

Crime and criminals

1. Complete the sentences with words for crimes or criminals.

- 1 _____ is a criminal who kills someone.
- 2 _____ is a crime which involves taking control of an aeroplane.
- 3 _____ is a crime which involves stealing and using violence.
- 4 _____ is someone who steals things from shops.
- 5 _____ is a crime which involves stealing or destroying computer data.
- 6 _____ is a person who damages buildings, breaks windows, or paints graffiti.

Phrasal verbs

2. Match the sentence halves.

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| Please sit | into the car. |
| You can turn | down on this chair. |
| Ana's friends got | for clues. |
| The men ran | on the TV now. |
| The boy stood | after the thief. |
| They're looking | up when the bell rang. |

Past simple

3. Write the past form of these verbs.

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| begin - | open - | take - | disappear - | find - |
| discover - | turn - | give - | write - | |

Past simple and past continuous

4. Complete the sentences with the past simple or past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

1. When Sam _____ (arrive), I _____ (do) my homework.
2. We _____ (have) a party when the neighbours _____ (phone) the police. 3. Paul _____ (not sleep) when the alarm clock _____ (go off). 4. What _____ (you, do) when you _____ (see) the robbery? 5. I _____ (not see) David Beckham while he _____ (live) in Spain.
6. _____ (it, rain) when you _____ (leave) the house this morning?

5. Choose the correct words.

A few years ago, there (1) **was** / **were** a lot of armed robberies in the south of England. While detectives were looking (2) **down** / **for** clues, they (3) **found** / **were finding** some gold paint on a tree. They (4) **discover** / **discovered** that this colour (5) **was** / **were** common on Austin Allegro cars. When the police visited Malcolm Fairley's house in London, he (6) **was washing** / **washed** his car. It was a gold Austin Allegro! The police arrested Malcolm, and he (7) **goes** / **went** to prison. Now he (8) **is serving** / **serves** a life sentence for armed robbery.