

Vehicle Safety

Having your belongings or vehicle stolen can be very stressful and can lead to lots of inconvenience. There are some simple things you can do to minimise your risk of becoming a victim of theft.

- Make sure your vehicle is locked and all windows are up - the majority of thefts from motor vehicles are opportunistic
- Ensure there are no valuables in view from outside the vehicle
- Remove GPS units and clean the suction markings off the window
- Lock any external tool boxes and equipment on your car if they can't be removed
- If you are parking on the street, try to park in a well-lit area and that the view of the car is unobstructed
- Don't put your home address on your car key ring!
- Contact your local Police District for their next free tamper-resistant screw fitting for registration plates - stolen number plates are widely used in fraud offences
- Don't leave parking station tickets in your car - this will allow a thief to easily exit the parking station with your vehicle



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