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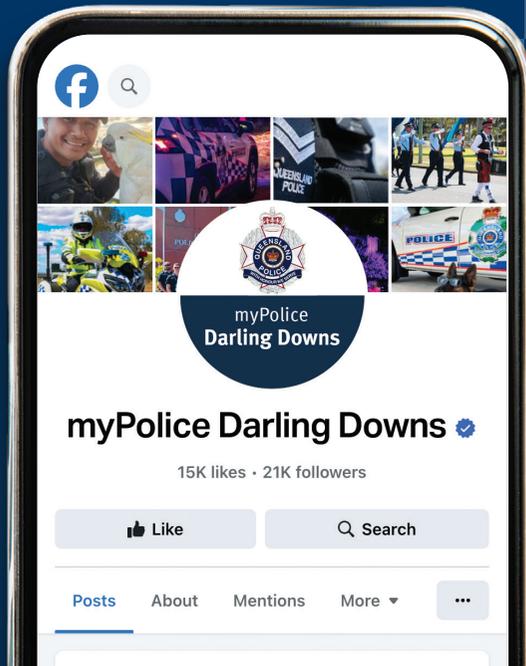
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## Reporting channels

### Emergency:

#### Triple Zero (000)

A crime is happening now

### Policelink:

Report a crime online or call 131 444

[police.qld.gov.au/policelink-reporting](http://police.qld.gov.au/policelink-reporting)

### Crime Stoppers:

Anonymous reporting of non-urgent criminal activity or suspicious activity  
1800 333 000

[crimestoppersqld.com.au](http://crimestoppersqld.com.au)



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



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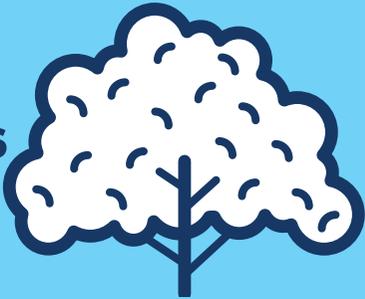


While we increase our patrols, we're also sharing insights into the way opportunistic thieves operate – and the everyday ways people can help protect their property.

## 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.

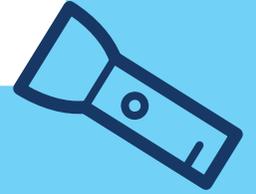
Opportunistic thieves don't like being caught on camera



✓ 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.

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.

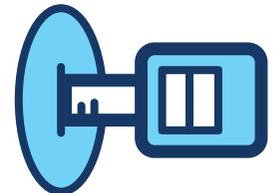
Most thieves are lazy



✓ 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.