

1 Write the words for the criminals.

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| 1 | pickpocketing | <i>pickpocket</i> |
| 2 | burglary | _____ |
| 3 | vandalism | _____ |
| 4 | theft | _____ |
| 5 | shoplifting | _____ |
| 6 | hacking | _____ |

2 Write the correct crimes for the definitions.

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| 1 | destroying or damaging things that belong to others on purpose | <i>vandalism</i> |
| 2 | illegally accessing information from computer systems | _____ |
| 3 | the crime of stealing | _____ |
| 4 | stealing from another person's pockets | _____ |
| 5 | stealing from a shop | _____ |
| 6 | entering a building illegally to steal | _____ |

3 Complete the sentences with words related to crime from Exercise 1.

- 1 There was a burglary at my grandma's house last night and they stole all her jewellery.
- 2 Our neighbour was caught _____ at the supermarket.
- 3 The _____ had to pay a fine for stealing the man's wallet.
- 4 My brother knows someone who was arrested for _____ into the school's email account.
- 5 The _____ robbed a bank on the High Street and got away with thousands of pounds.

4 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

each other ~~herself~~ itself myself
themselves yourself

- 1 She bought herself a new dress in the sales.
- 2 The cat hurt itself when it jumped onto the roof.
- 3 The hackers taught themselves how to break into the bank's computer system.
- 4 I really enjoyed myself at the concert.
- 5 Let's call each other at the weekend to make plans.
- 6 Did you see him in the newspaper? Well done for catching that thief!

5 Use the clues to complete the text.

The Daily News

Police finally arrest Lightfingers Fred, the professional
¹ _____ thief _____ who has committed many crimes over
 the last few years. His illegal acts include ² _____
 from stores across town, the ³ _____ of lots of
 cars and buildings, and ⁴ _____ in up to ten
 houses in the Greenfields neighbourhood.
 Lightfingers Fred is part of a larger criminal group who
 teach ⁵ _____ how to steal and rob banks. Fred
 has even helped ⁶ _____ to more than 50 wallets
 over the years as a ⁷ _____ in action on the
 streets, stealing from innocent people.
 But Fred now will go to prison and there will be no
 more ⁸ _____ from him. Now the police just need
 to catch the other criminals!

- 1 a person who commits a crime
- 2 stealing from a shop
- 3 damaging things that belong to others
- 4 entering a building illegally to steal
- 5 one another
- 6 for him
- 7 a person who steals from another's pockets
- 8 the crime of stealing