

Stop handing fraudsters your personal information

It may be tempting to take the latest online personality test popping up in your social media feed - who doesn't want to know what Disney Princess they may be? But beware the site may prompt you to "allow access" before proceeding. What DOES that mean? It may mean that you are agreeing to share your information by giving third-party apps access to your photos, personal details such as birth dates and maiden names, and the contact info of you and your friends.



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Favourite food: QUESTIONS

We don't usually play these but, why not...

Where did you grow up? STOP
Favourite colour: GIVING
First Pet's name: PEOPLE
Street you grew up on: YOUR
Favourite child's name: PERSONAL
Favourite team mascot: INFO
High School name: TO
Favourite food: GUESS
What was your first car: YOUR
Mom's name before she married: PASSWORD
First job: AND
Favourite band: SECURITY

AbbyPD is cautioning you to think twice before you risk exposing your personal information, and possibly helping fraudsters by providing information which may allow them to correctly guess passwords and security questions.

Be vigilant. Keep your account locked down. Re-visit your privacy settings, review who can see your profile, and remove personal information from your profile and social media posts. For more information about privacy and data collection, visit https://www.facebook.com/about/privacy/update

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