

October is National Cyber Security Awareness Month



Six things you can do:

1. **Protect your devices with cryptic passwords** that can't be easily guessed
2. **Check your passwords against UCSC's Password Standards:** its.ucsc.edu/policies/password.html
3. **Restart your computer regularly** – and turn on auto-updates for everything you can
4. **Secure laptop computers and mobile devices:** lock them up or carry them with you at all times
5. **Set your devices to automatically lock** when they're not being used
6. **Back up your important files and data,** and store the backups securely

Contact the ITS Support Center for assistance:
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