



Crime Vocabulary Exercise

A Circle the correct answer.

1 This is when you have to pay money so that a crime you committed is not reported to the police.

- A a ransom
- B blackmail
- C a bribe

2 This is a person who steals from shops.

- A a shoplifter
- B a mugger
- C a muggins

3 This is to steal from a house in the night.

- A to mug
- B to smuggle
- C to burgle

4 This is when a guilty person is found not guilty or when thieves escape with what they have stolen.

- A to get away with
- B to abscond
- C to flee

5 This is someone who claims to have been with the accused, so proving this person could not have been at the scene of the crime when it happened.

- A an alibi
- B a witness
- C an arsonist

6 This is a person who brings drugs or diamonds into a country secretly.

- A an arsonist
- B a bandit
- C a smuggler

7 This is what a traffic warden gives you when you double park.

- A a kiss
- B a receipt
- C a fine

8 A judge declares you to be this if it is what the jury has decided.

- A unlucky
- B guilty
- C very bad

9 Although the court has found you guilty, you are free as long as you visit your local police station everyday.

- A prosecution
- B persecution
- C probation

10 A punishment resulting in death!

- A capital punishment
- B corporal punishment
- C writing lines

11 These are twelve good men and women and true who kindly decide your future for you in court.

- A witnesses
- B alibis
- C members of the jury

12 This could be a pistol, rope, lead piping, a rolling pin or a nuclear bomb.

- A My arm
- B weapons
- C children's toys

B Translate the crime words.

Word	Translation
alibi
blackmail
to get away with

Word	Translation
to mug
smuggler
witness





Answers

1B 2A 3C 4A 5A 6C 7C 8B 9C 10A 11C 12B

