

**Take 5** minutes to check

## Vehicle Safety

- Park somewhere safe – your garage, a well-lit, busy street
- If you park your vehicle in a garage remember to lock both the car and the garage
- Set the alarm/immobiliser
- Ensure all doors, windows, boots and sunroofs are closed and locked, no matter how briefly, even when paying for petrol
- Make sure the ignition key is removed if you are not in the vehicle
- Don't leave ignition keys on display at home. Thieves do break into houses to steal car keys
- Do not leave valuables and other personal possessions on display
- Do not leave money, bankbooks, debit or credit cards in your vehicle
- Driving documents/vehicle registration documents and personal correspondence should always be retained separately from your vehicle
- Keep valuables out of sight whilst driving
- Remove mobile phones and sat-navs
- Do not leave your PC in the vehicle
- Hide obvious targets – Loose change, music tapes or CDs attract thieves
- Never leave young children unattended in the vehicle