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Учебник, в основу которого заложен принцип профессионально-коммуникативной направленности, соответствует программе дисциплины «Английский язык» по специальности 40.05.03 Судебная экспертиза. Целью учебника является формирование всех видов иноязычной речевой деятельности, а также развитие профессионально-коммуникативных компетенций, необходимых для академического и профессионального взаимодействия в данной сфере. Наряду с формированием иноязычных речевых навыков учебник вводит категориальный аппарат судебной науки, дает представление о деятельности криминалистической лаборатории в зависимости от её типа, об особенностях профессии судебных экспертов, алгоритме их действий при обработке места происшествия, типологии улик, а также о требуемых от специалистов знаниях, умениях и навыках при выполнении судебных (с акцентом на криминалистические) экспертиз.

Учебник построен по принципу «от теории к практике» и содержит богатый теоретический текстовый, аудио- и видео- аутентичный материал, дополненный интересными фактами и сведениями уточняющего характера, а также многочисленными иллюстрациями, несущими информативную нагрузку. Предлагаемая для освоения теоретическая база отрабатывается посредством комплексной системы языковых и речевых упражнений, заданий-тренажеров, моделирующих ситуации профессиональной направленности. Учебник снабжен многочисленными QR-кодами с активными ссылками на дополнительные информационные ресурсы, что реализует концепцию учебника как открытой динамичной образовательной среды, позволяющей осуществлять обучающимся самообразовательную деятельность.

Предназначен для иноязычной подготовки обучающихся образовательных организаций системы МВД России.

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## Предисловие

Традиционно учебник определяется как материальное средство обучения, предназначенное для расширения, углубления, усвоения знаний; как источник приобретения знаний для обучающихся и руководства по организации учебного процесса для педагога. Подобное общепризнанное толкование в контексте процессов, протекающих в современном образовательном пространстве (ориентация на непрерывность и открытость, гуманизация, цифровизация и т. д.), требует уточнения. Отвечая на запрос времени, современное методическое проектирование предполагает цифровую версию бумажного носителя, электронный учебник, онлайн-тренажеры, рабочую тетрадь, справочную литературу, технологические карты по работе с дополнительными информационно-образовательными ресурсами, тестовые задания и т.п. Всё это необходимо для активации мотивации обучающегося, индивидуализации его образования. Новая архитектура содержания обуславливает новые акценты в дидактической интерпретации понятия «учебник». Учебник XXI века — это уже не уникальный источник с закрытой системой знаний, а элемент динамичной, открытой информационно-образовательной среды.

Педагогическое проектирование учебника нового поколения для высшей школы основывается на анализе будущей профессиональной деятельности обучающихся, осмыслении ее базовых ценностей, содержания компетенций как отражения запроса общества и государства. Так, в разработке концепции данного учебника по иностранному языку для обучающихся образовательных организаций системы МВД России авторы основывались на том, что обучение:

— должно осуществляться в рамках компетентностного подхода, зафиксированного на уровне федерального государственного образовательного стандарта высшего образования: язык рассматривается как средство коммуникации в профессиональной сфере; обучение выстраивается по формуле «язык через профессию, профессия через язык»;

— должно согласоваться с мировыми ориентирами на процессы гуманизации и гуманитаризации образования, в центре которых находится сам человек, его личностный рост в рамках индивидуальной образовательной траектории; особое внимание — антропологике и ее принципу природосообразности;

— предназначено для целевой аудитории периода ранней взрослости, что обуславливает обязательный учет андрагогических принципов в построении обучения;

— имеет свою специфику; должно отвечать современным признанным подходам в преподавании иностранного языка (коммуникативному, деятельностному), быть методически логично и грамотно выстроенным на базе разнообразного аутентичного материала;



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— должно органично вплетать в учебный процесс актуальные технологические достижения, задействовать разнообразные информационные ресурсы.

Анализ современных научных и методических представлений о проектировании учебных изданий позволил авторам определить для себя следующие основания для разработки учебника.

Мировые ориентиры на гуманизацию и гуманитаризацию высшего образования, заданные более 30 лет назад, продолжают быть актуальными для России. Общество нуждается в людях с аксиологическим мышлением, осмысленным отношением к своей профессиональной деятельности, принятием ответственности перед обществом и осознанием личностного вклада в построении будущего своего государства и мира в целом.

