

Don't Feed The Phish



CYBERSECURITY

Practical Advice for Avoiding Phishing and Social Engineering Attacks

Phishing is the fraudulent practice of sending a correspondence posed to be from reputable sources in order to induce individuals to reveal personal information, most commonly sent via email.



How to Combat Common Phishing Techniques

- Lookout for generic language, grammar mistakes, and spelling errors
- Avoid unknown numbers and never share personal information
- Limit sharing sensitive information and clicking on malicious links
- Research the details before answering unknown numbers
- Regularly update and install endpoint protection

The Education industry is ranked last in Cybersecurity preparedness out of 17 major industries. Educational records can get up to \$265 per record on the black market.

-2021 Cyber Security Statistics, The Ultimate List Of Stats, Data & Trends

By the Numbers

87% have experienced at least one successful cyber attack

64% don't believe their existing IT infrastructure can protect them over the next year.

30% of users in the Education industry have fallen for phishing attacks



TOP 5 TAKEAWAYS TO REMEMBER

- 1) no credible website asks for passwords over email
- 2) be careful which web browsers you use
- 3) read all URLs from right to left
- 4) double check email addresses
- 5) understand careless internet browsing increases risk