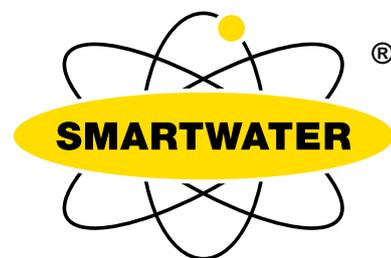


SMARTWATER[®] SIGNAGE



Information for Churches and Historical Buildings

This document has been prepared to help you most effectively use your SmartWater THIEVES BEWARE[®] signage in order to create a deterrent.

It is important that signage be prominently displayed around your church to warn thieves that your property is protected and that lead and other valuables are traceable if stolen. Criminals hate traceability because it increases their chances of detection and arrest. Consequently they are more likely to avoid anything that they know is marked with SmartWater. Amongst certain insurers, correctly displaying the signage may be a condition of your insurance policy.

WHERE TO DISPLAY SMARTWATER SIGNAGE

When purchasing SmartWater solution you will also receive different types of signage which should be displayed in the correct locations and in plain sight.

A5 Corex signboards

Signboards should be used as your first line of defence against thieves. They are the largest type of SmartWater signage provided to churches and historical buildings, so are the easiest to see. Use them around the perimeter of your grounds as well as at access points to buildings.



Gates



Perimeter fences



Through-routes



Doors

Their purpose is to alert criminals to the presence of SmartWater and deter them before any actual crime has taken place. Signage may also be placed on exterior noticeboards. It is not recommended that signboards be displayed on interior noticeboards as they are unlikely to be seen by criminals until it is too late.



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OUTDOOR STICKERS

It is recommended that outdoor stickers be displayed at eye-line level in locations where a criminal may seek to gain direct access to the roof. They can also be placed on large exterior assets that may be targeted by thieves, such as benches or wheelie bins.



Remember, thieves will often disguise themselves as legitimate workmen, wearing high-visibility jackets and using ladders to steal lead. Therefore it's important that stickers are used in close proximity to areas where criminals can easiest gain roof access. They may also use wheelie bins to gain roof access, so these should be securely stored away when not in use.

TAMPER-PROOF STICKERS

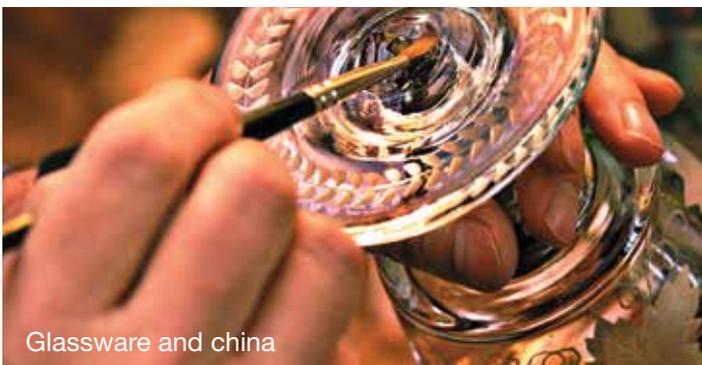
SmartWater isn't just for protecting exterior metals, it can also be used to protect all kinds of valuables stored inside. Tamper-proof stickers should be displayed on items that may be targeted by thieves during a burglary, such as ornaments, as well as IT equipment, tools, televisions and kitchen appliances.



Tamper-proof stickers are designed to be very difficult to remove and will not simply peel off. You should prioritise the use of these stickers on items that have a high value or may be taken off site for official business, such as computer tablets and cameras.

MARKING INTERIOR ITEMS

When applying SmartWater to interior valuables only a very small amount of solution is needed. Typically one small brush stroke in an inconspicuous area is sufficient per item. Always carefully read the application instructions provided with your SmartWater pack before applying any solution. If you require further guidance please contact SmartWater's Customer Services team on 0333 320 7797.



PURCHASING ADDITIONAL SOLUTION AND STICKERS

If you require additional supplies of SmartWater or you want to either refresh or improve your external signage, please call SmartWater's Customer Services team on 0333 320 7797.

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