



## MARKING + RECORDING VALUABLES

Are you marking and recording your valuables? If not, you should be.

Whether it's a bicycle, electronics, tools, jewellery, artwork or instruments - recording serial numbers and/or engraving your most valuable possessions and keeping these details in a safe place can help in any efforts to recover your property after it's been lost or stolen. In the event these items go missing, Police can use this information to assist with locating your property. It also combats the sale of stolen goods (a tool with someone else's name and drivers license engraved on it is a red flag to potential second hand buyers) and can also expedite an insurance or proof of ownership claim.

Just like every other aspect of modern life, there are apps available to help you track serial numbers. A quick visit to the App Store or Google Play will yield apps that make recording and storing these important numbers much easier. In addition to recording serial numbers, some of these apps also allow users to take and store photos of their property.

For those looking for a simpler solution, use the following template to record important details about your possessions.

Property Type	Description / Make / Model	Serial Number / Engraving

