



# JOINT MID-YEAR SCHOOL HOLIDAYS ADVISORY

We would like to remind you to stay safe during the school holidays by following these tips.

## STAY AWAY FROM CRIME



**Shop theft is an offence.**  
Always pay for your items before you leave the store.



**High rise littering is an offence.**  
Do not throw things as it could injure others.



**Theft is an offence.**  
Do not take items that do not belong to you.

## BE AWARE AND BE SAFE



**Beware of strangers.** Do not speak to or follow them when approached. Inform your family and teachers immediately if this happens.



**Do not give in to peer-pressure.** Learn to say 'No' when you know it is wrong.



**Say 'No' if anyone tries to offer you drugs or anything strange.** Inform your family and teachers.

## REAL LIFE STORIES

### STORY 1

Shoptheft is a crime. A moment of folly can lead to a lifetime of regret!



**SCAN ME TO READ**

### STORY 2

A moment of joy, a lifetime of regret.



**SCAN ME TO READ**

## OUR HELPLINES:

### CRIME PREVENTION

Call the Police hotline at **1800 255 0000** or submit information online at [www.police.gov.sg/iwitness](http://www.police.gov.sg/iwitness)

**'999'** is for emergencies only. Please dial if you require urgent Police assistance.

For more information, visit: [www.police.gov.sg](http://www.police.gov.sg), [SPF Facebook](#) or [www.ncpc.org.sg](http://www.ncpc.org.sg).

### DRUGS PREVENTION

For more information on the harms of drug and inhalant abuse, visit the CNB's website at [www.cnb.gov.sg](http://www.cnb.gov.sg).

Please call the Police or the CNB hotline at **1800 325 6666** to report suspected drug and inhalant abuse.



# ACT TODAY TO SAFEGUARD STUDENTS FROM SCAMS

## WHY SHOULD WE BE CONCERNED?

- Scams can happen to anyone.
- Being digital natives, students are exposed to common scam contact methods such as messaging platforms, social media and online shopping platforms.
- Students may think they will not fall prey to scams. Hence they may not take measures to protect themselves against scams.



## DID YOU KNOW?

In 2022, more than 2,000 scam victims between the ages of 10-19 years old have fallen prey to scams.



## WHAT ARE THE COMMON SCAMS AFFECTING YOUTHS?



### Social Media Impersonation Scam

Scammers impersonate known contacts or friends on social media, and deceive victims into disclosing personal information and banking details.

Scammers will try to contact victims via mediums such as email, text message or call to deceive them into disclosing personal information and banking details.

### Phishing Scam



### e-Commerce Scam

Scammers advertise goods and services for sale online but do not deliver it after payment is made by their victims.

Scammers advertise jobs promising high salaries for little effort. They seek upfront payments from victims as part of the job but disappear with victims' money subsequently.

### Job Scam



## HOW CAN WE ACT AGAINST SCAMS?

### ADD

ScamShield app and security features

### CHECK

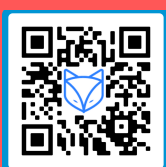
for scam signs and with official sources

### TELL

authorities, family and friends about scams

Block scam calls, detect scam SMSes and report scams via the ScamShield app

ACT! Learn how to Add, Check, and Tell to protect your family and friends from scams



Scan to find out more!

