
Internet Safety

— The Basics —

Passwords

- Use a passphrase, for example **chairLakebold2**
- Don't use personal information
- Write them down in one place and keep that safe
- Different phrases for different accounts
- Use password recovery email
- Log out of shared devices
- Change password if you suspect a problem

Privacy Settings

- Facebook
 - Review privacy and security settings
 - Computers: https://youtu.be/Ajrt_U_UrUQ
 - Phone: <https://youtu.be/JvqoEREZxsk>
- Devices
 - Lock screen
 - Set low timeout

E-Mail

- Delete spam, don't open the messages
- Don't click on links in unsolicited emails even if they look like they are coming from a friend.
- Remove yourself from unwanted mailing lists



Compose

Inbox 999+

Unread

Starred

Drafts 63

Sent

Archive

Spam

Trash

^ Less

Views Show

Folders Hide

+ New Folder

Amazon 3

Blackberry

Cheryl and ...

Ebay 47

Facebook 999+

iTunes 31

Keepers 2

Notes

Paypal 14

← Back

✉ Restore to Inbox

↗ Move

🗑 Delete

🛡 Not Spam



• Transfer received. ID:D3qK3rV0n

Yahoo/Spam ★



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Sun 26/05, 01:12 AM

  Reply | 


I am in London, and urgently in need of your help. Please send me \$1,500 to enable me to complete my activities here. I will refund you as soon as I return.
Send it through Western Union Money Transfer with this information.
Receiver: P .
Location: 35 Great Russell Street London, WC1B 3PP, United Kingdom.

Thanks,
Nik

Shared Document

 [Redacted Name]
Fri 02/02/2018, 01:52 PM

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[Redacted Name]ell@hotmail.com) have shared a secured file with you. Kindly sign with your E-mail to view the Shared folder.

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Watch for Scams

- Personal emergency scam
- You owe money scam
- Online dating scam
- Infected computer scam
- Keystroke Loggers
- Ransomware

Report it!

Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre

1-888-495-8501

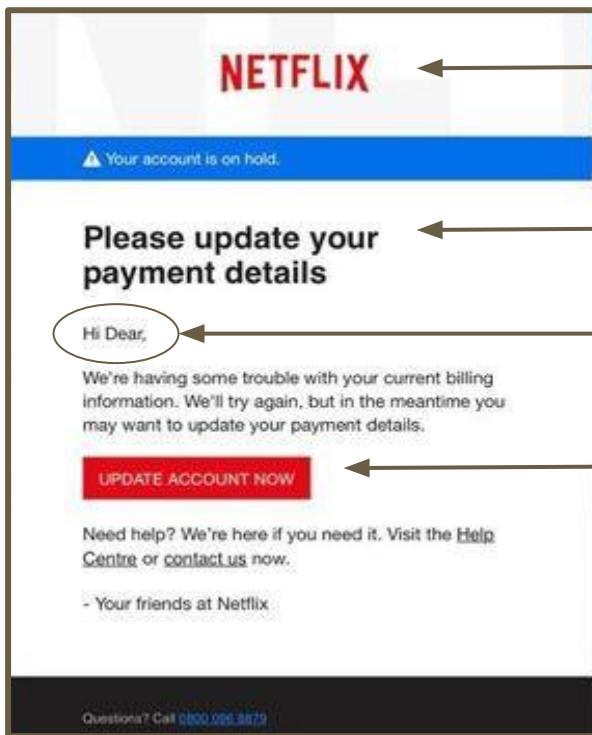


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Online Financial Activities

- Banking
 - Strong passwords and change them regularly
 - Don't click on links unless you are 100% sure they are legitimate
 - Banks don't ask for personal info via an email
 - Watch for "Phishing Scams"

Phishing



Looks legitimate - uses company logo

Signals a problem that requires your attention.

Generic greeting

Invites you to update your payment details

Online Financial Activities

- Shopping
 - Only shop at secure site (lock icon)
 - Beware of too-good to be true offers
 - Only shop at reputable (well-known) sites
 - Use credit card if possible.
 - Carefully review transactions before the final click
 - Review return policies
- Kijiji / Facebook Marketplace
 - Meet in a public place
 - Don't go alone
 - Whenever possible, pay via Paypal or other online agency

Watch for Fake News

Ask yourself:

- Does it come from a respected news outlet?
- Does the headline match the rest of the article?
- Does it have a byline? Do you know who wrote it?
- Does the URL (internet address) match the news source?
- Is it current?
- Does it backup it's claims with links to credible sources?

When in doubt, double check!

- www.snopes.com
- www.FactCheck.org
- www.PolitiFact.com