

Cyber Security Awareness Month

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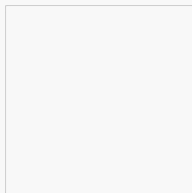
What is Cyber Security Awareness Month (CSAM)?

Cyber Security Awareness Month (CSAM) is a global initiative held every October to raise awareness about the importance of cybersecurity. The goal is to help individuals and organizations stay informed and protected against the growing threat of cyberattacks.

Cyber Security Awareness Month kicks off this October with tips, challenges, and chances to win prizes! Stay informed and safe online—explore this page to get involved and make the most of CSAM.

Catch the Phish and Win: Phishing Derby 2025

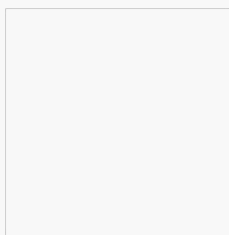
During the month of October, the IT Security and Compliance Office creates a variety of phishing simulations which are sent to your Seneca email address. Think you've spotted one? Hit the **"Report Phish"** button (Hint: look for the red fish!) and you will be entered to win that week's prize.



2025 Updated Security Awareness Digital Badge

The IT Security and Compliance Office is offering the 2025 [Foundational Online Security Awareness digital badge](#) for students and employees who complete the training and score 100%.

Log in with your Seneca credentials (username without @myseneca.ca or @senecapolytechnic.ca) to access the module. Those who earned a previous badge must retake the training to receive the 2025 version.



Prizes

During CSAM, Seneca Polytechnic offers a variety of brand-new in-box prizes that can be won by completing any or all of the monthly activities. The best part? The more activities you complete, the more chances you have to win!

Here is a list of the prizes you can win: ·

- Grand Prize: Participate in all activities (report all phishing simulations and earn a **Foundational Online Security Awareness digital badge**) to be entered to win one of two **Lenovo ThinkPad L14 Gen 3 laptops!**
- General Prizes: Successfully report any one of our phishing simulations during CSAM and earn a **Foundational Online Security Awareness digital badge** to be entered to win one of these fantastic prizes:
 - **Lenovo Wireless Keyboard & Mouse combo pack**
 - One of two **Shokz OpenMove Wireless Bone Conduction Headphones**
 - One of two **Logitech 4K PRO webcams**
- Bonus Prize: Successfully report all phishing simulations to be entered to win one of two **ThinkVision P24h-30 LCD Monitors!**

*Prizes won must be picked up at Newnham Campus

*One prize per person, winners will be contacted by Seneca email

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