Click with Caution

When was the last time you received a suspicious email, call, or message? What did you do?

These urgent or unexpected messages often come from cybercriminals. They use social engineering to manipulate our behaviors and emotions. The goal is to get us to share sensitive information.

Bee mindful to be cyber safe

RECOGNIZE
Recognize red flags indicating suspicious activity

RELAX
Relax before reacting and take a moment to breath and pause

RETHINK
Rethink the way you respond to digital requests

Know if it’s real or fake.
Use the FUDGE model of common social engineering tactics.

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Think outside your inbox!
Report suspicious emails, messages, phone calls, and MFA requests.

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