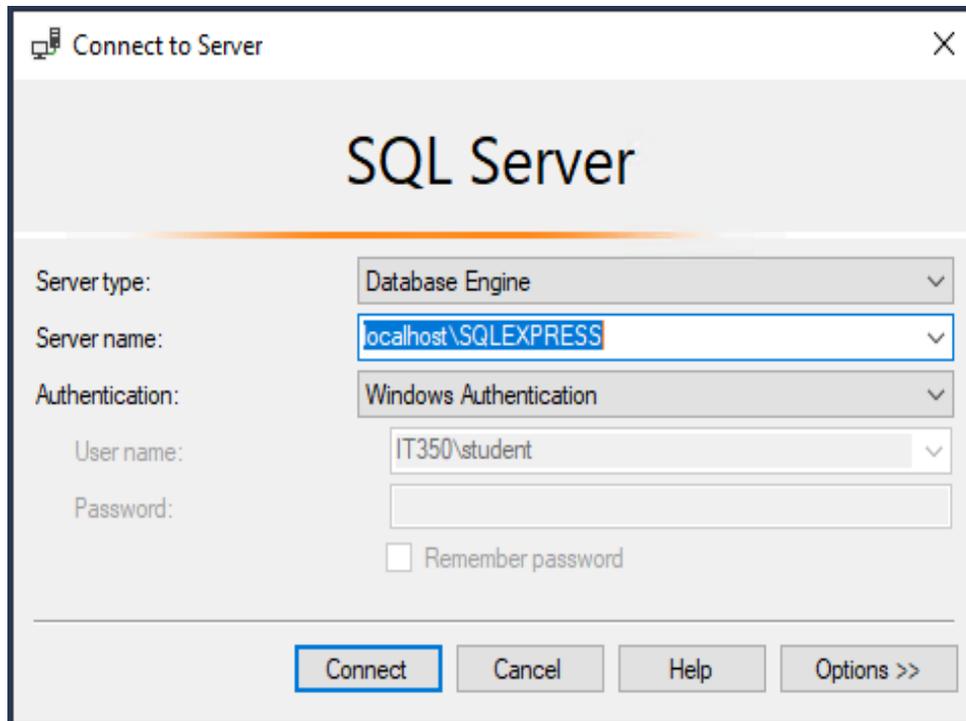


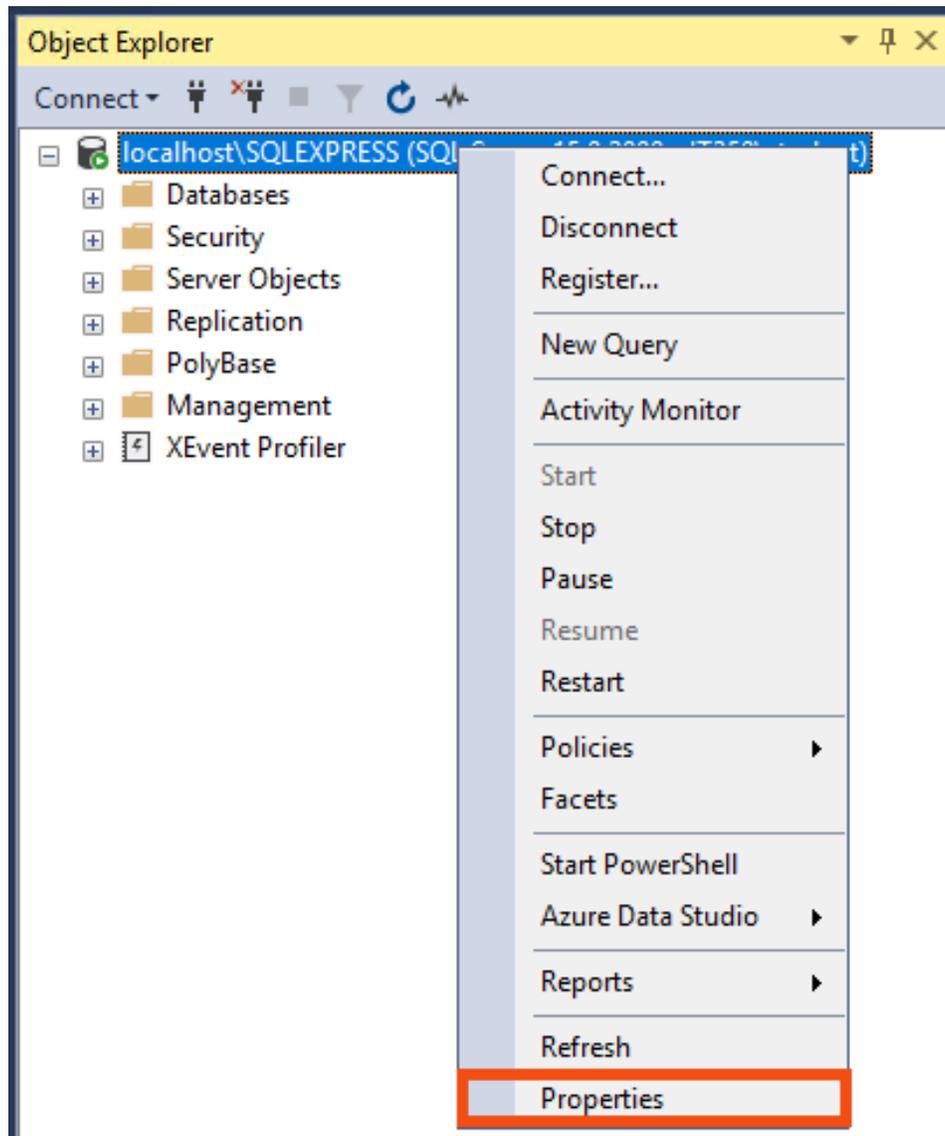
Enabling SQL Server Authentication

You will need to change the authentication method used by Microsoft SQL Server in order to complete the IT-234 Unit 9 Assignment or IT-234 Module 4 Assessment.

