

Crime and punishment

VOCABULARY BANK

1 CRIMES AND CRIMINALS

- a Match the examples to the crimes in the chart.
- A They took a rich man's son and then asked for money for his safe return.
 - B He deliberately drove above the speed limit and caused a fatal accident.
 - C Two passengers took control of the plane and made the pilot land in the desert.
 - D Someone copied my handwriting and signed my name to a check.
 - E We came home from vacation and found that our TV was gone.
 - F A teenager got into the Pentagon's computer system and downloaded some secret data.
 - G When the border police searched his car, it was full of cigarettes.
 - H Someone threw paint on the statue in the park.
 - I He said he'd send the photos to a newspaper if the actress didn't pay him a lot of money.
 - J An armed man in a mask walked into a store and shouted, "Give me all the money in the cash register."
 - K The company accountant was transferring money into his own bank account.
 - L The builder offered the mayor a free apartment in return for giving his company permission to build a new apartment building on some wetlands.
 - M They committed a violent crime to cause fear among the civilians.
 - N Somebody stole my car last night from outside my house.
 - O A man held out a knife and made me give him my wallet.
 - P A woman followed a pop singer everywhere he went, watching him and sending him constant messages on the Internet.

	Crime	Criminal	Verb	
1	blackmail /'blækmeɪl/	blackmailer	blackmail	
2	bribery /'brɪəbəri/	-	bribe	
3	burglary /'bɜːgləri/	burglar	break in / burgle	
4	forgery /'fɔːdʒəri/	forgery	forge	
5	fraud /frɔːd/	fraudster	commit fraud	
6	hacking /'hækɪŋ/	hacker	hack (into)	
7	hijacking /'haɪdʒækɪŋ/	hijacker	hijack	
8	kidnapping /'kɪdnæpɪŋ/	kidnapper	kidnap	A
9	mugging /'mʌɡɪŋ/	mugger	mug	
10	murder /'mɜːdə/	murderer	murder	
11	robbery /'rɒbəri/	robber	rob	
12	smuggling /'smʌɡlɪŋ/	smuggler	smuggle	
13	stalking /'stɔːkɪŋ/	stalker	stalk	
14	terrorism /'terərɪzəm/	terrorist	use violent actions, etc.	
15	theft /θeft/	thief	steal	
16	vandalism /'vændlɪzəm/	vandal	vandalize	

- b 4 32))) Listen and check.

2 WHAT HAPPENS TO A CRIMINAL



- a Complete the sentences with the words in the list.

The crime

arrested /ə'restɪd/ questioned /'kwɛstʃənd/
 charged /tʃərdʒd/ committed /kə'mɪtɪd/
 investigated /ɪn'vestəgeɪtɪd/ caught /kɔ:t/

- Carl and Adam committed a crime. They robbed a large supermarket.
- The police _____ the crime.
- Carl and Adam were _____ driving to the airport in a stolen car.
- They were _____ and taken to a police station.
- The police _____ them for ten hours.
- Finally, they were _____ with (= officially accused of) armed robbery.

The trial

accused /ə'kyuːzd/ acquitted /ə'kwɪtɪd/
 court /kɔ:t/ evidence /'evɪdəns/
 guilty (opposite innocent) /'ɡɪlti/
 judge /dʒʌdʒ/ jury /'dʒʊəri/ proof /pru:f/
 punishment /'pʌnɪʃmənt/ sentenced /'sentnst/
 verdict /'vɜːdɪkt/ witnesses /'wɪtnəsɪz/

- Two months later, Carl and Adam appeared in _____.
- They were _____ of armed robbery and car theft.
- _____ told the court what they had seen or knew.
- The _____ (of 12 people) looked at and heard all the _____.
- After two days the jury reached their _____.
- Carl was found _____. His fingerprints were on the gun used in the robbery.
- The _____ decided what Carl's _____ should be.
- He _____ him to ten years in prison (jail).
- There was no _____ that Adam had committed the crime.
- He was _____ and allowed to go free.

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