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Money Safety

Money and Computers – Tips for you!

1. When you need to buy something online, make sure that the website starts with <https://> or there is a lock at the corner of the website. This means that the website and the information you type is safe.



2. Don't buy things from websites that are not safe.
3. Try not to use a public computer, like one at a library or school, to buy something online.
4. Don't share your passwords with people that you don't know.

When you are carrying money and credit cards, it is important that you know some tips that can help keep you safe!

Cash-Handling

- Keep your money in a wallet or purse and always put it back when you are done using it.
- Do not count your money in front of people.
- If you buy something using money, put your money away before you leave the store.
- Don't carry too much cash. It is safer to only carry the cash that you need.

Credit Cards and Personal Information

- Always sign your name or write "Check ID" on the back of your credit card, as soon as you get it.
- Do not give your credit card number or personal information to someone over the phone or email.
- Do not share your personal information with someone that you do not know.
- Always check your account. If there is a purchase that you have not made, call the number on the back of your card to talk to your bank or credit card company.