

Basic

DIGITAL SAFTY

Some essential ways to keep you safe online!

PASSWORDS:

✓ **Create a strong password**

Use a combination of upper, lower case letters and numbers to create an unique password

Example: h58@bdy73Mhs!7d

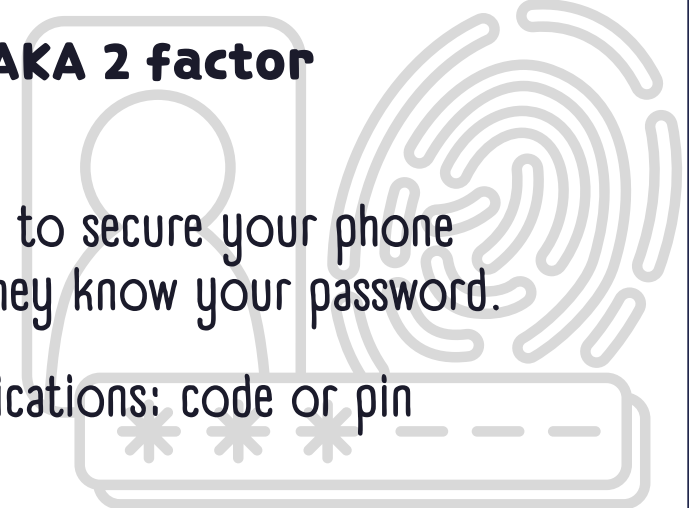


2 STEP VERRIFICATION:

✓ **2 step verification AKA 2 factor authentication**

A 2 step verification helps to secure your phone from hackers even when they know your password.

There are 2 types of verifications: code or pin

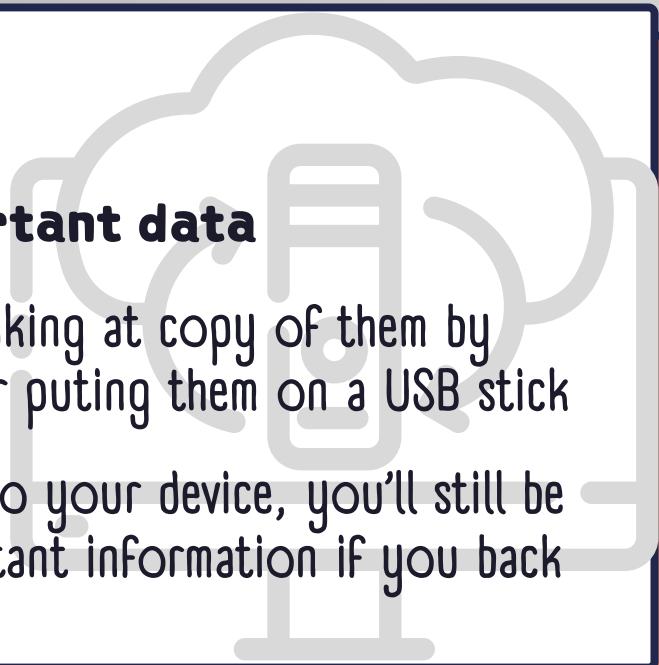


BACK UP:

✓ **Always back up important data**

You can back up data by making at copy of them by uploading them on cloud or puting them on a USB stick

In case something happens to your device, you'll still be able to access all the important information if you back them up

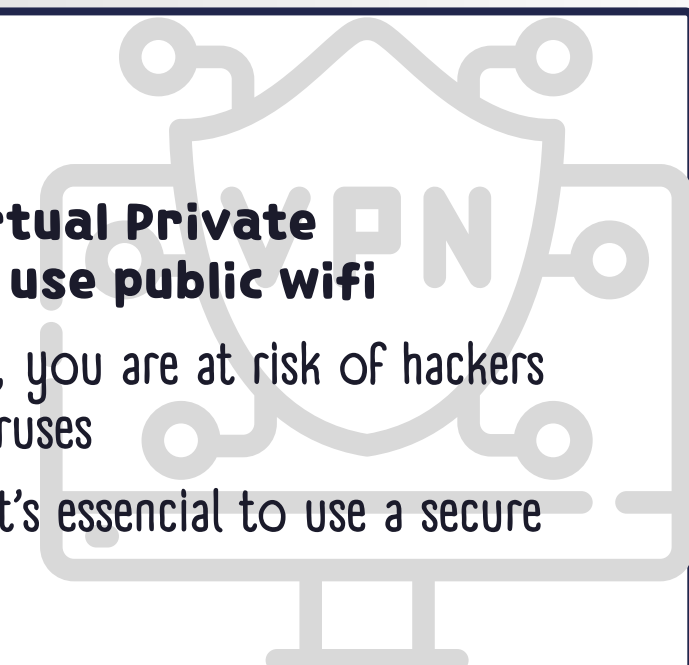


VPN:

✓ **Always use VPN (Virtual Private Network) when you use public wifi**

When you use public wifi, you are at risk of hackers hacking your phone or viruses

To use public wifi safely it's essencial to use a secure VPN connection

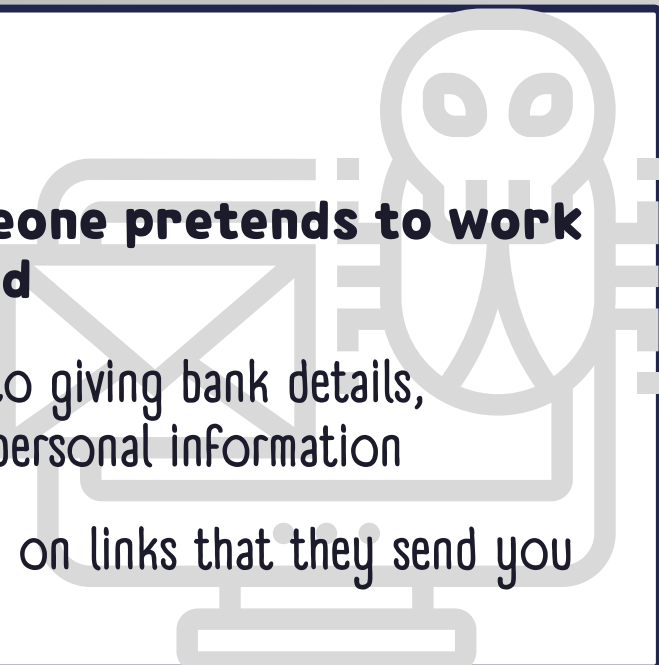


PHISHING:

✓ **Phishing is when someone pretends to work for a wellknown brand**

They try to trick people into giving bank details, passwords and all sorts of personal information

Phishing happens by clicking on links that they send you



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