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CRIMES	Definition	Criminals
	to commit a crime	to do something illegal
A	aiding and abetting	helping someone to commit a crime
	arson	setting fire to a building, cars or property on purpose an arsonist
	assassination	killing a famous person or public figure an assassin
	assault	attacking someone physically an assailant
B	begging	asking for food or money because you are poor (usually on the street) a beggar
	bigamy	marrying someone when you are already married to another person a bigamist
	blackmail	threatening to reveal someone's secrets if a lot of money is not paid a blackmailer
	bombing	detonating an explosive device with the plan of harming people or property a bomber
	bribery	giving money or granting favors to influence another person's decisions or behavior
	burglary	breaking into a house in order to steal something a burglar
C	child abuse	treating a child badly in a physical, emotional, or sexual way a child abuser
	corruption	behaving illegally and dishonestly; especially those in power
	cybercrime	doing something illegal over the Internet or a computer system a cybercriminal/hacker
D	domestic violence/abuse	behaving violently inside the home
	drink driving	driving with too much alcohol in your blood a drunk driver/a drink driver