

# HAPPY Holidays

## iempact

December 2020

Dear Iemas member,

This December we are celebrating the gift of life, lessons learnt throughout the year 2020 and planning for the New Year. We know that some of you will be festive shopping and travelling to many different places to visit family or just 'holidaying'. So, we have great safety tips for these activities and important news about this year's member rewards.

Use this time to focus on the 3Rs rest, relax and rejuvenate.

Stay healthy and hygienic by wearing your mask, sanitize regularly and keep a safe social distance at all the times. As your caring partner, we wish you all a happy holiday and New Year filled with many possibilities.

### Closing of the branches and offices in December

Our online and call centre channels will be available during this period, to ensure continued service: [www.iemas.co.za](http://www.iemas.co.za) / **0861 043 627**.

Please note that the branches and offices will close at **16:30 on Thursday 24 December 2020** and open at **7:45 on Monday 4 January 2021** for normal business hours.







## Safety tips for shopping during the festive season

The festive season is here and shopping centres are already crowded with families rushing to buy gifts. Sadly, crime increases during this time of the year so it is important to stay vigilant to keep you and your family safe during shopping trips.

- Check that you've locked your car when you park at the shopping centre and don't keep valuables exposed.
- Wear your mask, practise social distancing and apply hygiene practices.
- Don't lean on the escalator handrail when using escalators.
- Do not leave your bag unattended, when you stop for a bite or something to drink.
- When you return to your car, be cautious of your surroundings. If you suspect that you are being followed, do not drive directly home but go to the nearest police station.

Source: <https://randburgsun.co.za/422358/safety-tips-for-shopping-during-the-festive-season/>

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## Iemas Rewards

Every year a portion of our profit is allocated to our members through an annual reward payout – this either is a cashback or will be allocated to your loan. This year the total member rewards payout is R85.5 million.

When you use any of our products such as a loan, purchase card and car finance you become an Iemas member. The more products and services you use the more the rewards you will earn. For more information about how it works, [click here](#).



## Cybercrime is real - please be vigilant when browsing the internet

Cybercrime is constantly evolving and can take many forms including ransomware, identity theft, phishing and website hijacking. Iemas recently experienced an incident in which the Iemas website was fraudulently replicated.

Our IT and management teams resolved the issue quickly and no harm was done. However, please be vigilant when browsing the internet and alert us as

soon as you come across a website that looks like the Iemas website but has a different website address to ours ([www.iemasfinancialservices.co.za](http://www.iemasfinancialservices.co.za)). Contact us on 012 674 7000 or email us on [marketing@iemas.co.za](mailto:marketing@iemas.co.za).

## We've got VW deals just in time for your Dezemba trips

Are you travelling these holidays to visit mom, gogo, or oom? Then now is the time to make sure you have space for family and gifts.

You could get up to R 130 000 discount on the latest VW models (Ts & Cs apply). Call us on 0861 043 627 or apply online at [www.iemasfinancialservices.co.za](http://www.iemasfinancialservices.co.za).



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