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ORDEN DE LA COMPAÑÍA DE MARÍA NUESTRA SEÑORA

**ENGLISH 5th - READING PRACTICE**

Level: Intermediate Time: 15' Teacher: Maria C. A.

Function: to read and understand details and specific information crime fiction.

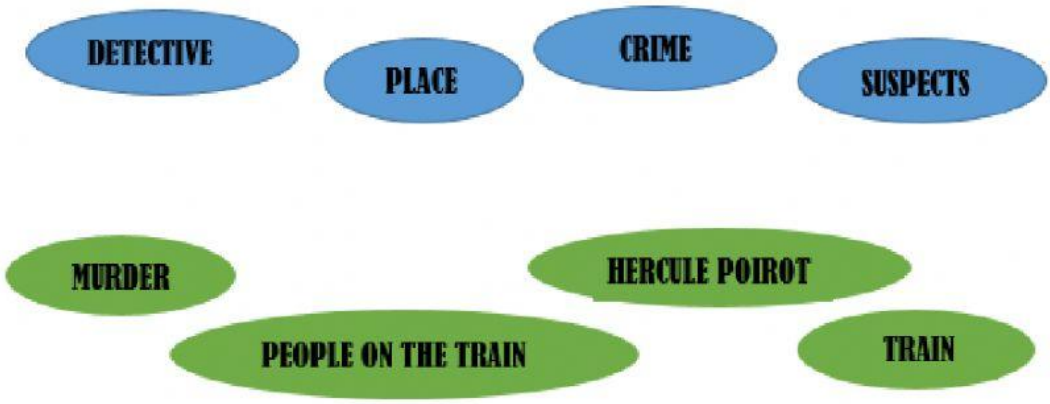
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1. Read and match.

## Murder on the Orient Express

Hercule Poirot was travelling on the Orient Express. On his second night on the train, he woke up because there were strange noises. The next morning someone found a dead body in the compartment next to his. Poirot investigated and found out that the dead man was also a murderer. Poirot also though that other people on the train were happy because the man was dead.

But who killed the man? And, Did Poirot have enough time to solve the murder before the train arrived?




2. Read and choose if the statement is true (T) or false (F)

## The Purse Snatcher

Mary was going to a meeting at the park. She was walking down the sidewalk and saw a woman jogging towards her. "I should start jogging, too," thought Mary. Just then, the woman grabbed Mary's purse off of her shoulder. Mary tried to hold on to her purse, but she could not. Mary ran after the woman, but she could not catch her. The woman was gone and so was the purse with all of Mary's money, her driver's license, and her credit card. She could replace those. In her purse Mary also had special pictures of her daughter and her son. Those she could not replace. Mary was very angry and very sad.

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| a. Mary was talking on the phone. | T | F |
| b. A woman carried off Mary's purse. | T | F |
| c. Mary tried to hold on her mobile phone. | T | F |
| d. The purse had Mary's computer and her credit card. | T | F |
| e. Mary's purse had her children's pictures. | T | F |

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