

# Richmond RCMP Crime Prevention

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## Home Security Checklist

- ◆ Are all exterior doors and their frames strong and reinforced?  
(Don't forget the door from the garage into the house or sliding glass door).  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Are 1½ inch dead bolt locks installed on all exterior doors?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Are garage doors secured and kept locked?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Are there any inside locks that can be reached and opened should the door glass or any adjacent window be broken? If yes, consider installing security film on the window.  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Is exterior lighting installed and operational at all entry points?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Are all windows fitted with security pins or other reliable latching devices?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ Is there a wide angle peep hole in all exterior doors?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- ◆ If you have window bars installed on any windows, they must be equipped with quick release devices so people can get out easily in case of fire.  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Visit [www.richmond.ca/crime](http://www.richmond.ca/crime) for an interactive web page where you can view Richmond neighbourhood maps for current crime summaries of residential and business break and enters, auto thefts, and theft from motor vehicles.

Visit <http://www.richmond.ca/safety/police/prevention/personal/homesafety.htm> for information on home security.