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At Islington ACL we want our learners to be able to use the internet and other technology to help their learning. To do this and stay safe there are some things you need to be aware of when working on line:

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Social Networking

Never give people your

personal information Remember what you put on the internet will always be



there

Don't become online friends with people you

- don't know
 Don't arrange to meet someone you
- don't know personally Be wary of people encouraging you to keep secrets from your loved ones

Using a phone

Don't send personal pictures to anyone, especially indecent ones

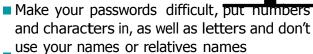


Remember banks do NOT call or text and ask for your pin number or your password

If you aren't sure who it is on the phone, hang up and call the person back later on the number you have for them

Security

- Never tell anyone your passwords
- Have different passwords for all your accounts



Change your passwords regularly

Money online



If it seems too good to be true it probably is – if you are told you have won

- something, in a competition you never entered this is likely to be a scam
- If you use internet banking check your accounts regularly
- If you get a worrying call or you think someone has taken your details report it to the police There are lots of 'scams' on line, don't give money to people you don't know, even if they use your personal details

Using an email



- Never open an email attachment from people you don't know
- A bank will never email you and ask for your pin or passwords
- Get software on your computer that protects you from 'phishing' emails that might damage your computer

Using websites

■ Don't believe everything you read on line – not all websites are from a reliable source it is always worth checking





For more information see:

www.cyberstreetwise.com

If you don't feel safe please tell us. Call David Coleman on 020 7527 3343 or email david.coleman@islington.gov.uk or acl@islington.gov.uk