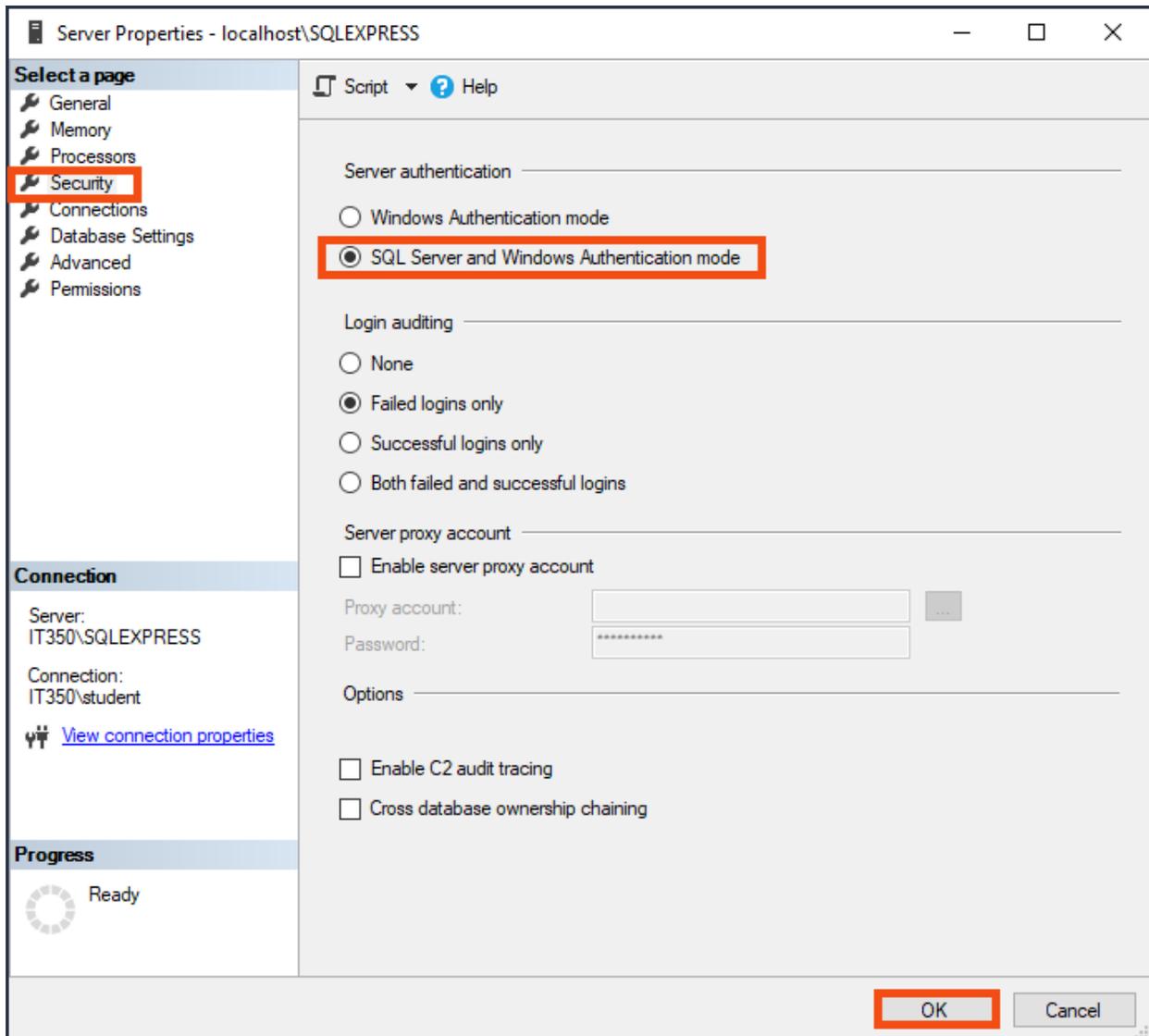
- [1] Open the **Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio (SSMS)** application using the standard **Windows Authentication** method as illustrated below.



