

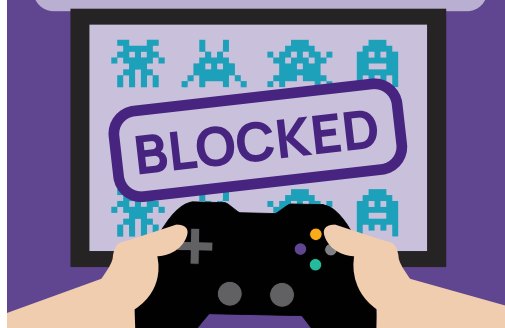
Resource 4: Scams and Strategies

ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY

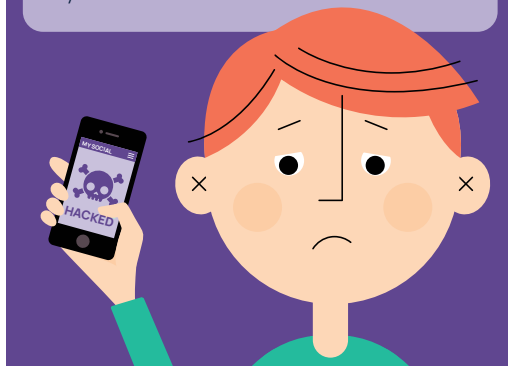
I got a message from an unknown number. It said I could enter a free competition for a new iPhone, but the time to enter was running out! I clicked the link, and it downloaded a virus onto my tablet.



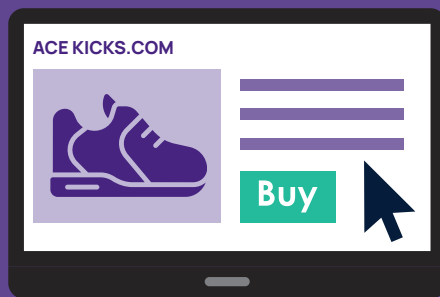
Someone in a gaming forum offered to give me some cheat codes and game coins. I just had to enter my log in details for my console. But the next thing I knew, I was blocked out of my gaming account and they were using my details!



My social media account was hacked. They must have worked out my password, then they used my identity to send scams to all my friends.



I bought some trainers online. They were really cheap so I thought I got a good deal. But after I paid for them, they never turned up, and the website I got them from shut down.



Use a secure password with three random words

Check links before clicking on them

Only use secure websites and platforms

Slow down, think and check with an adult

Have anti-virus software installed on devices

Remember if something sounds too good to be true, it probably is

Only buy things online from trusted companies

