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Tips for Staying Safe Online In 2020

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If you check any news site, you'll hear about people being scammed by individuals online and hackers gaining access to personal details stored by large companies. Hackers are all over the internet and so it is important that we are all taking precautions to make sure that we are staying safe online.

If you don't know what you should be doing to stay safe online, then you are in luck as we have put together some of our top tips. Find out what these tips are below.

Change Your Passwords

How many times has a website asked you to [change your password](#)? A lot of people get annoyed when they are asked to change their password when logging into an account, but this kind of prompt can actually be a lifesaver when it comes to protecting your personal and bank details. You should be changing your passwords every few months and you should not be using the same password for everything. When changing your passwords, you should also make sure that you don't share them with anyone if you want to stay safe online.

Do Your Research

If you aren't sure if a website can be trusted, there are ways to find out. In fact, there are many review sites that you can check to learn more about a company or a website and get some feedback from people who have used their service. For example, if you were trying to understand if a casino site was safe to use, you would check out a site like [famouscasinosites.com](#). When you do your research, you can find out a lot about how secure a website is.

Update Your Device

For many people, that reminder that a laptop or a mobile phone needs to be updated can be seen as an inconvenience. None of us want to stop what we are doing to update our devices but actually, this can be a great way to protect yourself online. Many of these updates will tackle your security and will improve it along the way. If you don't update your devices, you could risk your security being outdated and hackers could access your personal files.

Use Your Common Sense

The final tip that we have for those who want to stay safe online in 2020 is to use your common

sense. If you visit a website and it looks too good to be true, it probably is. Have you had an email offering your thousands of pounds? This is probably also too good to be true and will be a [phishing email](#). If you use your common sense, you can assess the situation and make the right call.

Use These Tips

Now that you have heard our tips, you should make sure to put them into practice. Don't fall for the traps that phishing scams will set for you and always change your passwords. Hopefully, this will help you to stay safe online in 2020.

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