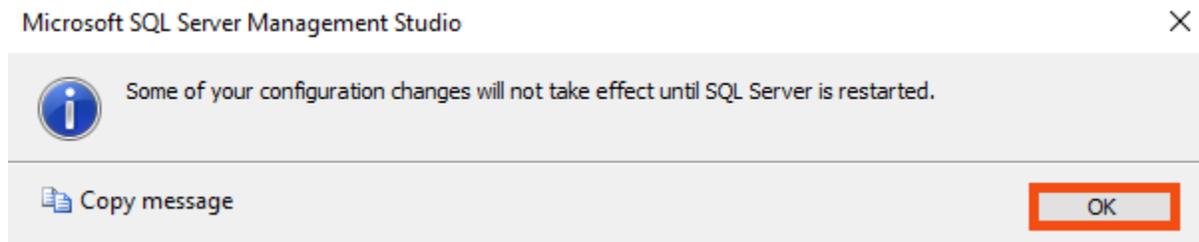
- [2] Right-click on the SQL Server instance at the top of the tree in the **Object Explorer** window. Select the **Properties** item from the right-click menu.



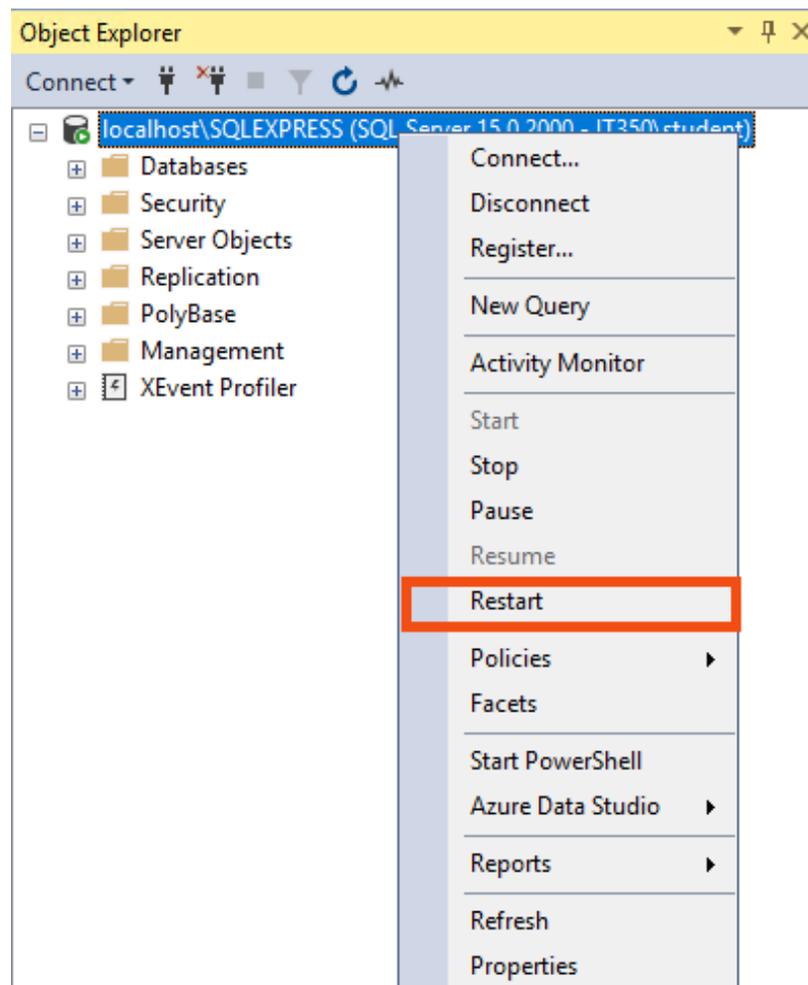
- [3] The **Server Properties** window will appear. Click on the **Security** link at the left side of the window. Select the “**SQL Server and Windows Authentication mode**” option in the “**Server authentication**” list. Click on the **OK** button when finished.



