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Good Morning Welcome to Tech Tip Tuesday (T^3) for 9/10/19 T^3 – "KEEPING YOUR SELFSAFE while on your computer"

Below are two ways to keep yourself safe while on a computer

- 1. Google Password Checkup Extension
 - The Password Checkup extension helps you re-secure accounts that were affected by data breaches.
 - Wherever you sign-in, if you enter a username and password that is no longer safe due to appearing in a data breach known to Google, you'll receive an alert. Please reset your password. If you use the same username and password for any other accounts, please reset your password there as well.
 - Link to install the extension in chrome –
- 2. Windows 7 will no longer be supported by Microsoft starting 1/14/2020

What does end of support mean?

If you continue to use Windows 7 after support has ended, your PC will still work, but it may become more vulnerable to security risks and viruses. Your PC will continue to start and run, but Microsoft will no longer provide the following support for your business.

No technical support No software updates No security updates

On all of your personal Microsoft devices, PLEASE, PLEASE upgrade to Windows 10. Note that Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point, etc.) is different than Windows. MS Office is a suite of applications. Windows is the operating system.

This is a link with information on updating to Windows 10 (For some, the upgrade may be free)

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