Сегодня в структуре любой профессиональной подготовки выделяется общепрофессиональная область, призванная создавать условия для формирования навыков самоорганизации и самообразования, умений продуктивно взаимодействовать с людьми иных культур. Эти задачи высшего образования значимы и для образовательных организаций системы МВД России, в которых в силу их специфики высок риск превалирования технократизации. Компетентностный подход, ориентированный на формирование «я функционального» — знатока своего дела, соответствующим образом выполняющего свои должностные обязанности, готового с наименьшими потерями адаптироваться к наличествующим условиям профессиональной деятельности, должен сегодня уравниваться гуманитарно-антропологическим, позволяющим создавать условия для развития человеческого потенциала.

Одним из факторов развития соответствующего данной целевой установке субъект-ориентированного образовательного пространства является учебно-методическое обеспечение, проектирование которого осуществляется на основах гуманитаризации познания — не на формальном приращении знаний, заучивании готовых ответов, ориентации на узкопредметный отбор содержания, а на принципах осмысленности, рефлексивности, индирективности, аксиологичности, вариативности и т. д. Данное утверждение в полной мере относится и к организации иноязычного обучения в образовательных организациях системы МВД России, актуальной целью которой видится модернизация дидактической базы учебных материалов. Их формальная и содержательная части должны не только отвечать направлению профессиональной подготовки по конкретным специальностям, а способствовать приращению личностного знания.

В результате разработка учебных материалов видится на основе, как минимум, трех подходов:

— *гуманитарно-антропологического* с соблюдением принципа «человеко-сообразности» как основного принципа антропопрактики, который предполагает соотносительность содержательной, формальной, функциональной сторон дидактических материалов возрастным, психологическим, культурным особеннос-

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тям целевой аудитории; обращение к самому человеку. В разработке учебных изданий данный подход реализуется посредством дробления темы на смысловые части, преподнесения материала разнообразными способами как ответ на сформированную ныне у современного поколения юношества клиповую, экранную культуру; посредством рубрики *What about you?* (дословно «Что насчет Вас?») как реализация возможности выразить личное мнение, проявить собственное отношение к предмету дискуссии, что, в свою очередь, требует глубокого осмысления вопроса.

— *андрагогического* как базового подхода во взаимодействии со взрослыми обучающимися. Данный подход проявляется посредством вариативности и избыточности заданий, ссылок на дополнительные информационные ресурсы (множество QR-кодов с прямым доступом к интернет-источникам). Построенный на андрагогических принципах дидактический материал позволяет избежать закрытой системы ограниченных знаний, трансформируя формат учебной литературы в открытую образовательную среду с инвариантным знаниевым ядром и множеством вариантов развития смыслов в зависимости от личностных мотивационных установок обучающихся. Подобная организация материала, в конечном итоге, позволяет развивать у целевой аудитории самостоятельность когнитивной деятельности, осознанность выбора дополнительных учебных ресурсов, принятие ответственности за проектирование и реализацию собственной индивидуальной образовательной траектории.

— *задачного* как образовательной технологии, позволяющей реализовать заложенный в федеральном государственном образовательном государственном стандарте компетентностный подход в рамках создания пакета практико-ориентированных заданий, направленных на решение квази-профессиональных задач. В данном учебном издании задачный подход реализуется многоуровнево: от рутинных не отнесенных задач, предполагающих выполнение заданий по определенному алгоритму (стереотипизированные задания для отработки языкового или тематического материала) до нерутинных отнесенных задач, запрашивающих от обучающего фоновых знаний, творческого подхода, принятия собственных решений в условиях осмысленности своего выбора и т. п. (в основном, реализуется в рубриках *Case study!*, *Check yourself!*).

Предлагаемый учебник по иностранному языку соответствует современным стандартам обучающей литературы и представляет собой существенный элемент открытой, многомерной информационно-образовательной среды. Осуществляется это требование, во-первых, за счет трансформации структуры учебно-методического обеспечения (рабочей тетради, контекстного словаря, видеокурса по изучаемому материалу, тестовых заданий и т. п.), а, во-вторых, посредством цифровых технологий и разнообразных информационно-образовательных ресур-



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сов, что позволяет органично включить двухмерный формат учебника в структуру мобильной образовательной среды.

