

Minimum Home Network Baseline Checklist

A practical checklist for router, Wi Fi, account, device, and backup safety.

Audience	Households that want a low cost safety baseline.
Purpose	Create a starting point that most families can complete without special equipment.
Best use	Use during a home safety review or community workshop.

Router and Wi Fi

<input type="checkbox"/>	Change the router admin password.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Use WPA3 or WPA2 WPA3 if available.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Turn off WPS if the household does not use it.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Turn off remote admin access unless it is truly needed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Create guest Wi Fi for visitors and smart devices when possible.

Accounts and devices

<input type="checkbox"/>	Protect email with multifactor authentication.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Use different passwords for important accounts.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Turn on updates for phones, computers, browsers, and apps.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Remove unused apps and browser extensions.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Back up important photos and documents.

Review schedule

Do a short review every three months. Check updates, passwords, backups, and unknown devices.

Keep this guide near the device or account it protects. Small habits make a real difference when they are repeated.