



## Keep your bike secure

Follow these tips to lock thieves out and ensure your bike remains safe and secure.

- Tip 1** Get your bike security marked and registered at [BikeRegister.com](http://BikeRegister.com). Police have free marking events – check their websites.
- Tip 2** Record details of your bike. frame number, BikeRegister number, other distinguishing features, and photo.
- Tip 3** Use locks of gold 'sold secure' standard.
- Tip 4** Lock the frame and both wheels to the cycle parking stand.
- Tip 5** Make the locks and bike hard to manoeuvre. Secure your bike as close to the stand as possible.
- Tip 6** Take parts that are easy to remove with you, such as saddles and wheels or use secure skewers.
- Tip 7** Lock your bike at recognised secure cycle parking that is well lit and covered by CCTV.
- Tip 8** Take the same care to lock your bike securely at home. Bikes get stolen from communal hallways, gardens and sheds.
- Tip 9** Don't buy a stolen second-hand bike. Insist on proof of ownership and check the bike frame number at [BikeRegister.com](http://BikeRegister.com).



In Cambridge approximately **142 bikes** are stolen **every month**, this equates to more than **4 per day**."

Find more information on cycle security at:  
[www.environment.cam.ac.uk/travel](http://www.environment.cam.ac.uk/travel)  
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