



# DAD'S NEW PASSWORD

A Pure Comedy 3-Character Screenplay in Hinglish

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**LOGLINE:** Two sons attempt to teach their father how to use online banking, but every step becomes a new argument about trust, privacy, and why a password should not be the same as the family dog's name. The father keeps changing the rules mid-lesson, exposing how little the sons actually know about his stubborn logic. The twist is that he already learned the app weeks ago and has only been pretending to be confused so they would finally sit still and talk to him.

**CAST / CHARACTERS:** FORMAT: 3-Character Short Film (Trio Cast) | Character 1: Suresh (58)

**LOCATION:** A family living room at evening, lit by a ceiling fan light and the blue glow of a laptop screen. A sofa, side table, and TV remote create a familiar domestic battleground.

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**FADE IN:**

**INT. FAMILY LIVING ROOM - EVENING**

Ceiling fan hums overhead. A laptop throws blue light across a sofa. A TV remote lies like a silent weapon on the side table. SURESH (58), kurta, spectacles, stubborn face, grips a feature phone. ROHAN (33), casual shirt, laptop under one arm, sits forward patiently. KARTIK (30), beard stubble, phone camera ON, lounges sideways, amused.

**ROHAN**

Papa, aaj final hai. Online banking. Bas app kholo, login karo, aur kaam khatam.

**SURESH**

Login? Pehle password.

**ROHAN**

Papa, password main nahi bol sakta. Privacy hoti hai.

**SURESH**

Privacy? Mere paise ka account hai, aur privacy tumhe?

Kartik grins, zooms in on his camera.

**KARTIK**

Papa, simple rakho na. Dog ka naam daal do.

Suresh slowly turns.

**SURESH**

Dog ka naam? Tum log mujhe itna hi bhola samajhte ho?

**ROHAN**

Arre nahi papa. Bas easy hota hai.

**SURESH**

Easy cheez hi toh suspicious hoti hai.

Rohan opens the laptop, takes a breath.

**ROHAN**

Theek hai. Fingerprint se login karte hain.

**SURESH**

(suspicious)

Fingerprint? Phone mera chehra pehchaan nahi raha. Main itna badal gaya?

**KARTIK**

(laughing)

Papa, gusse mein aur badal jaate ho.

**SURESH**

Camera band kar.

**KARTIK**

Nahi. Family content.

**ROHAN**

Papa, bas finger rakho.

Suresh carefully places his finger. Nothing happens.

**SURESH**

Dekha. Yeh machine bhi jhoot bol rahi hai.

**ROHAN**

Thoda right side.

**SURESH**

Finger ko right side kaise karun?

**ROHAN**

Papa, ungli ko.

**SURESH**

Ungli meri hai. Rules mere.

Kartik snorts.

**KARTIK**

Wah, democracy.

Suresh pulls out a small notebook from his kurta pocket.

**ROHAN**

Yeh kya hai?

**SURESH**

Mere rules. Pehla: password birthday nahi. Doosra: dog ka naam nahi. Teesra: jo beta zyada smart lage, usko mat batao.

Rohan and Kartik exchange a look.

**ROHAN**

Papa, yeh banking hai.

**SURESH**

Haan. Aur tum dono training mein fail ho.

**KARTIK**

Papa, OTP aaya hai.

**SURESH**

OTP? Kisne bheja?

**ROHAN**

Bank ne.

**SURESH**

Bank ko kaise pata mere phone mein message aana hai?

**ROHAN**

Papa, number linked hai.

**SURESH**

Linked? Matlab chain?

**KARTIK**

(to camera)

This is gold.

**SURESH**

Camera band kar!

Kartik lowers it a little, still recording.

**ROHAN**

Papa, OTP boliye.

**SURESH**

Main kyun bolun? Tum log hi toh sikha rahe ho.

**ROHAN**

Kyunki account aapka hai.

**SURESH**

Haan. Aur confusion tumhara.

Beat.

Suresh suddenly checks his feature phone. His face remains unreadable.

**ROHAN**

Papa?

**SURESH**

(calmly)

Hm.

**KARTIK**

Kya hua?

Suresh taps the feature phone once.

**SURESH**

Transfer successful.

Silence.

**ROHAN**

Kya?

**KARTIK**

Papa... aapne transfer kar diya?

**SURESH**

Haan. Do hafte pehle.

**ROHAN**

Toh... aap app use kar lete the?

Suresh adjusts his spectacles.

**SURESH**

Haan. Tum dono ko ek jagah baithane ka aur kya tareeka tha?

**KARTIK**

(shocked)

Papa, aapne drama kiya?

**SURESH**

Drama nahi. Parenting.

Rohan stares, then laughs despite himself.

**ROHAN**

Papa, aapne humein ullu banaya.

**SURESH**

Nahi. Tum log khud hi busy the. Main bas confusion ka Wi-Fi on karke baitha tha.

Kartik bursts out laughing, nearly dropping his phone.

**KARTIK**

This is insane.

**SURESH**

Ab kaam khatam?

**ROHAN**

Haan, papa.

Suresh places the bank card on the side table, picks up the TV remote.

**SURESH**

Achha. Toh ab asli problem solve karo.

**ROHAN**

Kya?

**SURESH**

TV ka password kya hai?

**KARTIK**

Papa, TV mein password nahi hota!

**SURESH**

Hota hoga. Tum log har cheez ko complicated bana dete ho.

Rohan and Kartik groan in unison.

**ROHAN**

Papa!

**SURESH**

(smirking)

Aur haan... Dog ka naam password nahi hota. Lekin  
idea bura bhi nahi tha.

Kartik laughs. Rohan facepalms.

**KARTIK**

Papa, aap full fraud ho.

**SURESH**

Fraud nahi. Old-school smart.

Suresh pockets his feature phone with quiet victory.

**FADE OUT.**

**THE END.**