

BREAKING THE LAW

1. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb.

- a) If she stole clothes from a shop, she would be a _____.
- b) The police has found the _____ who sold illegal substances in the outskirts of the city.
- c) _____ have increased by 10% among houses in this suburb.
- d) Citizens are asking for police protection after all the _____ cases.
- e) Voters are concerned after the discovery of new _____ cases.
- f) _____ will face tougher sentences for raping.

2. Match the terms with their definitions.

- a) an attempt to make someone do something for you by giving the person money
- b) the crime of intentionally damaging property belonging to other people
- c) the crime of intentionally killing a person
- d) the crime of illegally entering a building and stealing things
- e) an act of attacking someone and stealing their money
- f) the behaviour of a violent person who fights or causes damage in public places, specially sporting events
- g) the act of getting money from people or forcing them to do something by threatening to tell a secret of theirs or to harm them

1. blackmailing

5. hooliganism

2. murder

6. vandalism

3. bribery

7. mugging

4. burglary

3. Choose the right word to complete each sentence.

- a) My brother was *robbed* / *stolen* yesterday.
- b) Someone *robbed* / *stole* my bike last night.
- c) My local bank has been *robbed* / *stolen*.
- d) Who has *robbed* / *stolen* my pen?
- e) Someone *robbed* / *stole* our TV when we were on holiday.
- f) Where were you when your keys were *robbed* / *stolen*?
- g) Someone *robbed* / *stole* the statue in the park.