Учебник в данном случае не монополизирует знания в закрытой системе, а является навигатором индивидуальных образовательных маршрутов на базе гуманитарных принципов вариативности, индирективности, осознанности выбора, рефлексивности, принятия собственной ответственности за результат и т. д.

Базовое содержание учебника соответствует официальному тематическому плану рабочей программы, в котором определены конкретные темы профессиональной направленности и порядок их прохождения — отражение государственного стандарта. Следует отдельно отметить особенность построения содержательного компонента учебника по иностранному языку в неязыковой организации высшего образования — он выстраивается по формуле: язык через профессию, профессия через язык. Как следствие, основное содержание в учебнике выстраивается в двух направлениях — с одной стороны, материал отбирается тематический, профессионально ориентированный на основе принципов научности, актуальности, достоверности; с другой стороны, тщательно продумывается аутентичный языковой и речевой материал как форма выражения смысловой нагрузки тематического контента. Кроме того, с позиций гуманитарного образования значимо третье направление — обращение к личности самих обучающихся. В предлагаемой концепции авторы реализуют его как в содержании заданий по осмыслению пройденного материала, так и в отдельной рубрике *What about you?*, где предлагается осмыслить информацию, пропустить через себя, выразить и обосновать свое мнение по некой проблеме, затрагиваемой в основном материале. Четверное направление, в русле андрагогического подхода, реализуется в предлагаемых при помощи QR-кодов активных ссылок на дополнительный аутентичный текстовый, аудио- или видеоматериал, позволяющий составить в индивидуальном объеме и в собственном режиме знание об изучаемой теме, а также в рубриках *Let it up!* (Найдите информацию!) и *Who is who?* (О ком идет речь?), побуждающих целевую аудиторию к самостоятельному поиску материала, включению аналитического и критического мышления, осмысленности в познавательной деятельности.

Авторами предложена трехуровневая структура учебника.

Первый уровень представляет общий композиционный замысел. На этом уровне прослеживается четкая логика (древесная логика) в выстраивании тем, постепенное прохождение которых в определенной системе позволяет обучающимся безболезненно вникнуть в свою будущую профессию, осознанно раздвинуть ее границы при помощи иностранного языка. Основной раздел учебника «закрывается» англо-русским словарем с транскрипцией слов. Второй уровень — структура на уровне конкретной темы (раздела, юнита). Авторам представляется дискуссионной традиционно избираемая разработчиками текстоориентированная

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структура преподнесения материала (предтекстовые упражнения, текст, послетекстовые задания), поскольку фокус внимания в такой структуре сцеплен исключительно с конкретным текстом (а не с темой!), что в корне противоречит принципам вариативности, индирективности и т. п. Авторы выступают за темоориентированную структуру, которая предполагает не формальное заучивание указанного текстового материала, а осмысление пространства всей темы. В этой связи архитектура темы-раздела выглядит следующим образом:

— глоссарий (*Glossary*), в котором как итог тщательной выборки представлены основные терминологические единицы раздела и их определения с аудионачиткой носителем языка, считываемой по QR-коду;

— рубрика *Word bank*, в которой в разных вариациях отрабатываются необходимые для прохождения темы языковые единицы, речевые шаблоны. Рубрика изобилует игровыми моментами в проработке лексики — отгадыванием загадок, кроссвордов, филвордов и т. п.;

— тематический материал, который предлагается к ознакомлению не единым текстовым монолитом, а разделен на блоки — информация подается очень дозированно, разнообразно, красочно (не только при помощи текста, но и при помощи инфографики, видео, аудиоматериала и т. п.) с моментальными заданиями коммуникативной направленности, предполагающими получение обратной связи (помощь в осмыслении материала, перевода его в личностную сферу);

— рубрика *Check yourself!* (Проверь себя!), с ссылкой на онлайн-тест с моментальной проверкой, решением квази-профессиональных задач (рубрика *Case study!*), на основе реальных фактов или смоделированных ситуаций, фрагментов из современных фильмов / сериалов, сюжета аутентичных комиксов и т. п.

Отметим, что в разработку структуры раздела встраивается многообразный дополнительный материал, о котором говорилось выше.

