



DIGITAL SAFETY

ESSENTIAL INTERNET SAFETY TIPS



VIRUSES AND MALWARE

Safeguard your digital life by staying vigilant against harmful viruses and malware. (Haugen, 2008)



PHISHING AND SCAMS

Don't take the bait! Be cautious of suspicious emails or messages requesting personal information (McDonough, 2018)

FAKE WEBSITES

Avoid falling victim to scams by verifying the legitimacy of websites before sharing personal information or making transactions (Haugen, 2008).



DATA BREACHES

Protect your sensitive information by being aware of data breaches and taking proactive measures such as using encryption and monitoring your accounts. (NCSC, 2018)



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