

Activity 1 — Spot the red flags

This email is a scam. Circle the **5 red flags** that give it away.

From: Your Bank <alerts@yourbank-alerts.net>
Subject: URGENT – Mandatory verification of your account

Dear customer:

We have detected unusual activity on your account. For your security, you must **verify your username and password within the next 24 hours** or your account will be permanently suspended.

Click here to verify: bit.ly/2vRf8k

Also, as a valued customer, you are automatically entered into a raffle for a **65" TV** — claim your prize at the same link!

Sincerely,
The Security Team

Hint: there are red flags in the sender, the tone, what it asks for, the link and the ending.

Activity 2 — My 10 locks

Check only what you have **already done today** (not what you plan to do). This sheet is yours: nobody grades it.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A different password for every important service | <input type="checkbox"/> What matters backed up in two places |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MFA turned on for my main email | <input type="checkbox"/> Home Wi-Fi with my own strong password |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PIN on my SIM card | <input type="checkbox"/> Apps only from official stores , permissions reviewed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phone with screen lock + auto-lock | <input type="checkbox"/> I never charge at public USB ports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Remote tracking set up | <input type="checkbox"/> I know what to do in the first 24 hours of an incident |

YOUR NUMBER

Empty boxes: _____ → That's your task list for this week, in order: start with the first one, top to bottom.

Activity 3 — My first door

One single action. Writing it down with a date and time **doubles** the odds of doing it.

The action I'm going to take:

When (day and time):

I'm going to tell (someone who'll remind me):

FIRST-DOOR IDEAS (PICK ONE, NOT THREE)

SIM PIN

MFA ON MY EMAIL

PASSWORD MANAGER

PHOTO BACKUP

WI-FI PASSWORD

TALK TO MY KIDS ABOUT GAME CHAT

+ To keep going after the workshop

RESOURCE	WHAT IT IS	TIME
"How hackable are you?" quiz	10 questions about your habits; gives you back your top 3 priorities.	2 min
"Real or scam?" simulator	18 real and fake messages to train your eye.	10 min
Hacker Academy	6 interactive modules with lessons and quizzes; open the locks.	At your pace
The book	<i>A Hacker's Security Guide</i> : the full blueprint, no jargon.	—

EVERYTHING IN ONE PLACE

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✓ Activity 1 answer key

(1) The sender is **yourbank-alerts.net**: the bank's name with extra words = a different domain. (2) **24-hour urgency** with a suspension threat: manufactured panic. (3) It asks for your **username and password**: no legitimate service does that by message. (4) A **shortened link** (bit.ly) that hides the real destination. (5) A **prize** you never entered for, tacked on at the end to hook you through greed.