Crime Prevention
An Educational Coloring & Activity Book

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Safety is everyone's concern. It is important to know how to protect yourself, your family and even your friends. If you pay attention and follow some rules you can feel safe in your home and neighborhood.

If you become lost, it is important to know your name and address.
If there is an emergency you should know how to call for help.

**CALL 9-1-1 for help!**

Calmly tell the operator the problem and stay on the phone until help arrives. Be certain to know your name and address so that they can respond quickly.

Your Name: ____________________________

Your Address: __________________________

Your Phone Number: _____________________

Parent’s Work Phone: ___________________

Relative or Friend Phone Number: ________
If you need to be at home alone, always be certain to keep the doors and windows closed and locked.

Never tell anyone you are home alone.

Unscramble the Words.

1. ntioeivprne ____________________________

2. teyasf _________________________________

3. obeihodgnrho __________________________

4. erfaulc ________________________________

5. sdinefr ________________________________

6. elborspines _____________________________

ANSWERS 1. prevention 2. safety 3. neighborhood 4. careful 5. friends 6. responsible
It is always best to walk with a friend or group of friends so that you can look out for each other.
How aware are you?

What do you do if you see someone else committing or about to commit a crime? It is best to report what you see to an adult or police officer. It is important to remember as much as you can about what you saw so that you can give a good description.

Try this memory quiz!

Look briefly at the picture of the boys trying to break into a home. Now, without looking at the picture, write down as many things as you remember about what is happening.

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Did you remember what they were wearing? Which boy was trying to open the window? What was he using? Did either boy wear glasses? A hat? Was either tall, short or were they the same height?
Walk with the confidence of someone who knows where they are going. Don’t look like a victim!

Find your way through the maze!

Start

Finish
Never play in or around abandoned cars or buildings. Don’t approach stray cats or dogs. **Never** take anything from someone you don’t know, even if it is another child.
Be aware! Try to notice what is happening and who is around you whenever you are outside your home. Don’t ever wander into strange, dark or deserted areas. Try to walk along busy, well-lit places.
Talk with your family and friends about ways to help keep your neighborhood safe.

How many words can you make out of

NEIGHBORHOOD
Taking care of your possessions helps prevent crime.

If you always put something away after using it and clearly mark your name on your possessions, you are helping make your neighborhood safer.

Mark a red X over the items that you should never play with and a blue circle around the items that are safe.
Find and circle the words in the puzzle.

PROPERTY
CRIME
SAFETY
ADDRESS
LOCKS
PREVENT
FRIENDS
CAREFUL
AWARE
FAMILY
If you need to be at home alone, always be certain to keep the doors and windows closed and locked.

Can you fill in the missing word to finish the sentences?

1. Always keep doors and windows __________.

2. Know your __________ and ____________.

3. Never tell anyone when you are home __________.

4. Don’t approach stray __________ or __________.

5. Never take anything from a ________________.

6. Be ____________!

ANSWERS: 1. locked 2. name and address 3. alone 4. dogs or cats 5. stranger 6. ware
I, __________________________, understand that safety is everyone’s concern. It is important I know how to protect myself. I will pay attention and follow some rules and do everything possible to help feel safe in my home and neighborhood.

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(YOUR SIGNATURE)
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