Третий уровень — структура страничного разворота учебника. Страница имеет рабочую зону и обязательные поля. Поля — пространство для дополнительных «заметок», количество и содержание которых зависят от тематического и языкового материала. Например, среди данных «заметок» реализуются рубрики: *Be attentive!* (транскрипция сложных для прочтения «рабочих» слов с цветовым выделением звуков или ударений, которые вызывают особые трудности); *Did you know?* (краткая заметка о некоем научном событии, исторической личности, об этимологии слов и т. п.); *Be aware!* (краткое пояснение чего-либо в рамках будущей профессии — разница между смежными понятиями, некие правила и т. п.); *Interesting facts!* (интересные факты о предмете изучения); *Let's discuss!* (некий вопрос, цитата и т. п., которые следует осмыслить, совместно обсудить в ходе аудиторного занятия); *Join in!* (работа в группах — творческие задания проектного типа в рамках изучаемого тематического материала) и т. д.



# Introduction

Отметим, что материал на уровне страницы выстраивается в нелинейной логике — информация подается кратко, фрагментарно. Страница может выглядеть как набор разрозненных информационных единиц. Однако подобная презентация материала необходима для избыточности, позволяющей организовывать вариативность образовательного процесса, создавать условия для формирования у каждого обучающегося лично-ценностной картины мира, в которой его профессиональная деятельность является общественно значимой.



## UNIT



### Glossary

**Forensic science (n) =**  
**Forensics (n) ≈**

**Criminalistics (n) -**  
the application of different sciences to solve the questions of the law, mainly during the criminal investigation

**Crime scene (n) = locus delicti -**  
a place where a crime was committed

**Crime scene investigation (n) -**  
a slow and hardworking process of revealing important clues (relevant evidence), gathering information, making a conclusion about a suspect's personality, his motive and his method of committing a crime (*modus operandi*)

**Evidence (n) -**  
an item (items) from a crime scene that can prove the guilt or the innocence of a suspect

**Crime laboratory (n) -**  
often shortened to **crime lab (n) -**  
a scientific laboratory, using basically forensic science to examine evidence from a crime scene

\* Have you caught any differences in the audio glossary versions?  
What are they?

\* Audio Glossary

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Fig. 1. Crime lab activities



Fig. 2. Crime lab cartoon

**Forensic scientist (n) =**  
**Forensic expert (n) ≈**  
**Criminalist (n) -**

a crime lab employee processing a crime scene, collecting and analysing forensic evidence to help an operational-investigative group in crime investigation and solution

**Forensic analysis (n) =**  
**Forensic examination (n) =**  
**Forensic investigation (n) -**  
the process of studying the nature of evidence found at a crime scene

Let's discuss!

How could you explain such differences in pronunciation?

# UNIT 1



## Forensics - what science is it?

### Word bank!

### What about you?

Think & answer. Why did **you** decide to become a forensic expert?

### Did you know?

The term **forensic** is derived from the Latin word **forensis** which means **before the forum**: in ancient Rome both the accused and the accuser involved in a judicial case had to present their arguments and evidence in front of a public forum (fig.4).

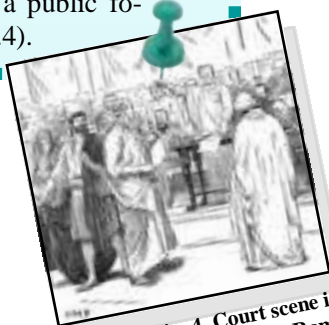


Fig. 4. Court scene in ancient Rome

Write down the highlighted letters: \_\_\_\_\_.

What is a key-word made up of these letters? \_\_\_\_\_

All of us will be super forensic \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Across:

5. A crime laboratory employee studying evidence: forensic ...
7. The process of studying something
8. An illegal act of a criminal.
9. An item or items found at the crime scene that can be used in a court to prove the guilt or the innocence of a suspect.
10. Forensic analysis in other words: forensic ...

