How to change a lock & fix a plug

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- How to fix your lock without making use of a locksmith
- Identifying the type of lock for your door
- How to fix your plug without making use of an electrician
- Knowing the right plug for appliance
- Safety precautions



Changing a door lock

3 step method

When moving into a new home, it is a good idea to change the locks on your doors. You don't need to call a locksmith since this is a quick and easy procedure

Choosing the right lock

2/3 LEVER

- Mainly used for internal doors
- Open key-way
- Safety block small

 Mainly used for external doors

4/5 LEVER

- Key-way enclosed
- Safety block large
- Has anti-pick and anti-drill features





Buy a new lock

- Check the brand of your old door lock. This will reduce the chances of making adjustments to the door frame
- Check the size of old lock and compare with new one. Make sure the latch is the same size as the old one
- Buy the new lock

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Step 2

Remove the old lock

- Remove screws
- Pull each half of the door knob away from the door
- Remove screws on the latch







Install the new lock

- This is the exact opposite of removing the old lock
- Put the lock into place and insert screws into the latch
- Lock and unlock the door a couple of times to make sure the lock is working properly

NB: Do this while the door is open

> Depending on where your door is facing, you might have to turn the head of your lock around



Questions?

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Fixing a plug

Before throwing away your appliance or extension cord, check plug and see if it's broken and if you can fix it

Common mistakes

- Pulling the cord, not the plug
- Over-bending of cord
- Breakages on the cord

 Check Voltage (V) and amp (A) on appliance and find a plug that's suitable



Cut the cord
Peel cord
Strip insulation
Turn wires
Open plug
Check connection (N, L, E)
Fix wires correctly





Make sure wires are not too long to avoid touching

- No exposed wires (copper)
- Clamp cable to avoid wires pulling out
 Replace cap



Questions?

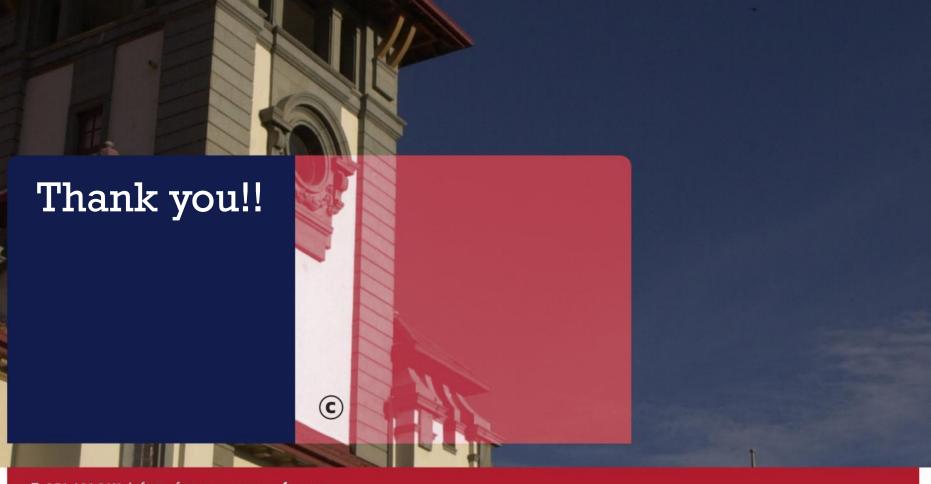
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