# Crime Vocabulary

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| **crime** | **definition** |
| **abduction/ kidnapping** |  |
| **armed robbery** |  |
| **battery** |  |
| **arson** |  |
| **assault** |  |
| **attempted murder** |  |
| **burglary, breaking and entering** |  |
| **child abuse** |  |
| **domestic violence** |  |
| **drug trafficking** |  |
| **DUI and DWI** |  |
| **(identity) fraud** |  |
| **hijacking** |  |
| **murder/ homicide** |  |
| **shoplifting** |  |
| **smuggling** |  |
| **speeding** |  |
| **running a pyramid (ponzi scheme)** |  |
| **theft** |  |
| **larceny** |  |
| **tax evasion** |  |
| **vandalism** |  |
| **white collar crime** |  |
| **embezzlement** |  |
| **(love) scams** |  |

## Types of punishment

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| **punishment (example offence)** | **definition** |
| **traffic ticket** (speeding, parking) |  |
| **license suspension** (drunk driving) |  |
| **fine** (hunting out of season) |  |
| **house arrest** (a young offender who is waiting to go to court) |  |
| **community service** (a youth that steals a car for the first time) |  |
| **jail time** (man who assaults his wife) |  |
| **life in prison** (a man who commits homicide) |  |
| **death penalty/death row** |  |