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-e…………………………… 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 f………………………. a heavy fine.

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

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

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

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

B………………….law everybody is equal

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

Write missing word

1. The witness gave his t\_ s \_ \_m \_ \_y in front of the court
2. The man was c\_ n \_ \_c \_ \_d of hijacking and s \_ \_t \_ \_ \_e \_d to 6 years in prison
3. Prosecutor decided to d\_ \_p the charges as there was no evidence
4. Women is a s\_ s \_ \_c \_ 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 s\_ \_v \_d the sentence and was r\_ \_e \_ \_ed from prison
7. The d\_ \_e n\_ \_ \_ t was a\_ q \_ i \_ e d and set free
8. Police I \_ \_e \_ r \_ \_a \_ \_d the witness in police station
9. During p \_ \_l \_ \_ i \_ \_r y hearing suspect confessed everything
10. Man was c h \_ \_g \_d with kidnapping
11. She is a \_ \_u \_e d 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 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**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 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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