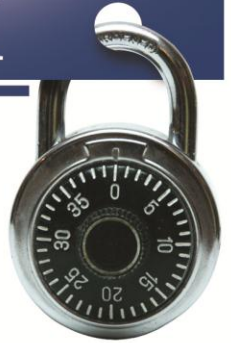


SECURITY

TIP OF THE WEEK



Password Protection

Passwords That Work

Guidelines:

- Choose a phrase that's at least 5 words long. Draw core password from that perhaps using the first letter of each word.

For Example: The Cat in the Hat Comes Back = tcithcb

- Alter some of it.

Tcithcb = Tc!tHc6

- Customize.

For Example: o5Tc!tHc6 could be for Yahoo account. "o" is last letter of Yahoo. "5" is number of letters in Yahoo.

- Write down your hint – such as “basic: cat” to recall Dr. Seuss title.



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