Invest in keeping your GOLD safe

The price of gold has increased dramatically and as a consequence, there have been a number of burglaries, where gold has been stolen from Asian families and neighbourhoods. Follow these tips to reduce your risk of becoming a victim:

- Consider removing jewellery from your house altogether, so if you are a victim your valuable items won't be stolen
- Use a bank safety deposit box to store gold or high value items
 If you prefer to keep your jewellery at home,
- make sure it's not left out on display and don't keep it all together in one place
- Make sure all of your jewellery is adequately covered by your insurance
- Consider installing a British Standard safe. For further information on security tested safes, visit securedbydesign.com



- Register your property on the FREE secure online database immobilise.com - that way, if police recover your property, they'll be able to return it to you
- Photograph each piece of valuable gold or jewellery with a written description
- When wearing jewellery in public, be cautious and discreet to avoid attracting unwanted attention

Deter a burglar from entering your home:

- If you are going an event, such as a wedding or attending prayers check all your doors and windows are locked properly
- Use timer switches on lamps to give the impression somebody is at home or keep a light on in the evening when you go out
- Consider installing an alarm or CCTV camera

Reporting a crime

In an emergency (if there's an intruder in your home and a crime is taking place at the time) always call 999.

Alternatively to report a crime that has already taken place, or for advice, please call 101



