Protect your identity

A Canadian passport is a valuable identification document. Lost or stolen passports are prized documents for criminal activities. Losing a passport in Canada or abroad can be a stressful experience.

It is your responsibility to protect this document at all times. Should your passport be lost or stolen in Canada, you must notify the local police and Passport Canada immediately. Should your passport be lost or stolen while you are abroad, you must immediately report the incident to the local police and the nearest Canadian government office.

This brochure presents ways to protect and prevent against the misuse of your passport.

Safeguard your passport

Losing your passport can cause travel delays, discomfort and unnecessary expenses. Take all the necessary precautions to secure this document.

Find out the essential steps you need to take if your passport is lost or stolen and protect yourself from identity theft.