

Holly Jolly and Safe: Navigating the Holiday Season



Holiday Shopping

- Use a credit card for holiday shopping. Credit cards have more protection around fraud.
- Check for card skimmers when using ATMs.
- Invest in a RFID wallet or RFID sleeves to protect your cards.
- Use tap to pay with your digital wallet on your phone to keep your information private.

Unexpected Gifts

- Be careful with holiday emails offering a discount or free items. If it sounds too good to be true it probably is.
- Be vigilant while shopping cyber deals. Whatever website you land on, verify the URL has a padlock and is using HTTPS before entering sensitive information.



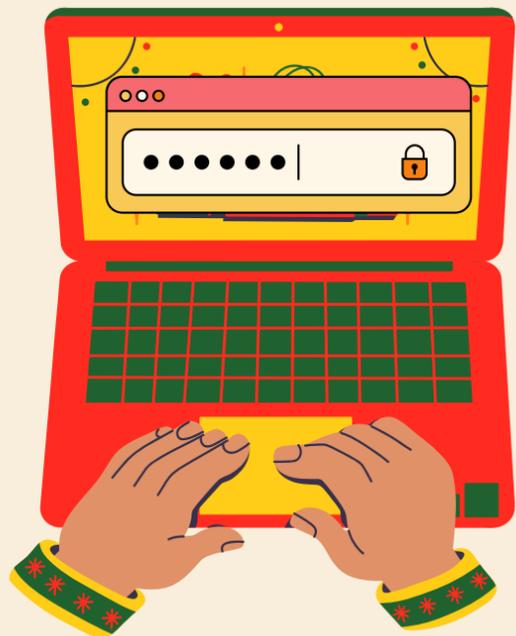
Holiday Festivities

- Keep your eyes peeled in crowded areas and public Wi-Fi hotspots.
- Report suspicious behavior.
- If you must use public Wi-Fi, install a VPN service on all devices.
- Be mindful of what is included in pictures that you post on social media.



Digital Checkup

- Renew your passwords, and check for any repeat and compromised passwords.
- Take the time to create a strong and unique password for every account.
- Leverage the use of password generators to help create safe passwords.
- Use Multi Factor Authentication!



Happy Holidays!

