



Residential Break and Enter



Our residents have a role to play in reducing the number of property crimes occurring in our communities. The following simple crime prevention tips are offered to help reduce your chance of becoming a victim:

In Your Home:

- Always lock all of your doors. Unlocked garage and man doors, for example, enable thieves to enter homes undetected from the outside.
- Lock your valuables in a safety deposit box.
- Install a loud audible house alarm.
- Secure your safes and lock boxes to the floor.
- Be cautious when allowing people you don't know into your home. Report any suspicious behaviour to police.
- Keep a detailed inventory of your jewellery, including photographs. This will assist officers in the event your property is stolen.
- Check with your insurance company to ensure you have adequate coverage for your valuables.
- Report suspicious people and vehicles in your neighbourhood to police immediately.
- If you encounter someone in your home, **DO NOT CONFRONT THEM**. Call 9-1-1 immediately.

By implementing some of these simple steps you can contribute to making Halton Region as safe tomorrow as it is today.