

# Security Is On The Schedule!

Don't let cybersecurity be absent this school year! Whether you are in the classroom or at home, remember these tips!

## Keep Your Passwords Strong!

Did you know that eight-character passwords with uppercase and lowercase letters, numbers, and special characters can be cracked in 40 minutes?!

A 16-character password of the same complexity? **BILLIONS OF YEARS!**

### When making passwords, remember:

- Use a combination of numbers, letters, and special characters.
- Make it long! 16-20 characters is ideal.
- Never recycle or reuse passwords across accounts!
- Don't use personal information or common words as passwords. Family names, pets, and birth years all make poor passwords.

