

FIGHTING SPAM:

Defined as: irrelevant or inappropriate messages sent on the Internet to a large number of recipients.)

1. Never open an email that appears to be spam (perhaps you don't recognize the sender).
2. Never click on links in spam.
3. Never open attachments contained in spam.
4. Never reply to spam.
5. Never try to unsubscribe from spam because those aren't unsubscribe links; those are links that will end up getting you more spam.
6. Never use To or CC when sending out a message to multiple friends. Use only BCC (blind carbon copy) to protect your message recipients.

Instead, what you should be doing is simply marking spam as spam in your email program, letting it move to the spam folder, letting your email program manage spam for you so that it learns better over time, what is and what is not spam to you.