

Cannington Security Report

Local security guide - Cannington WA 6107 - South-east Perth, City of Canning

About Cannington

Cannington is about 12 km south-east of the Perth CBD.

Cannington is the commercial centre of the City of Canning, built around the Westfield Carousel shopping centre on Albany Highway, with the train station and bus interchange nearby. WA Police recorded 3,596 selected offences in Cannington in 2025-26, up from 3,391 the year before. Stealing accounted for 1,725 of them, nearly half. The locality includes the shopping centre and its car parks, and the published figures do not show how many offences happened there.

Housing and local context

Housing stock: Brick-and-tile houses from the 1960s and 1970s, villas and townhouses on subdivided blocks, apartments near the station.

Residential Cannington is mostly brick-and-tile houses built from the 1960s onward, many on blocks that have been split to add villas, duplexes and townhouses with shared driveways. Apartments have been built near the station and Albany Highway, and the area around the shopping centre also has offices, car yards and light industry. Homes often have a carport or garage straight off the driveway, while businesses along the highway have wide frontages and customer car parks that are empty after hours.

Common security concerns in Cannington

- Theft from cars in shopping centre and street car parks
- Shared driveways and carports on subdivided blocks
- Businesses on Albany Highway with car parks that sit empty after hours

Local tip: Keep keys and garage remotes out of the car

With so much of Cannington's recorded crime being theft, keep car keys, garage remotes and gate fobs out of parked cars, both at the shops and in your own driveway. A stolen remote or spare key opens the house as well. A camera and sensor light covering the driveway and garage door adds a record if someone tries a car at night.

Security providers servicing Cannington

A1 Locksmiths - Locksmiths

Licence 2714 | ABN 38 177 084 750 | 1800 215 625 | <https://www.a1locksmiths.com.au/>

Granite IT - Cybersecurity for Business

Licence not published | ABN 73 603 096 555 | 08 6165 4937 | <https://graniteit.com.au/>

Great White Security - CCTV & Camera Installation

Licence 79960 | ABN 40 765 762 050 | 0413 346 978 | <https://www.greatwhitesecurity.com/>

HCSWA - CCTV & Camera Installation

Licence 53987 | ABN 61 609 953 120 | 08 9329 9999 | <https://hcswa.com.au/>

Lock, Stock & Farrell - Locksmiths

Licence 909 | ABN 73 097 119 536 | 08 6350 8500 | <https://lockstock.com.au/>

Managed ICT Solutions - Cybersecurity for Business

Licence not published | ABN 86 658 753 809 | 08 9242 4511 | <https://www.managedictsolutions.com.au/>

NEXA Security - Security Guards & Patrols

Licence 58699 | ABN 84 690 534 000 | 0407 879 304 | <https://nexasecurity.com.au/>

SC Installations - CCTV & Camera Installation

Licence 55725 | ABN 25 618 206 410 | 1300 154 592 | <https://scinstallations.com.au/>

South Perth Locksmiths - Locksmiths

Licence not published | 0477 724 100 | <https://www.southperthlocksmiths.com.au/>

Westwide Security - Security Guards & Patrols

Licence 51984 | ABN 74 665 241 396 | 0423 227 508 | <https://www.westwidesecurity.com.au/>

Before you hire: checklist

- Look up the licence number on the relevant state regulator register and confirm it is current.
- Check the ABN on the Australian Business Register (abr.business.gov.au).
- Hardwired 240V work needs a licensed electrician; in-wall data cabling needs an ACMA-registered cabler.
- For guards and patrols, confirm both the firm licence and each attending officer's licence.
- Get at least three written quotes listing camera models, recorder storage and warranty.
- Aim cameras at your own property and consider disabling audio on cameras facing shared areas.