

Complete the texts with the words in the boxes. Use each word once only.

community service fine graffiti judges prison sentence

1 _____ is a common problem in most cities. Generally it is not considered to be a serious crime and the punishment is usually a 2 _____. Sometimes people have to carry out 3 _____ cleaning up the walls of the city. Occasionally though 4 _____ will decide to give a short 5 _____ of a few weeks.

shoplifter shoplifting steal theft thief

According to psychologists, it is quite easy to identify a 6 _____. They will look around a lot and move faster or slower than normal, or they may wear baggy clothes. Perhaps the best way to stop 7 _____ is to ask people if they need help. If the person is a _____ 8, they will decide this isn't a good place to 9 _____ from and will move on to somewhere where their 10 _____ isn't so likely to be noticed.

arrested fraud investigating police officers victims

A man has been 11 _____ for carrying out what is known as romance 12 _____. He met women online and pretended to be in love with them in order to get them to give him money. 13 _____ who were 14 _____ the crime say that his nineteen 15 _____ gave him more than £800,000.