**Cyber Security**

**The National Cyber Security Centre have requested that suspicious emails and text be forwarded to them for investigation. They have taken down many thousands of fake sites.**

**Such scams are the curse of our connected world and problems are showing no sign reducing. The link below is to their website and I’ve pasted their advice to reporting suspicious messages:**

[**https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/section/information-for/individuals-families**](https://emea01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.ncsc.gov.uk%2Fsection%2Finformation-for%2Findividuals-families&data=04%7C01%7C%7Ca0742955be744bebb7ea08d914a29737%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637563510809360914%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=6S1Cd%2BqEq%2FRg98HF6Hn5FWn8CwCgE4UBrCIlpm%2B2f7Q%3D&reserved=0)

## Reporting suspicious messages

The message might be from a company you don’t normally receive communications from, or someone you do not know. You may just have a hunch. If you are suspicious, you should report it. By doing so you'll be helping to protect many more people from being affected.

### Email

If you have received an email which you’re not quite sure about, forward it to the [Suspicious Email Reporting Service](https://emea01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.ncsc.gov.uk%2Finformation%2Freport-suspicious-emails&data=04%7C01%7C%7Ca0742955be744bebb7ea08d914a29737%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637563510809370864%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=63wnbhxWwt1FbnU%2Fi37iRth1wTFiUG69ORATsfomOEs%3D&reserved=0)(SERS) at [report@phishing.gov.uk](mailto:report@phishing.gov.uk).

### Text message

Suspicious text messages should be forwarded to **7726**. This free-of-charge short code enables your provider to investigate the origin of the text and take action, if found to be malicious.