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Basic Digital Safety Tips On the internet

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Practice safe browsing

Observe the websites that you visit. Hackers employ enticing strategies and information as bait, and a single, thoughtless click could compromise your device or reveal sensitive information.



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Keep your privacy settings on

Always check your privacy settings; social media and web browsers both include privacy protection settings.



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Keep personal information professional and limited

When applying for jobs, be aware that all that prospective employers need to know is your professional history, area of expertise, and contact information.



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Be careful what you post

Anything put on the internet remains there. Since deleting the original from any site does not erase copies created by other users, any offensive remarks or images uploaded could remain there indefinitely.

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Be careful what you download

Downloads should be done carefully because malware can steal data by posing as files or software.

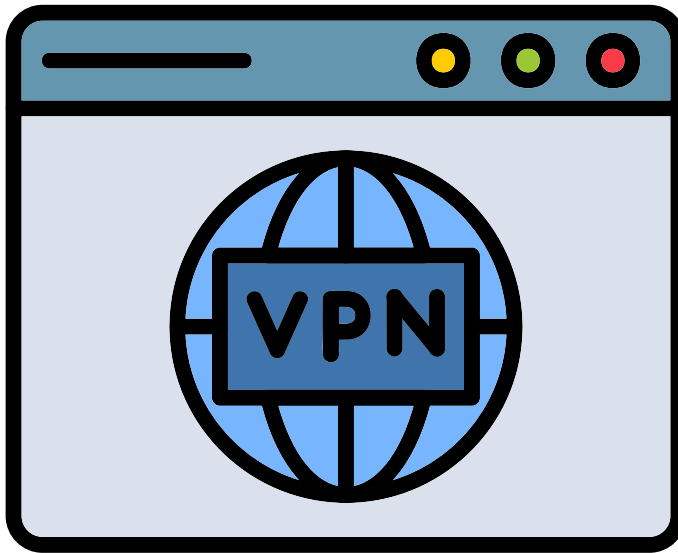


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Make sure your internet connection is secure. Use a secure VPN connection

Be mindful that you have no control over the security and privacy settings of a public Wi-Fi connection. Use a secure virtual private network (VPN) connection to increase your browsing security even more. With the help of a virtual private network (VPN), you may establish a secure connection between your device and a server that cannot be seen or access the data being transferred.



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Choose strong passwords

Strong passwords are always preferable to ones that are simple to remember. A strong password is one that combines letters, numbers, and special characters and is at least 15 characters long.



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Make online purchases from secure sites

When making purchases online, always divulge payment information on safe, encrypted websites that begin with "https."



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Be careful who you meet online

Socially, exercise the same caution you would in person and watch out for phoney online personas.



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Keep your antivirus program up to date

If it is up to date, internet security software can identify and eliminate the majority of malware, but it cannot stop all threats. Because they offer an essential layer of security, always make sure you keep up with updates for both your operating system and the apps you use.

