



Digital Safety



When online, keep your safety in mind!

Don't download carelessly!

NEVER download from sites that are not trustworthy. These may contain malware. Malware is a term for malicious programs that causes harm to your computer, usually done through a virus, which corrupt system files. Only download from official, reputable sites

Make strong passwords.

Create passwords that are hard to guess, use password manager to remember them. Use a minimum length 8-12 with a combination of different character sets. Also consider multi-factor authentication.

Before you post - think

Do not send sensitive personal information online. Users can exploit this data for guessing passwords or identity theft. Only post or share data that you are comfortable for the public to know.

Use anti-virus!

Keep your anti-virus software so it protect your data. While it may cost money. it outweighs the hassle of bigger problems of a virus causing harm to your files.

Be careful visiting sites

Only access websites you can trust - check to make sure they use HTTPS connection and they have a SSL certificate. You can also verify them using tools and their domain names.

Use privacy settings.

Limit how much companies use your data by turning on privacy features. Consider using a VPN for creating secure connections to sites, and turn on incognito mode to prevent data being saved by websites.

