8.10 Self-check

1 Choose the odd one out in each group.

0	prime minster	(elections)	president	queen
1	separation	assassination	humiliate	segregation
2	mugger	arson	burglary	drug dealing
3	thief	robbery	vandal	murderer
4	suspect	victim	witness	crime
5	shoplift	steal	vandalise	burglar

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2 Change the underlined words to give the opposite meaning. The first letter of each word is given.

0 I thought the programme about piracy was boring. fascinating

1 This is the only place in the market where you can buy fake watches. g_____

2 The celebrity shoplifter's court case will begin tomorrow. e_____

3 The answer to question number 5 is true. f_____

4 The judge in the corruption case said the minister was guilty. i_____

5 Did he tell the truth? I'm not sure I believe him. a l_____

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3 Complete the words in the sentences. Some letters are given.

0 Police have arrested three **s**uspect**s** in the murder case but they don't have a lot of evidence yet.

1 Last night a man was **m**_____**d** outside his home. Police say the dead man was a drug dealer.

2 **V**_____**s** sprayed graffiti and broke windows at a shopping centre on Friday evening.

3 Police are currently interviewing two **w**_____**s** who saw the thief when he was leaving the jewellery store.

4 The arsonist had set **f**_____**e** to the car while the owners were away on holiday.

5 **S**_____**g** is a real problem. Our chain of stores loses thousands of euros every year.

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4 Complete the sentences with the Past Simple or Past Perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

0 Connor had forgotten (forget) to wash his hands before he sat down for dinner.

1 Eliza _____ (be) sad because her boyfriend hadn't remembered her birthday.

2 When Neil arrived at the restaurant, everyone _____ (already/order) their food.

3 By the time Jill _____ (get) home, it had started to snow.

4 Linda felt much better after she _____ (speak) to her best friend about the problem.

5 Luckily, I had just left Jeanette's house when I _____ (realise) I didn't have my keys

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5 Complete the reported statements.

0 Ross said, 'I am a witness.'
Ross told me he was a witness.

1 Abi said, 'I'm waiting for the police to arrive.'
Abi told us _____ for the police to arrive.

2 Nick said, 'I didn't tell the truth.'
Nick said _____ the truth.

3 Catherine said, 'I've never been a victim of crime.'
Catherine told them _____ a victim of crime.

4 Amy said, 'I didn't steal anything.'
Amy said _____ anything.

5 Mia said, 'I'm reading a crime story.'
Mia told me _____ a crime story.

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6 Choose the correct answer, A, B or C, to complete both sentences in each pair.

0 We are going to ___ the new James Bond film tonight. I don't need a ___ because I've got the time on my phone.
A see B clock (C watch)

1 Jenny told ___ she was going to be late. Hey! Those belong to ___. You can't just use my things.
A me B I C that

2 The judge said the suspect was ___ guilty and sent him home. I didn't recognise the man because I had ___ seen him before.
A definitely B not C never

3 Two men were arrested yesterday for dealing ___ at a party. Grandma takes several different ___ each day to keep her healthy.
A cases B pirate software C drugs

4 The mugger ___ a knife in his jacket. The suspect said she ___ left the building half an hour before the fire started.
A has B had C have

5 Police found ___ in the back of the woman's car. ___ suggests that teenagers need much more sleep than adults.
A witnesses B courts C evidence

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