

Use while traveling – they offer additional protection against criminal activity. Keep an eye on your card to avoid cloning and watch for the use of a skimmer.

CREDIT CARDS

- Be sure to use ATMs located inside a bank for further protection
- Information for thieves to get your personal



SHIELD YOUR PIN & PASSWORDS

Geo-tags give the latitude and longitude of where your photo was taken. Turn this feature **OFF** on your phone or digital camera.

USING GEO-TAGS

- Use your own laptop/tablet in public places.
- Delete your computer's temporary Internet files, cookies and history often.

LAPTOPS

Add passwords to each of your electronic devices

Use covered luggage tags to keep your information away from prying eyes.

PASSWORDS

LUGGAGE TAGS

Don't post holiday plans, activities status or holiday photos on your social media page while away because this may lead a criminal to your home.

HOLIDAY PLANS!

PASSPORT

Keep your passport, wallet and personal papers in a travel pouch under your clothes and not in a backpack.

VALUABLES

Lock your valuables, including your laptop, in a secure place or keep them with you.

Using GPS

Phone applications using GPS can send promotional material to your phone. The applications can be enhanced to collect, use and share your personal information without your knowledge. Turn this feature **OFF** on your phone.

For more information
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