

Cybersecurity Awareness Month

Word search

E P W E R A W M O G N A R H B X U H C X
C B G N I R E E N I G N E L A I O O S Q
M A L W A R E Q P S P W D R O W S S A P
K Q E Z F U S W P M A B E W K R A D M R
X R K N X O T Y T I L I D A R E N L U V
F S A O B S S N L B E X P L O I T X L L
B P I A O H W E U T C U R T O R E Z G
A O P T C T I D E N T I T Y T H E F T N
D O E P I R V R J C T O P A T C H Y L
A F E Y D O M A P S G I F E O B L S K H
C D R O J Z F S P P A C S H T B O U S
T H F C O A S P Y W A R E A Q G M O D
O G K N R N I E F K A E L A T A D K E H
R F Z E H A C K E R X T Q J H I R W N I
O O Q R I N C I D E N T R E S P O N S E
J F K E Y L O G G E R Q T Q J S Z N G J

social engineering	incident response	vulnerability
identity theft	ransomware	encryption
keylogger	data leak	zero trust
authentication	deepfake	spoofing
malware	password	bad actor
dark web	backdoor	hacker
phishing	patch	spam
exploit	spyware	trojan

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Answer Key — Cybersecurity Awareness Month Word Search

Row 1 is the top row; Column 1 is the leftmost column.

Word	Start	Direction	End
Authentication	Row 3, Col 5	Diagonal, down-right	Row 16, Col 18
Backdoor	Row 6, Col 5	Straight down	Row 13, Col 5
Bad Actor	Row 7, Col 1	Straight down	Row 14, Col 1
Dark Web	Row 4, Col 18	Straight left	Row 4, Col 12
Data Leak	Row 13, Col 17	Straight left	Row 13, Col 10
Deepfake	Row 11, Col 3	Straight up	Row 4, Col 3
Encryption	Row 14, Col 4	Straight up	Row 5, Col 4
Exploit	Row 6, Col 11	Straight right	Row 6, Col 17
Hacker	Row 14, Col 5	Straight right	Row 14, Col 10
Identity Theft	Row 8, Col 7	Straight right	Row 8, Col 19
Incident Response	Row 15, Col 5	Straight right	Row 15, Col 20
Keylogger	Row 16, Col 3	Straight right	Row 16, Col 11
Malware	Row 3, Col 1	Straight right	Row 3, Col 7
Password	Row 3, Col 20	Straight left	Row 3, Col 13
Patch	Row 9, Col 13	Straight right	Row 9, Col 17
Phishing	Row 14, Col 20	Straight up	Row 7, Col 20
Ransomware	Row 1, Col 13	Straight left	Row 1, Col 4
Social Engineering	Row 2, Col 19	Straight left	Row 2, Col 3
Spam	Row 10, Col 10	Straight left	Row 10, Col 7
Spoofing	Row 6, Col 2	Straight down	Row 13, Col 2
Spyware	Row 12, Col 7	Straight right	Row 12, Col 13
Trojan	Row 8, Col 6	Straight down	Row 13, Col 6
Vulnerability	Row 5, Col 20	Straight left	Row 5, Col 8
Zero Trust	Row 7, Col 19	Straight left	Row 7, Col 11