

Social Media Privacy

How you can stay
safe online!





Privacy

Social media is now a major part of most people's lives.

But with all the benefits social media brings, it also poses a huge risk to our personal safety, online and in the real world.



**So what steps
can ~~you~~ take
to stay safe
online and
preserve your
privacy?**



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Passwords & MFA

Make sure you use strong passwords and **turn on** multi-factor authentication (MFA).

Keep your passwords safe in a trusted password vault and **don't reuse** the same password across accounts.



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Don't overshare

~~Don't overshare~~ information. Be careful of posting pictures with personal or other identifying information.

~~Avoid~~ posting pictures of your kids in school uniforms if they show what school they attend.



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Strong privacy settings

If you don't **need** your profile to be public, don't give the world access. **Limit** who can see your posts where possible.

Have a second account if you are building a public profile so you can keep more personal posts, **personal.**



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Be cautious

Be wary of messages from connections that don't sound right. Scammers will ~~compromise~~ accounts then message all their contacts to try and compromise them as well.

If it looks strange, contact your friend ~~off~~ social media.



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Only connect with people you know

If you aren't building a public profile, only connect with people you ~~know~~.

Less connections means less risk.



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Unrecognised devices

Check what devices are connected to your accounts.

If you don't recognise them, **disconnect** them immediately and change your password.



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Take note of security alerts

Don't ignore security alerts that tell you there is a connection from a new device.

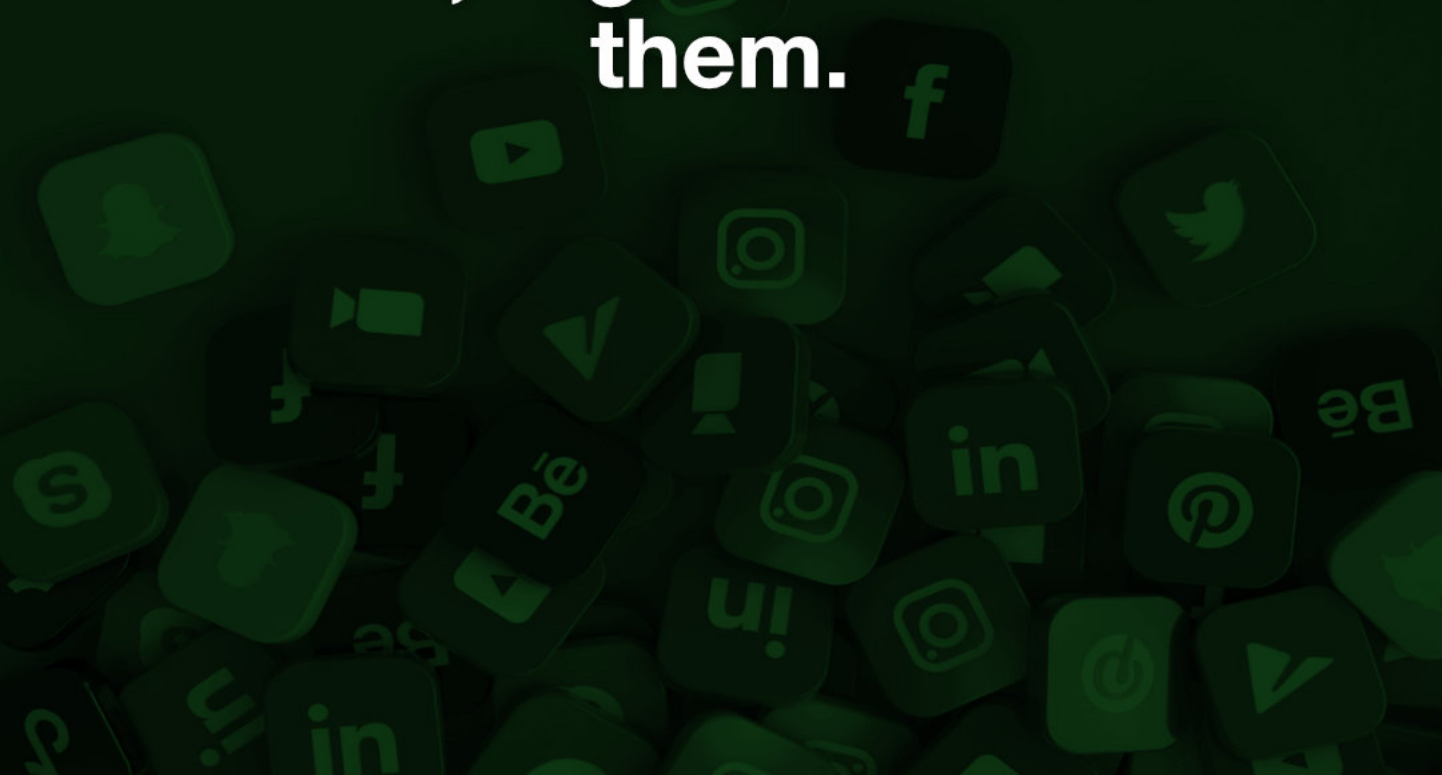
If it's not you, change your password immediately and disconnect the unrecognised device.



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Delete old accounts

If you have old accounts on social media platforms you don't use or have forgotten about, log in and ~~delete~~ them.





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Update software

Make sure your devices and applications have the latest updates installed.

Turn on auto-updates for your devices and applications.



Want More Information?

To learn more, and how to configure your devices to stay secure on your favourite social media platform, visit our insights page!

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