## Cyber Crime

CYBER CRIME is any criminal offense that is facilitated by, or involves use of electronic communications of information system including any electronic device, computer or the Internet.

It involves the terms like: Phishing, Credit Card Frauds, illegal downloading, industrial espionage, child pornography, cyber bullying, cyber stalking, cyber terrorism, creation and /or distribution of viruses, spam etc.

## **Examples of Cyber Crime**

**CYBER TROLLS AND BULLYING:** It refers to a person who purposely post opposing, sarcastic, demeaning or insulting- comments about something or someone with an aim of targeting a person online. The provocative messages posted this way are also called trolls. It is a cyber-crime and is a form of cyber bullying.

**CYBER BULLYING:** Harassing, demeaning, embarrassing, defaming, or intimidating someone using modern technologies like internet, cell phones, instant messengers, social networks etc. is called CyberBullying.

**CYBER STALKING:** It is a kind of online harassment wherein the victim is subjected to barrage of online messages and emails. Typically, these stalkers know their victims instead of resorting to offline stalking, they use the internet to stalk, etc.

If any cyber-crime happens, one must report it firstly to parents, school authorities and then to police.