1. What is black hat ?

Black Hat hackers are criminals who break into computer networks with malicious intent. They may also release malware that destroys files, holds computers hostage, or steals passwords, credit card numbers, and other personal information.

1. what black hats do you know ?

**Hacker Kevin Poulson**



Poulsen is famous for his work in hacking into the Los Angeles phone system in a bid to win a Ferrari on a radio competition

LA KIIS FM was offering a Porsche 944 S2 to the 102nd caller. Poulsen guaranteed his success as he took control of the phone network and effectively blocked incoming calls to the radio station’s number

He won the Porsche but the law caught up to him and he was sentenced to five years in prison

Poulsen later became the senior editor for IT security publication, Wired News.

**Hacker HieuPC**



At the height of his cybercriminal career, the hacker known as “Hieupc” was earning $125,000 a month running a bustling identity theft service that siphoned consumer dossiers from some of the world’s top data brokers. That is, until his greed and ambition played straight into an elaborate snare set by the U.S. Secret Service.

**Ways to Protect Yourself From Hackers**

* Don’t access personal or financial data with public Wi-Fi.
* Use a firewall..
* Use a password, lock code or encryption
* Be skeptical about links and attachments
* Install antivirus software
* Keep your OS, apps and browser up-to-date
* Use two-factor authentication