



PARIS METRO SAFETY GUIDE

The most common type of crime on the Paris Metro is pickpocketing. Pickpockets can take your valuables from your jacket, pants pocket or purse without you ever realizing it.

Here are some useful tips:

- Be aware of your surroundings. Look alert and notice the people around you. Be aware of anyone “hanging around” or strangers who try to strike up a conversation and touch you casually.
- Don’t tempt a thief. Keep your smartphone, tablette, camera, wallet and passport hidden. A better idea is to keep money and valuables in a security waistband, or “fanny pack”. Leave jewelry or any unnecessary valuables at home.
- Don’t look like a tourist. Blend in with the crowd by keeping maps and guidebooks closed until you exit the Metro.