# Digital Privacy & Security: Teaching Safer Habits

## **Threat Modeling**

What do you want to protect? This is your **asset**.

Who you want to protect it from? These are your **adversaries**.

How likely is it that you have to protect your asset?

What are the consequences if you fail?

What are you willing to do to protect the asset?

## **Resources for librarian/library staff privacy advocates:**

The Data Privacy Project: dataprivacyproject.org

A project designed to support frontline library staff as they respond to patron needs regarding digital privacy or data profiling issues. For more information on **threat modeling** for different types of library patrons, check out their **learning module** called **Risk Assessment**.

The Electronic Frontier Foundation: www.eff.org

A non-profit focused on defending civil liberties in the digital world. Of interest to educators is their **Security Education Companion** (<a href="https://sec.eff.org">https://sec.eff.org</a>), which includes background information for first-time trainers, lessons, teaching materials, and security news. Some user-submitted translations available. For those teaching themselves new tools, review their guides on **Surveillance Self-Defense: Tips, Tools and How-tos for Safer Online Communications** (<a href="https://ssd.eff.org">https://ssd.eff.org</a>). Translated into 10 languages.

The Library Freedom Project: https://libraryfreedomproject.org

A non-profit providing library workers with the skills necessary to promote values of librarianship like privacy, intellectual freedom, and democracy. To see the past and current cohort's course materials, check out the **Library Freedom Project's Wiki** (<a href="https://libraryfreedom.wiki">https://libraryfreedom.wiki</a>). To watch videos of speakers for the first cohort, go to **Library Freedom Institute** on **Vimeo** (<a href="https://vimeo.com/libraryfreedominstitute">https://vimeo.com/libraryfreedominstitute</a>).

#### **Popular for library patrons:**

Consumer Reports: https://www.consumerreports.org

A good resource for classes and reference desk staff, check out their **Guide to Digital Security & Privacy** or simply type a search for the needed product (e.g. antivirus software) to find buying guides and reviews.

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