Protect Your Privacy

It is incredibly important to have strong, unique passwords for financial sites or anywhere that your credit card information is stored and accessed. If you use the same password for every site, once criminals figure it out, they can simply use it on your other accounts to break in.
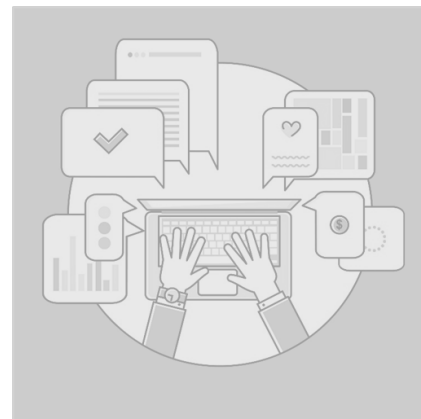
Best Practices

Be sure you are on a real, secure site before entering personal information, including credit card numbers or any sensitive, financial information.

Do not use open, or free, Wi-Fi to log into sensitive accounts where financial information is stored or can be accessed.

Always log out of your account when finished - especially if using a public computer.

TIP Always look for the "S" in HTTPS and a lock icon in the website URL bar to be sure you are on a secure site! Typically, the side of the URL bar with the lock icon will be highlighted green.
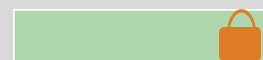
Banks will not ask for your credit card or password information via email. If you receive an email asking for sensitive information and just cant tell if it is a legitimate message or not, pick up the phone and call the company. There is no harm in double checking - this is YOUR personal information!