Collocations crime

Stringent/lenient - penalized

Make it stricter/ mitigate

* Turn a blind eye on / exercise their authority
* Take law in your own hands / administer justice
* Adhere to standards / in contradiction with
* Violate provisions
* Abide the law / law-abiding citizen
* Brush with the law / Minor offence
* Face penalty/ wriggle out of
* Trial long-winded / drag on /
* Prisoners live at our expense / notorious offenders / irredeemable

Police are c ……………out an investigation into a major theft in a factory in Woodvale.

The trial starts today but the witnesses will be cross-examined…………………………… in court tomorrow.

George Arthur Lode, a……………………………… of murdering his wife, went on trial today.

The jury are expected to take several days to r………………………………. a verdict.

It now seems impossible that Harold Graves can stand a f…………………………….. trial, given the media publicity surrounding his case.

That judge believes that all shoplifters should be s………………………….. punished.

People who park on double yellow lines face………………………. a heavy fine.

If he is found guilty of murder, he will have to face the death……………………….. penalty.

Anyone who commits a crime has to suffer…………………………… the consequences.

Some judges are more likely to give …………………………………….. sentences than others.

After a hard legal battle, she won compensation………………………………./damages for the accident.

B………………….law everybody is equal

She took law in her own hands……………………………and took a revenge on perpetrator

Write missing word

1. The witness gave his testimony in front of the court
2. The man was conducted of hijacking and sentenced to 6 years in prison
3. Prosecutor decided to d\_ \_p the charges as there was no evidence
4. Women is a suspect in a case of murder. It is highly probable she committed this crime
5. Judge d \_ s \_ \_ss \_ \_ the case due to lack of proof
6. The prisoner served the sentence and was released from prison
7. The d\_ \_e n\_ \_ \_ t was acquitted and set free
8. Police interrogated the witness in police station
9. During p \_ \_l \_ \_ i \_ \_r y hearing suspect confessed everything
10. Man was charged with kidnapping
11. She is accused of bribery

Crime , offence

**arson , assassination, assault, bribery, burglary, fraud, hijacking, kidnapping**

Fill in the blanks below with words from the box above.

1. The person who broke into a house and stole a TV was convicted of \_burglary\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. The woman who lied on her income tax forms was charged with \_fraud\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. The men who used knives to take over an airplane were guilty of \_hijacking\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. The man who attacked me and hit me over and over was convicted of \_assault\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. The businessman who offered money to the politician is being accused of \_bribery\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. The man who burned down his house for the insurance money is charged with insurance fraud and \_arson\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. The person who took my children and demanded that I pay $1,000,000 was convicted of \_kidnapping\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

11. The man who shot the president was convicted of \_assassination\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**murder , pick-pocketing, theft, robbery, shoplifting, smuggling, terrorism, trespassing, vandalism**

Fill in the blanks below with words from the box above.

2. The man who stole people’s money in the train station was accused of \_pick-pocketing\_\_.

3. The man who used a gun to steal people’s money in the park was convicted of \_robbery\_.

4. Robbery, burglary, and pick-pocketing are all kinds of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

5. The juvenile who painted his name on my neighbor’s house was charged with \_vandalism\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. The woman who stole cigarettes from the newsagent’s was convicted of \_shoplifting\_\_\_.

7. The men who hijacked the plane and flew it into the church were guilty of \_terrorism\_\_.

8. The person who killed his boss after planning for several weeks is being charged with \_murder\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. The woman who tried to take drugs into Brazil was convicted of \_smuggling \_\_\_\_.

10. The kids who were playing on my lawn were acquitted of \_trespassing\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because there was not enough evidence to convict them.