

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

Across

5. **PROSECUTE**—To argue against someone in a trial.
7. **KIDNAP**—To take a person hostage in exchange for money or other favours.
8. **ARSON**—Set fire to something in a criminal way.
10. **RAPE**—To force someone to have sex.
15. **SMUGGLING**—Take something illegally into another country.
17. **THEFT**—The crime of stealing.
18. **EVIDENCE**—Information used in a court of law to decide whether the accused is guilty or not.
19. **VERDICT**—The decision taken in court: guilty or not guilty.
20. **ROB**—Steal from people or places.
22. **JURY**—Group of twelve citizens who decide whether the accused is guilty or not.
23. **HACKER**—Computer fanatic who uses a personal computer to break into the computer system of a company or a government or any other organisation.
26. **COMMIT**—To a crime or an offence is to do something illegal.
27. **WITNESS**—Someone who sees a crime, accident, or other event happen.

Down

1. **HIJACK**—Take control of a plane, usually for political reasons.
2. **CAPITALPUNISHMENT**—Killing people officially is called ...
3. **ASSAULT**—Physical attack on somebody.
4. **BURGLARY**—Breaking into a house/shop and steal things.
6. **MANSLAUGHTER**—Kill someone by intention.
9. **FORGERY**—Copy or make something such as a banknote, a document, or a painting, so that it looks genuine, in order to deceive people.
11. **ASSASSINATE**—Kill a famous or important person for money or for political reasons.
12. **JUDGE**—The person who leads a trial and decides on the sentence.
13. **MUGGING**—Attack someone in the street in order to steal their money.
14. **CHARGE**—To ... someone with a crime means to bring them to court.
16. **BRIBERY**—Pay money to someone for a favour.
21. **BLACKMAIL**—Force someone to give you money, usually by threatening to expose a secret.
24. **ACCUSE**—To ... someone of a crime is to say someone is guilty.
25. **TRESPASS**—Go into a place without the owner's permission.

