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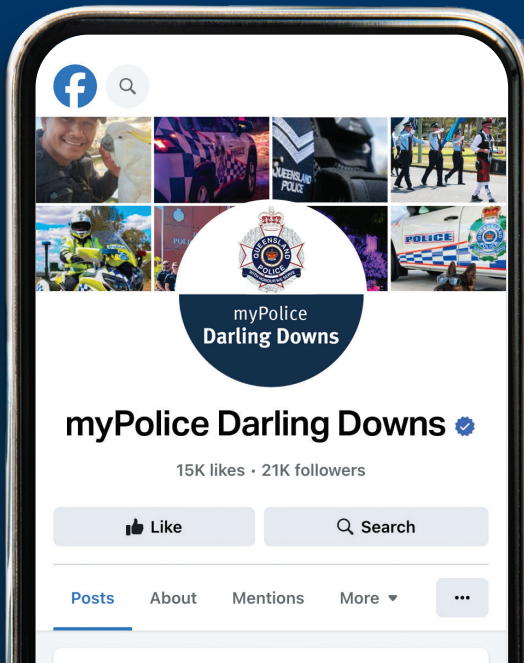
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Emergency:

Triple Zero (000)

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By working together, we can help
make our community safer
and more resilient.



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While we increase our patrols, we're also sharing insights into the way opportunistic thieves operate – and the everyday ways people can help protect their property.

Here are 6 everyday ways we can be safer together.

1. Keep a clear area around your home.

Thieves look for easy places to hide



Trim any trees or hedges that provide a hiding place around your home and consider installing motion sensor lighting if you can.

3. Consider CCTV if you can.

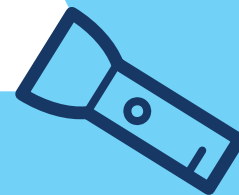
Opportunistic thieves don't like being caught on camera



CCTV can be used as evidence, so consider installing it, and register with the Community Camera Alliance.

5. Make your home look occupied.

When no-one's about, thieves like to come out



You can help by using a timer to keep your lights on at night, and a radio on during the day.

2. Check doors and windows are locked.

$\frac{1}{3}$ of home break ins are through unlocked doors and windows



You can help by always keeping them locked, even when you're home or nearby.

4. Keep valuables out of sight.

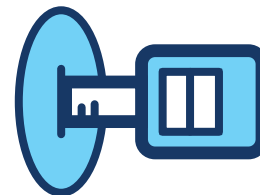
Most thieves are lazy



If they can't see quick things to steal, they move on, so secure your valuables and car keys.

6. Keep your vehicle secure.

In Queensland 1 in 2 cars are stolen using keys



You can make it harder for opportunistic thieves, by always removing keys from the ignition and keeping it locked even when you're away for a minute.