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# Knowledge 5: Chapter 7

## Worksheet 7: Whodunnit?

1. Identify the crimes (nouns) that appear in each scene.



- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_
- d. \_\_\_\_\_
- e. \_\_\_\_\_
- f. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Rewrite the sentences into reported speech.

- a. "I saw a robbery at the corner of Main Street," said the witness.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- b. "They can be charged for trespassing," warned the police officer.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- c. "He is sentenced to jail for 5 years," said the judge.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- d. "The criminals need to do community service for 3 months," said the officer.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- e. "The arsonist was seen last night around 2 am," said the security guard.  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Finish the sentences in direct speech.

- a. He said he was innocent.  
" \_\_\_\_\_," said the man.
- b. They said nobody had been at the scene of the crime.  
" \_\_\_\_\_," they said.
- c. She said there had never been any vandalism in her neighbourhood.  
" \_\_\_\_\_," she said.
- d. The store manager said they had the shoplifting recorded on camera.  
" \_\_\_\_\_," said the store manager.
- e. The mayor promised he would cut down on city crime.  
" \_\_\_\_\_," promised the mayor.

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4. Write a tag question for each sentence.

- a. The driver was charged with careless driving in the hit and run accident, \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- b. The pedestrian wasn't injured, \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- c. The driver is only 18 years old, \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- d. He got his licence recently, \_\_\_\_\_ ?
- e. The driver will have his licence suspended, \_\_\_\_\_ ?



5. Write a sentence with a tag question to match the answers.

- a. \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes, he's going on trial next week.
- b. \_\_\_\_\_  
No, the detectives didn't find any clues at the crime scene.
- c. \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes, she pleaded guilty to shoplifting.
- d. \_\_\_\_\_  
No, the police weren't able to arrest any suspects yet.

6. Complete the news clipping about a crime that happened yesterday. Use the phrasal verbs in the box.

find out - gets away with - broke into - looking into

## Mysterious robber (a) \_\_\_\_\_ a valuable gemstone necklace from The Egyptian Museum

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Detectives are (b) \_\_\_\_\_ a robbery at The Egyptian Museum that happened last night around 4 am. The security cameras show a masked man who (c) \_\_\_\_\_ the museum through the ceiling and stealthily took the prized gemstone belonging to Queen Cleopatra. The gemstone was heavily secured in a glass box on display. Museum authorities are collaborating with the police in the investigation in order to (d) \_\_\_\_\_ who the alleged robber is.



7. Write sentences (in affirmative or interrogative) using the verbs *rob* and *steal*.

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