

Spotlight 11, module 3a

Name _____

Vocabulary

1 Look at the newspaper extracts (1-5) and fill in: mugging, vandals, kidnapping, burglary, pickpocket.

1 News was released yesterday of the _____ of multi-millionaire businessman. George Multiband. It is believed a note was left demanding \$500,000 for his safe return...

2 Caver stone City Hall's walls were spray painted by _____ last night, the second such act in one month. PC Robert Hogarth said...

3 _____ was caught yesterday at Red borough Shopping Centre after a shopper reported seeing him steal a purse from an elderly woman's handbag...

4 Home owners in the Darlington Circle area expressed their concern today as they learned of a _____ at one of their neighbors' homes.

5 A 16-year-old boy is recovering in hospital this morning after a violent _____ the attacker stole the victim's mobile phone and left the teenager bruised and shaken up...

2 Choose the correct item.

1 As she was seen at the scene of the crime, the lady is being treated as a _____.

2 It is a criminal _____ to sell stolen property.

3 Its _____ not to wear a seat belt while driving in the UK.

4 The punishment for electronic fraud is up to ten years' _____.

5 The accused was _____ not guilty and released from prison.

3 Use the phrases to complete the sentences.

• *made off* • *found guilty* • *pay a fine* • *do community service* • *prison sentence*

• *got off with a warning* • *broke the law* • *went to court*

- 1 Yesterday, my mum _____ to give evidence in a criminal trial.
- 2 Anyone caught speeding will have to _____ of \$60.
- 3 The robbers broke into the shop and _____ with \$100,000 worth of jeweler.
- 4 The young shoplifter _____ because it was his first offence.
- 5 Catherine _____ by illegally downloading music.
- 6 The burglar was given an 11-month _____.
- 7 The judge told the vandal he would have to _____ in the area he lived.
- 8 She was _____ of the murder of Jessie Roberts.

4 Match the words.

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| 1 security | a crime |
| 2 investigate | b fine |
| 3 prison | c sentence |
| 4 life | d offence |
| 5 heavy | e evidence |
| 6 driving | f station |
| 7 police | g guard |
| 8 give | h imprisonment |