#### Down:

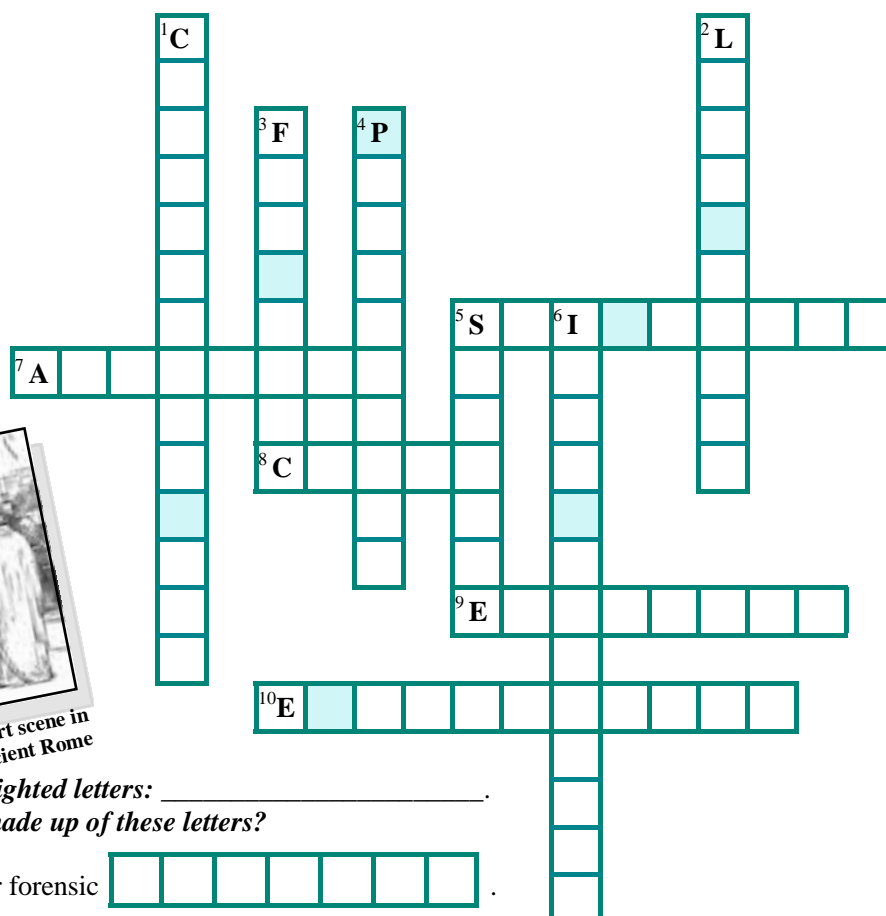
1. The application of scientific knowledge and methodology to legal problems and criminal investigations.
2. A special place where forensic scientists make their expertise.
3. A term derived from the Latin word *forensis*.
4. Crime scene examination in details and nuances.
5. A particular branch of scientific knowledge.
6. A slow gathering information about a suspect's personality, his motive and accurate process of examining the crime scene, and his method of committing a crime.

1. Study the glossary and analyse the cartoons at pages 13 and 14. Answer the questions:

1. What are the depicted people?
2. Where are they working - in a lab or at a crime scene?
3. What are they doing?
4. What is the main aim of all of these specialists' work?



Fig. 3. Crime lab activities





### 3. Match the synonyms:

- |                       |                                      |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. forensic science   | a) to study, to examine              |
| 2. forensic           | b) to use                            |
| 3. science            | c) scientific discipline             |
| 4. forensic scientist | d) examination, study, investigation |
| 5. method             | e) clues from the crime scene        |
| 6. to analyse         | f) technique                         |
| 7. to apply           | g) forensics, criminalistics         |
| 8. analysis           | h) judicial, legal                   |
| 9. evidence           | i) criminalist, forensic expert      |

### Be attentive!

analyse ['æn(ə)laɪz] (v)  
 analysis [ə'nælɪsɪs] (n)  
 analyses [ə'nælɪsɪ:z] (n, pl)  
 analyst ['æn(ə)lɪst] (n)  
 analytical  
 [ˌæn(ə)'lɪtɪk(ə)l] (adj)  
 expertise [ˌekspɜ:'ti:z] (n)

### 4. Change the given phrases using all possible synonyms of the underlined words and word combinations:

1. Forensic science applies different sciences.
2. Forensic scientists analyse evidence.
3. The analysis of clues from a crime scene gives findings needed for crime solution.
4. Criminalistics uses scientific principles and methods.

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### Look it up!

Is there any form of plural for the words **evidence** and **expertise**?

Look them up. What variants are possible?