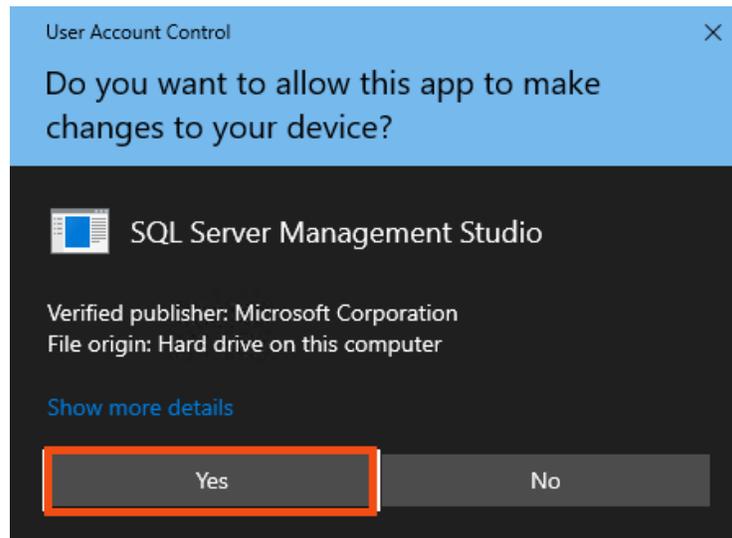
- [4] You'll receive a prompt indicating you'll need to restart the SQL Server instance. Click on the **OK** button to close out the window.



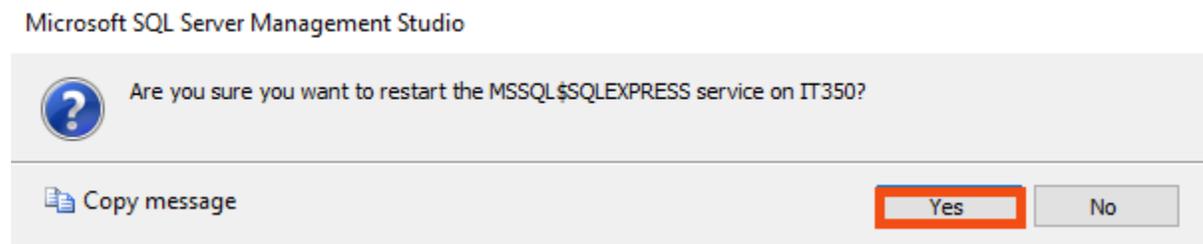
- [5] Right-click on the SQL Server instance at the top of the tree in the **Object Explorer** window. Select the **Restart** item from the right-click menu.



- [6] You may receive a **User Account Control** prompt. Click on the **YES** button to continue.



- [7] You will then receive a restart prompt. Click on the **YES** button to proceed.



- [8] You'll then see a restart progress window. It will close out once the restart is complete. You can now proceed with work on the IT-234 Unit 9 Assignment or IT-234 Module 4 Assessment problems.

