



Home Security Sign: Helps to Deter Crime

Burglars tend to avoid homes with security systems fitted. For them it is just one more hurdle to overcome if they are to steal from your home. Some security systems provide a home security sign to be erected at the front of the house, as well as stickers for the windows and doors that warn would-be intruders that a security system is installed. Although it is known that some homes put up signs without having a security system fitted, the burglar can never be sure if these are dummies or not. This will provide minimum “peace of mind” BUT obviously is NOT as effective as a professionally installed security system.

Whatever signs are displayed, a would-be burglar intent on gaining access to your home may be prepared to take a chance. If a window or door is opened and no security system is present they will either seize the opportunity to rob you then or maybe return another day.

Most Alarms Are Supplied With Signs

In the event you have a security system fitted, most alarm products are provided with a sign. Make sure that the sign is erected in a conspicuous location - so that it is easily noticed. In the event that you are on a tight budget and currently cannot afford a professionally installed security system, you could consider erecting dummy cameras and/or alarm sirens. These can be fitted in addition to or instead of a security sign and would serve the same purpose. An intruder still has to judge whether they are real or not. Dummy cameras pointing at a front entrance have been known to persuade burglars to look elsewhere.

As mentioned having a FULLY professionally installed security system is the most effective path to deter (and hopefully STOP) any would-be intruders. However, if budget restraints limit your home security measures then a home security sign will go some way to deterring possible crime.