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Course: Avoid Online Scams

There are so many scams online.

Cybercriminals scams have also adapted themselves and created several ways to manipulate users and scamming them. The question is how can we avoid them and who are they?

1/ **Never share any confidential information** with anyone through emails or online forms. Even if the email seems to be from official sources. Thoroughly **verify before providing any sort of data** to the sender.

2/ **Use multi-factor authentication to safeguard** your online account from scams. With multi-factor authentication enabled, even if your account credentials get into the hand of scammers, the account would be safe.

3/ **While shopping online, never get into the trap of huge discounts.** Before buying anything discounted item from eCommerce site, thoroughly verify whether the website is genuine or not. If you can't confirm the reliability of the website, never pay online and **choose cash on delivery**.

4/ **Keep your social media accounts safe.** Carefully configure the privacy setting so that all your personal information is secured. Intruders can use social account to get details and guess the passwords.