### 5. Complete the following words chains using the key-words. Translate them:

VERB	NOUN (NOTION)	NOUN (ACTOR)	ADJECTIVE
analyse	analysis	analyst	analytic/ analytical
...	...	examiner	—
...	...	...	investigative
...	act (act of a criminal) action	...	...
apply	...	...	...
make an expertise	...	expert	... (opinion)
...	collection	...	...
...	...	...	informative
...	solution	—	—
—	...	scientist	...

### 6. Translate the word combinations and make sentences with each of them:

Судебные эксперты, анализировать улики, преступное деяние, расследовать место преступления, информация о преступлении, применение научных знаний, экспертное мнение, собрать доказательства, осматривать место преступления, анализ доказательств, раскрытие преступления, делать экспертизы, криминалистическая лаборатория.

# UNIT 1

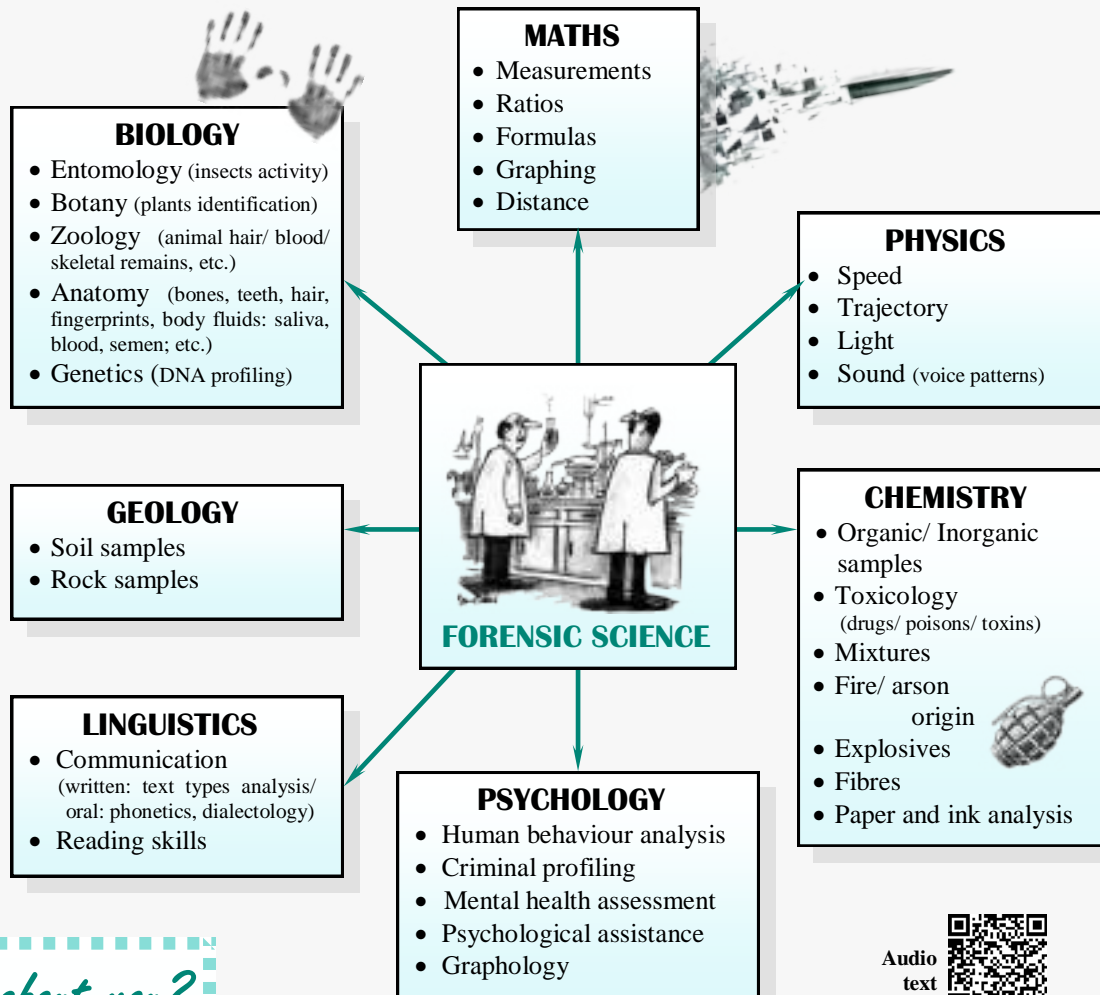


# Forensics - what science is it?

## Introduction to forensics

### 1. Read the information about forensic science:

Forensic science is the application of different sciences to matters of the law. In practice, in the evidence analysis from a crime scene forensics uses physics, chemistry, biology, geology, mathematics, and other scientific disciplines and techniques. The main sciences that help forensic scientists in the forensic evidence examination are:



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Fig. 5. Sciences that forensics deals with

## What about you?

What fields in forensic examination will **you** deal with after **your** professional training?

