

# SAFE ONLINE SHOPPING TIP SHEET

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**https://**

The website should have a padlock on the left and the address should begin with https://. The S means it is a secure site

Click on the padlock icon and it will tell you about the security certificate of the site and if it is a valid one



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Always use strong passwords and multi factor authentication on sites where you enter personal, sensitive and financial information

Always use a debit card or credit card for online purchases. Never pay by money transfer or wire transfer. If it is the only way to pay then walk away



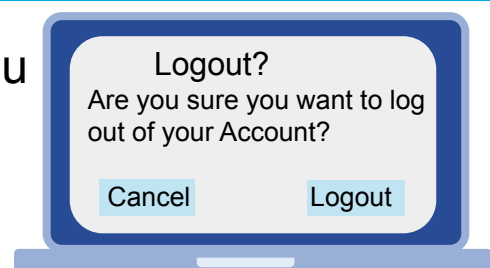
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If an offer is too good to be true then it usually is. Trust your instincts, do some research, check out review sites to see if anyone has had a bad experience

Always log out of a secure site where you enter personal, financial or banking details. If left open anyone can go straight back in and see your details



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