Parents and Children Involvement in Prevention, Protection and Personal Safety Checklist

Now that you have learned about the Department of Correction, the Correction Officer's responsibilities, and the importance of prevention, Officer Correct would like you to conduct your own tour and security protection checklist of your home with your parents. While your family is inspecting your home, this survey will help pinpoint new ways you and your family can improve personal safety at home.

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| Are the locks on your most used outside doors of the cylinder type? | | 0 |
| 2. Are they of either the deadlocking or jimmy-proof type? | | |
| 3. Do you use chain locks or other auxiliary locks on most used doors? | | 0 |
| 4. Do the doors without cylinder locks have a heavy bolt or some similar secure device that can be operated only from the inside? | | 0 |
| Can all of your doors (basement, porch, balcony) be securely locked? | | |
| 6. Do your basement doors have locks that allow you to isolate that part of your house? | 0 | |
| 7. Are your locks all in good repair? | | |
| 8. Do you know everyone who has a key to your house? | 0 | |
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| 9 | Are your window locks properly and securely mounted? | | |
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| 10 | Do you keep your windows locked when they are shut? | | |
| 11 | . Do you use locks that allow you to lock a window that is partly open? | | |
| 12 | . In high hazard locations, do you use bers or ornamental grille? | | |
| 13 | Are you as careful of basement and second floor windows as you are of those on the first floor? | | |
| 14 | . Do you lock your garage door at night? | | |
| 15 | Do you lock your garage when you are away from home? | | |
| 16 | Do you have good, secure locks on the garage doors and windows? | | |
| 17 | Do you lock your car and take the keys out even when it is parked in your garage? | | 0 |
| 18. | Do you stop all deliveries or arrange for neighbors to pick up papers, milk, mail, packages? | | 0 |
| 19. | Do you notify a neighbor or family member? | | |
| 20. | Do you notify your police? They provide extra protection for vacant homes. | | |
| 21. | Do you leave some shades up so the house doesn't look deserted? | 0 | |
| 22. | Do you plan so that you do not need to "hide" a key under the door mat? | | |
| 23. | Do you keep as much cash as possible and other valuables in a bank? | | |
| 24. | Do you keep a list of all valuable property? | | |
| 25. | Do you have a list of the serial numbers of your watches, cameras, typewriters and similar items? | 0 | |
| 26. | Do you have a description of other valuable property that does not have a number? | | _ |
| 27. | Do you avoid unnecessary display or publicity of your valuables? | | |
| 28. | Have you told your family what to do if they discover a burglar breaking in or already in the house? | | |
| 29. | Have you told your family to leave the house undisturbed and call the police if they discover a burglary has been committed? | | |
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YES

NO