

Privacy Policy for Codemino – DSA Challenge Tracker

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Introduction

Codemino – DSA Challenge Tracker ("the Extension") is a productivity tool that helps users build consistency in solving Data Structures & Algorithms (DSA) problems by enforcing daily practice routines and blocking access to distracting websites. We value your privacy and are committed to transparency about how we handle your data.

Data We Collect

Codemino does not collect or store any personally identifiable information (PII) such as name, email, age, or financial data.

To enable core functionality, we use Chrome's extension APIs that may interact with the following data locally on your browser:

- **User Activity:** We monitor tab activity and navigation behavior only to detect when users access websites marked as distractions. This is essential to block those sites until the daily challenge is completed.
- **Local Storage:** We store challenge progress, daily streaks, and user preferences locally using Chrome's storage API. No data is transmitted to any remote server or external service.
- **Alarms and Notifications:** We use Chrome's alarms and notifications APIs to send reminders about daily challenges and to celebrate user milestones like streaks.

How We Use the Data

The data accessed by Codemino is used solely for the following purposes:

- Block distracting websites until the user completes their daily DSA problem.
- Track user progress and daily streaks.
- Provide reminders and motivational feedback via notifications.

Data Sharing & Selling

We do not sell, share, or transfer any user data to third parties.

We also do not use user data for advertising, profiling, or any purpose beyond the core features described above.

Data Security

Codemino runs entirely in the browser and does not use external servers or cloud databases. All data remains under the user's control in their local Chrome profile storage and is not shared or exported.

Permissions Justification

Codemino requests only the minimum necessary permissions from Chrome to fulfill its core functionality:

- `activeTab`, `tabs`, `webNavigation`, and `declarativeNetRequest` — to detect and block distractions on specified websites.
- `alarms`, `notifications` — to manage daily reminders and send motivational alerts.
- `storage` — to store user progress and preferences locally.

We do not use remote code or dynamically execute any third-party scripts.

Contact

If you have any questions, concerns, or feedback regarding this privacy policy, please contact us at:

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Your Consent

By using the Codemino extension, you consent to the practices described in this privacy policy.