

1 Write the words for the criminals.

- 1 pickpocketing*pickpocket*.....
- 2 burglary
- 3 vandalism
- 4 theft
- 5 shoplifting
- 6 hacking

2 Write the correct crimes for the definitions.

- 1 destroying or damaging things that belong to others on purpose
vandalism.....
- 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 when it jumped onto the roof.
- 3 The hackers taught how to break into the bank's computer system.
- 4 I really enjoyed at the concert.
- 5 Let's call at the weekend to make plans.
- 6 Did you see 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 will now 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