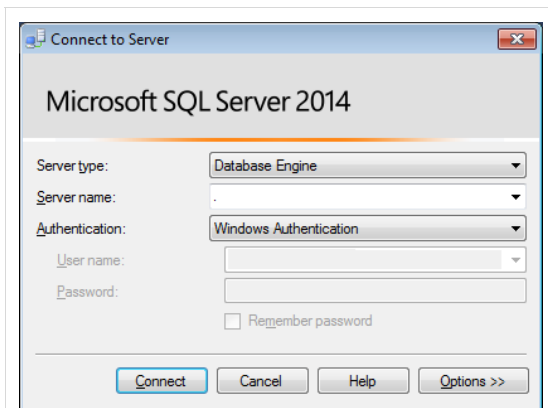


# How to enable SQL Server authentication

## 2. Enabling SQL Server Authentication through SQL Management Studio

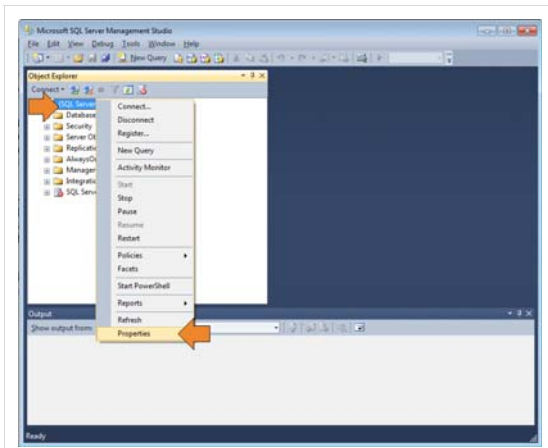
To enable SQL Server Authentication for your instance:

1. Open SQL Server Management Studio.
2. Connect to the SQL Server instance you would like to use for Dundas BI.



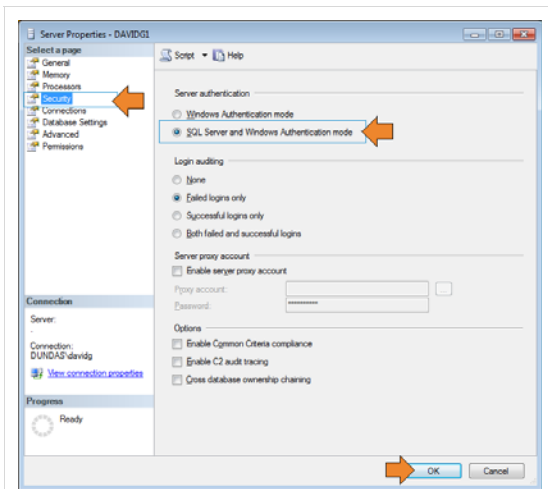
Connecting to a database server (e.g., localhost)  
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3. In the Object Explorer, right-click the server, and then click Properties.



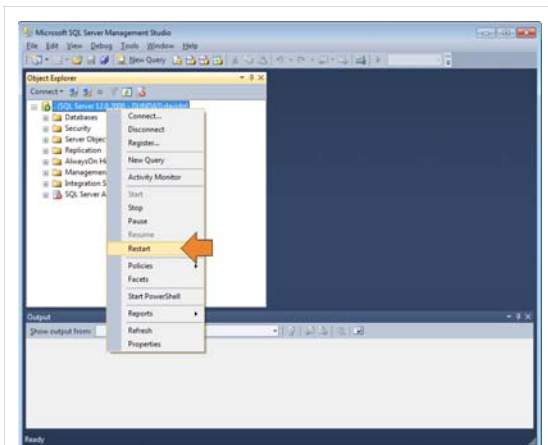
Server properties  
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/sql/ServerAuth\_SelectingServerProperties.png)

4. On the Security page, under Server authentication, select SQL Server and Windows Authentication mode, and then click OK.



Turn on SQL Server authentication mode  
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/sql/ServerAuth\_TurnOnSQLServerAuthenticationMode.png)

5. In the Object Explorer, right-click your server, and then click Restart. If the SQL Server Agent is running, it must also be restarted.



Restart SQL Server  
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/sql/ServerAuth\_RestartSQLServer.png)