# Tips for Crime Prevention! 防犯対策のヒント!

Nowadays it is not always true that Japan is a safe country. It is recommended for you to protect yourselves with the following tips.

## ◆ While you stay at home… / 在宅中…

Never open the door before identifying visitors!

Avoid revealing that you live alone!

ex. When you dry your laundry, hide it from the public eye. Choose simple curtains for your safety.

When looking for an apartment

It is generally safer to live;

- on the second-floor or higher
- in an apartment building with automated locks





### ◆ When you go out… / 外出するとき…

No matter how short you go out, make sure to <a href="Iock doors!">Iock doors!</a>





#### ◆ While you go out··· / 外出中···

If you have a handbag or purse, hold them with a hand opposite to the street.

Avoid dark and lonely roads at night.

\*Take well-lighted main streets even if it requires you to make a detour.

Listening to music by wearing <a href="headphones">headphones</a> will shut out noise around you. It is <a href="mailto:dangerous">dangerous</a>!

Walking while using your smartphone will shut out your surroundings, too.

Holding a 'crime prevention buzzer' to protect yourselves.

XYou can purchase the buzzer at 100-yen shops.

# too.

### ◆ When you come home… / 帰宅するとき…

Make sure of being <u>no one around you before opening the door</u>. And after unlocking the door, get inside the home immediately and make sure to **lock the door!** 

### ◆ Bicycle / 自転車

<u>Park</u> your <u>bicycle</u>, <u>motorcycle</u> and <u>car</u> <u>at parking area</u>, and remember to <u>lock them</u>.

- **\*Bicycle theft prevention registration** is required by law.
- **\*Bicycle insurance** is also required by Osaka Prefecture Ordinance.

Ride a bicycle safely and follow the traffic rules.

Still, if you become a victim, report to the nearest police station and your faculty office staff.

Come to IRIS whenever you need help.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*Personal information/個人情報の取り扱い\*\*\*\*\*

<u>Do not give a third party personal information</u> such as names, phone numbers and e-mail addresses of your own and you get in various groups, <u>without consent</u>. In addition, <u>be careful to handle such personal information</u>, <u>pictures and videos</u> when posting on social media.