

Property Marking



Ultraviolet (UV) pens are an effective way to mark your property without reducing the value of the item. UV pen ink is only visible under an ultraviolet light. Marking your valuable property makes ownership clear, deters theft and assists police in returning property to its rightful owner.

STEP 1

Mark with the correct code

Western Australian Police prefer property is marked using the State listed on your driver's licence and your driver's licence number

For example: WA1234567

If you do not have a driver's licence, use a close relative's or your passport or Medicare number.



STEP 3

Property Register

Property registers are the perfect addition to property marking.

A printable property register is available on the Neighbourhood Watch website at www.nhw.wa.gov.au for you to print and complete.

This register should be kept safe and a copy sent to your insurance company.

For items that cannot be marked such as jewellery, photographs should be taken and stored with your property register. A template is available from the City of Rockingham website.



STEP 2

Mark your property

The best place to mark your property is near the serial number.

If this is not possible all items should be marked on the back, in the top right hand corner or in a location that is handled the least.

Examples of items you could mark include:

- TV
- Camera
- Gaming Consoles
- Tools
- All other items of value
- Mobile Phones
- Appliances
- Bikes
- Laptop

Please note: The ink is visible at first but once dry becomes invisible.



STEP 4

Identify that your property is marked

Display property identification warning signs in a prominent position on the front and rear entrances of your home, warning that all items have been marked for police identification. Printable signs are available from the City of Rockingham website.

For more information

Please contact the City of Rockingham on 9528 0333 or customer@rockingham.wa.gov.au