

# IT Security

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The IT Security & Compliance Office is committed to safeguarding the information entrusted to Seneca by its students, faculty, staff, and others affiliated with Seneca during the course of business. We strongly believe that fostering a secure IT environment is a collaborative effort and by working together, we can create a safer and more beneficial environment for everyone in the Seneca community. This website provides students with essential information, such as best practices, tips, policies, and guidelines, to better protect Seneca's information as well as their own.

To get help with an IT security issue please submit a service request to the [ITS Service Desk](#).

## October Cybersecurity Awareness Month

Did you know that October is Seneca's [Cybersecurity Awareness Month](#)?

Seneca's commitment to your digital security remains steadfast. In October, we double down on our yearlong commitment to IT security while having some fun along the way. The reality is that cyber threats are as real as ever, and staying informed and vigilant is more crucial than ever. But fret not, because we have a thrilling lineup of activities and prizes to bolster your cybersecurity know-how!

Our aim is to empower you with the knowledge and skills needed to keep yourself and your loved ones safe from cyber threats like hackers, phishing emails, and malware.

So, gear up for a month of learning, engaging activities, and the chance to win big. Here's a quick rundown of what's happening for [Cybersecurity Awareness Month 2023](#)!

### Quick tips

- Use a different password on every website
- Never share your passwords with anyone
- Logout before leaving a shared computer
- Keep your software up to date
- Secure your computer by locking it when you step away, especially in public or open

settings

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