

# DON'T LET APPLICATIONS MISAPPROPRIATE YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION.



## PERSONAL INFORMATION IS INVALUABLE FOR MANY REASONS.

When you sign up for apps or social media sites, you are asked to provide a lot of information.

Although it may seem like fun to see what you have in common with friends, this information often ends up with advertisers and sometimes even cybercriminals.

By sharing too much information, you:

- **Make it easier** for a cybercriminal to guess your passwords or password-reset questions.
- **Give cybercriminals the information** they need to build a profile of you, which allows them to target you in their scams.

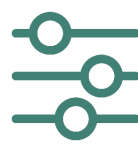
**Make sure you are security savvy when it comes to installing applications.**



Only download apps from official app stores and make sure they are verified.



Be cautious of the amount of information you are sharing.



Check app permissions and terms of service before allowing access to your information.



If you don't actually need an app, or aren't sure if you should use it at all, don't install it.



**Keeping your personal information private is important. Make sure you do everything in your power to keep it safe.**