SCHOOL & ONLINE SAFETY TIPS

We all have a role to play when it comes to being safe at school and in the online world. Learn what you can do to help protect yourself and your family with these tips:

AT SCHOOL

REPORT SAFETY CONCERNS:

Many schools have safety reporting systems that members of the school community can access to share concerns and seek help anonymously and confidentially.

BE PREPARED:

Learn about your school's emergency procedures and find out the steps to take to stay safe before, during, and after an incident.

ONLINE

PRACTICE GOOD CYBER HYGIENE:

Keep your devices and personal information secure online. Opt-in to multifactor authentication to log in to online accounts and services. Create strong passwords, think before you click on unfamiliar links that show up in emails or messages, and update your software and device applications when they are available.

BE CYBER SAFE:

Protect yourself against forms of online exploitation and harassment. Keep your personal information private, only talk to people you know in real-life, and think twice before you post or share anything.

Find additional school safety tips and resources at SchoolSafety.gov.

CYBERSECURITY EDUCATION

CYBER DEFENSE EDUCATION & TRAINING

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Cybersecurity is not just about coding and hacking like on TV – it includes communication, management, and innovation! Today, almost everything we do connects to the internet and that's why it's not only important to learn about cybersecurity, but also why the world needs more cyber professionals.

LEARN ABOUT CYBERSECURITY

CYBER.ORG is a non-profit organization, funded by CISA's Cybersecurity Education and Training Assistance Program (CETAP), that develops and deploys a nationally focused, K-12 cybersecurity education and training model for educators.

CREATE A DIVERSE CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE

To better close the diversity gap in cybersecurity, CISA works with various programs to bring cyber career opportunities to all communities. Project REACH, connects K-12 schools to Historically Black Colleges and Universities' (HBCU) and Minority Serving Institutes (MSIs) cybersecurity and computer science programs and Project ACCESS, offers cyber education opportunities for blind and visually impaired students.

EXPLORE CYBERSECURITY CAREER OPTIONS

There is a cyber career for everyone! To learn about the different types of cyber roles in all industries, look through the collection of cyber career cards on NICCS.CISA.gov.

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