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An armed thief who is (usually) a member of a band.

The **bandit** produced a weapon and demanded money.

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<u>burglar</u> A person who commits burglary.

burglary

Illegal entry of a building with intent to commit a crime, especially theft.

A two year sentence for **burglary**.

burgle Commit a burglary; enter and rob a dwelling.

Our house in London has been burgled.

Someone who has committed a crime or has been legally convicted of a

criminal crime.

A **criminal** court.

despoil Destroy and strip of its possession.

The church was **despoil**ed of its marble wall covering.

Pilfer or steal (something, especially an item of small value) in a casual

filch way.

They **filch**ed milk off morning doorsteps.

guilty Culpable of or responsible for a specified wrongdoing.

She was **guilty** of a serious error of judgement.

kleptomania A recurrent urge to steal, typically without regard for need or profit.

larceny

Theft of personal property In English law larceny was replaced as a

statutory crime by theft in 1968.

outlaw Declare illegal outlaw.

Bands of **outlaw**s held up trains.

pickpocketSteal from the pockets of (someone.

I think someone **pickpocket**ed me in Brighton on my way to the station.

The act of stealing valuable things from a place.

Artworks **pillage**d from churches and museums.



A practice similar to piracy but in other contexts especially hijacking.

Air **piracy**.

rapine The violent seizure of someone's property.

Industrial **rapine**.

recidivist Relating to recidivists.

The third lowest **recidivist** rate in the country.

rob Rip off; ask an unreasonable price.

He tried with three others to **rob** a bank.

robber A person who commits robbery.

The action of taking property unlawfully from a person or place by force or

robbery threat of force.

He was involved in drugs extortion and **robbery**.

rustler A person who rounds up and steals cattle, horses, or sheep.

Police have so far arrested 649 **rustler**s countrywide.

Steal in a store.

shoplift
She was caught shoplifting a pair of shoes.

The action of stealing goods from a shop while pretending to be a

shoplifting customer.

Shrinkage is the retail trade s euphemism for **shoplifting**.

An act of stealing something.

He finished with eight points four **steal**s and seven assists.

theft The action or crime of stealing.

He was convicted of theft.

Be a thief; steal something.

thieve They began thieving again.

The action of stealing another person's property.

thievery Petty thievery.

transgression An act that goes against a law, rule, or code of conduct; an offence.

Her **transgression** of genteel etiquette.

Having no legally established claim.

Unlawful love.

vagrancyThe state of living as a vagrant; homelessness.

A descent into **vagrancy** and drug abuse.