## **Opening Presentation Questions/Riddles**

The idea is to grab the attention of the students. Then make the connection between careers in Cyber Security and ...

- logical thinking
- need for people who think "out of the box"
- problem solving
- recognizing patterns

## **Elementary School**

- What is Cyber Security?
- What does Cyber Security mean to you?
- Who can tell me what Cyber Security is?
- Who can tell me what type of jobs you can do in the field of Cyber Security?
- When you think about Cyber Security, what do you think of?
- Who can give me some examples of careers or jobs in Cyber Security?
- How many of you have access to the internet from a computer?
- How many of you use a cell phone?
- How many of you have digital cable or satellite television?
- How many of you (or your siblings) have a Facebook account? Use Twitter?
- How many have parents that use ATM machines, credit cards, or debit cards?

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

T M C A U O H S M W T E

ANSWER: What goes up must come down

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What are the next two letters in the following series and why? W A T N T L I T F S  $\_$   $\_$ 

**ANSWER:** A and W.

The letters are the first letters of the words in the question. Thus, the next two letters are A and W.

## Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What letter is missing in this sequence?

M, A, M, J, J, A, S, O, ?

**ANSWER:** N for November

M: March A: April M: May ....and so on ...

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Can you tell us the missing number that should replace the \_\_\_\_ ? 37, 10, 82 29, 11, 47 96, 15, 87 42, \_\_\_\_, 15

**ANSWER:** The missing number that fit in ? is 6.

The number in the middle of each triple is the same as the digits of either end's number when added together. 3+7=10=8+2 and so on.

### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Solve this logical number sequence puzzle by inserting the correct digit

8080 = 6 1357 = 0 2022 = 1 1999 = 3 6666 = ?

ANSWER: 4 No Of circles in the number.

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What do the following have in common? (or what logic was used for this ordering of words)?

gun, shoe, spree, door, hive, kicks, heaven, gate, line, den

**ANSWER:** Each word rhymes with its numeric position in the list. (e.g. 'gun' rhymes with 'one', etc.)

## Middle School

- What is Cyber Security?
- What does Cyber Security mean to you?
- Who can tell me what Cyber Security is?
- Who can tell me what type of jobs you can do in the field of Cyber Security?
- When you think about Cyber Security, what do you think of?
- Who can give me some examples of careers or jobs in Cyber Security?

## Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Sherlock, a detective who was close to cracking an international smuggling ring has suddenly gone missing. While inspecting his last-known location, you find a note: 710 57735 34 5508 51 7718

Currently there are three suspects: Bill, John, and Todd. Can you break the detective's code?

**Answer:** if you read the message upside down you'll notice that the numbers resemble letters which then form two sentences. *Bill is boss. He sells oil.* 

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Decode The Message

carrot fiasco nephew spring rabbit sonata tailor bureau legacy corona travel bikini object happen soften picnic option waited effigy adverb report accuse animal shriek esteem oysterc

**ANSWER:** Starting with the first two words, Take the first and last letters, reading from left to right. Example: Carrot fiascO "from these pairs" the message is as follows:

## CONGRATULATIONS CODE BREAKER

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What number comes next in this Number series.

7855344?

\*Hint: check calender ANSWER: 6 (the number of letters in the month august)

January : 7 letters February: 8 letters March : 5 letters April : 5 letters May : 3 letters June : 4 letters July : 4 letters

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What's the next number in the pattern?
1
11
21
1211
111221
312211
13112221
?

## ANSWER: 1113213211

Explanation 1 one one => 11 two one => 21 one two , one one => 1211 one one , one two , two one => 111221 three one , two two one one => 312211 one three, one one , two two, two one =>13112221

=>one one , one three, two one, three two, one one

#### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Find The Next Number In Sequence ? 100 365 24 60 ?

#### **ANSWER:**

60.

100 years in a century, 365 days in a year, 24 hours in a day, 60 minutes in an hour, & 60 seconds in a minute.

#### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Find The Next Number In Sequence

77, 49, 36, 18 ?

#### **ANSWER:**

The next one is 8 77 : 7\*7 = 49 49 : 4\*9 = 36 36 : 3\*6 = 18 18 : 1\*8 = 8

## **High School**

- What is Cyber Security?
- What does Cyber Security mean to you?
- Who can tell me what Cyber Security is?
- Who can tell me what type of jobs you can do in the field of Cyber Security?
- When you think about Cyber Security, what do you think of?
- Who can give me some examples of careers or jobs in Cyber Security?

## Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Luis Garavito killed Density x Volume.

Who is Luis Garavito ?

**ANSWER:** He was Mass Murderer.

## Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Can you make 10 plus 4 = 2?

**ANSWER:** 10 o'clock plus 4 hours = 2 o'clock

# Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

What is the next number in this sequence, 1, 11, 21, 1211, 111221, 312211?

**ANSWER:** Next in sequence is 13112221.

This series describes each number that came before it: 1 [One] 11 [One One] 21 [Two One(s)] 1211 [One Two and One One(s)] 111221 [One One, One Two, and Two One(s)] 312211 [Three One(s), Two Two(s), and One One]

### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Identify the next two numbers in this Sequence?

101, 112, 131, 415, 161, 718, ???, ???

### **ANSWER:** 192 021

If you look at it as two-digit numbers you'll see: 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21

### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Find the next number in the sequence

1, 2, 6, 21, 88, \_\_\_?

#### **ANSWER:**

445

2=(1+1)1 6=(2+1)2 21=(6+1)3 88=(21+1)4

So 445=(88+1)5

### Can you solve this riddle? [Write on board]

Complete the pyramid by replacing ? with the correct number.

### **ANSWER:**

3 1 2 2 1 1 1 3 1 1 2 2 2 1 Read Line as one 1 => 1 Read Line 2 as two one => 2 1 Read Line 3 as one two and one one => 1 2 1 1 and so on.