

INTERNET REMEMBERS

The internet never forgets and here are some tips and dangers when posting online.

OVERSHARING IS BAD

Personal information that is shared on the internet can be used to gain access to personal accounts and even lead to crime? People using personal information are 42% more likely to gain access to a private account.



<https://www.protechnical.com/dangers-sharing-much-online/>

ESCALATION OF PROBLEMS

Individuals have personalities when online and sharing personal information can lead to 'flaming' and 'bullying'. Often individuals are more likely to be aggressive and outspoken online.



MESSAGES DON'T DISAPPEAR



Whilst it is possible to 'delete' a post or message, it is increasingly common for a 'screen-shot' to be taken and reposted. There is no sure way to remove a message so the best way is to think before posting

<https://www.inc.com/aj-agrawal/the-risks-of-posting-impulsively-on-social-media.html>

TOMORROW MATTERS

Think about the future when sharing or posting online. Our posts might not be private and can have a lasting impact on future decision like career and friendships.



SAFE SETTINGS ONLINE



Despite regulations and rules, the average age of children using social-media and online apps is dropping. Many adult orientated apps use location sharing. Make sure that children are aware of safety and security features in online applications.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/share-aware/>

ALWAYS THINK WHEN ONLINE

Think before you post, share or comment.

