



## Prevent Theft from Auto

Thieves target vehicles with ANY personal items visible inside, including personal electronics, checkbooks, credit cards, CDs, spare change, etc...

Follow these tips to help reduce the chance of becoming a victim:

- Always lock your vehicle.
- Never leave personal items in your car.
- If you must leave valuables in your car, lock them in the trunk, glove compartment, or center console before arriving at your destination.
- Look around before you get out of your car. Be aware of surroundings. Report any suspicious activity immediately to the police.
- Do not leave your car running.
- Lock your garage. Unlocked cars in unlocked garages are also targets of auto theft.
- If you use an underground garage, wait for the door to close before driving away, so unwanted guests cannot enter.

Be especially alert to suspicious persons in or near underground garages. Report any suspicious activity to the police immediately.