

FAKE BANK SITES

Phishing emails that say they come from a bank usually include links that will take you to a spoofed copy of the real bank's website. If you click, you may end up divulging personal and financial info.

WHAT ARE THE SIGNS?

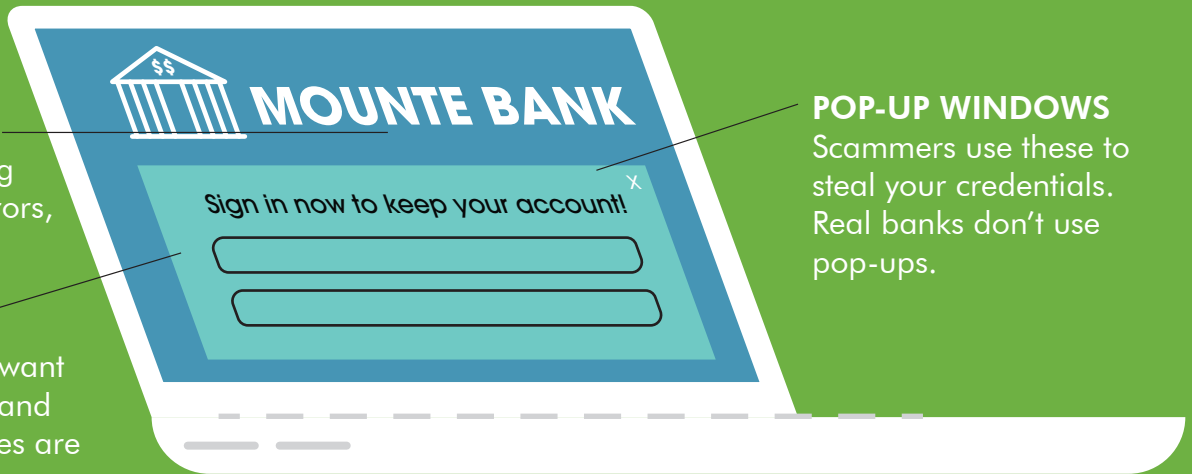
Spoofed bank sites are designed to look as identical to their legitimate counterparts as possible, but certain site elements might help tip you off.

POOR DESIGN

Beware of spelling and grammar errors, or design flaws

URGENCY

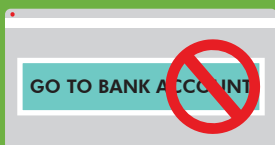
Scammers don't want you to take time and consider. Real sites are much kinder.



POP-UP WINDOWS

Scammers use these to steal your credentials. Real banks don't use pop-ups.

WHAT CAN YOU DO?



Never click on links in emails that appear to come from your bank.



Use a browser that has a built-in **pop-up blocker**.



Always type the link manually or use your existing autofilled web address. Use a trusted search engine like Google.

If something important really needs your attention, you will be alerted about it by your bank **when you access your account normally**.