

# Skill Development



Before you read...

1. Unscramble the letters to create words.

ELRAWY

EDJUG

CJESTUI

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2. Vocabulary: Match the words in the box with the pictures.

kittens

attorney

offender

courtroom

shelter



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While you read...

1. Go to your *Student Book*. Open it on page 130. Read the text and answer the question

What is the main idea?

- ☐ a. Creative justice never works, and it is not an appropriate way to deal with any crime.
- ☐ b. Creative justice can work if the offender is prepared to accept the alternative punishment.
- ☐ c. Prison is the only option for anyone who has committed a crime.
- ☐ d. Creative justice only works with petty crimes.
- ☐ e. Creative justice only works because of Judge Cicconetti's personality.

2. Read the article again. According to the article, which statements are true?

- A. Judge Cicconetti uses creative justice to make offenders confront the reality of their crimes.
- B. The Judge made a woman stay homeless and without possessions for two nights.
- C. The woman's punishment was to spend 14 days in prison.
- D. The man who stole money from charity left the courtroom with a GPS device.
- E. Creative justice seems to have impact and to be effective.

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3. Read the article one more time. Choose the correct answers.

a. Judge Cicconetti wants offenders to...

- be given tough punishments.
- feel embarrassed about their crimes.
- go to prison for their crimes.
- understand how their victims feel.
- find alternative ways to stop committing crimes.

b. The judge sentenced the woman to spend...

- a day working at an animal charity.
- a night with the kittens in a park.
- a night on her own in the woods.
- a night in prison.
- a night looking after animals.

c. The judge wanted the woman to...

- know what it was like to spend a night alone.
- understand how the kittens had felt when she abandoned them.
- understand how cats live.
- take care of the surviving kittens.

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- be as comfortable as possible in the park.



d. The woman who abandoned the kittens...

- also spent 14 days in prison.
- didn't spend any time in prison.
- Also had to pay the judge \$3,200.
- also spent three days in prison.
- also spent 90 days in prison.

e. The man who stole the money for the homeless...

- refused to accept the consequences of his actions.
- chose to spend 90 days in prison.
- said that he had done nothing wrong.
- spent three nights living on the streets.
- admitted that what he had done was wrong.