Which one would **you** like to work in? Why?

Forensic science applies scientific testing methods and the latest technologies to collect, preserve, process, and analyse clues from a crime scene. The proof of the guilt or the innocence is frequently determined by the results of forensic evidence. Forensic scientists present their findings as expert witnesses in the court of law.

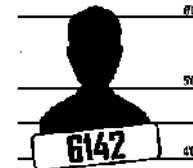
Forensics covers different fields in forensic examination, some of which have existed, however primitive, for centuries. These include **fingerprinting, chemical identification, document analysis, ballistics, trace evidence analysis**, etc. Two newer disciplines that have become major components of the twenty-first century crime laboratory are **DNA analysis** and **explosives investigation**.



2. What is this text about? Read the statements below and choose 4 of them which can be items of the text content plan. Put these items in a logical way and make up the right plan of the text:

1. The scientific disciplines that forensics deals with.
2. Different directions in the evidence analysis.
3. The methods of a crime scene examination.
4. The importance of the results of forensic evidence examination.
5. The crime laboratory activity.
6. The definition of the forensic science.
7. The details of the crime laboratory scientists work.

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3. Each statement given below contains a mistake. Correct the sentences:

1. Forensic science uses only biology, anatomy, chemistry in evidence examination.
2. Forensic science doesn't use the latest technologies to collect, preserve, process, and analyse clues from a crime scene.
3. Forensic scientists don't have any rights to present their findings as expert witnesses in the court of law.
4. Fingerprinting, chemical identification, document analysis, ballistics, trace examination fibres are the newest methods in evidence analysis.
5. The twentieth century is marked by two newest forensic disciplines – DNA analysis and explosives investigation.

*Look it up!*

Find the information on any high-profile criminal case. Write down **all possible relevant pieces of evidence**.

What sciences can be involved in their forensic examination? Explain your choice.

4. What sciences help make analyses of the following different crime scene clues?

	BIOLOGY	ANATOMY	BOTANY	PHYSICS	CHEMISTRY	MATHS	GEOLOGY	PSYCHOLOGY	LINGUISTICS
<b>EVIDENCE</b>									
1. Stopping distance of the suspect's car				+		+			
2. Some fibres on the victim's dress									
3. Mud on the criminal's boots sole									
4. An accent of the perpetrator									
5. A fingerprint on the cup									
6. DNA of the suspect									
7. The minuscule marks on the fired bullet									
8. The serial killer's signature									
9. A handwritten note of the suicide									
10. Herbal tea in the victim's glass									

E.g. Stopping distance of the suspect's car will be analysed with the help of physics and maths. Physics studies speed and trajectory, maths gives calculations.



## 5. Read an extract from the internet article:

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#### FORENSIC SCIENCE vs CRIMINALISTICS

People often mistake forensic science for criminalistics. However, it's important to keep in mind the difference between these terms. Forensic science involves any scientific specific discipline that can be applied to evidence. Criminalistics is just one of the subdivisions of forensic science.

So, some of the disciplines that fall under the umbrella of "forensic science" are: Digital Forensics; Forensic Linguistics; Forensic Pathology; Forensic Psychology; Criminalistics, etc.

In a word, criminalistics deals primarily with crime scene evidence collection and analyzing most of them.



Audio text

*Tell if the statements are true or false. Correct the false ones:*

1. In ordinary people's mind forensic science and criminalistics are the same terms. (T/F)
2. Forensic science is just a part of criminalistics. (T/F)
3. Forensic science houses a lot of specific disciplines used for evidence examination. (T/F)
4. Forensic Linguistics and Forensic Psychology fall under the umbrella of criminalistics. (T/F)
5. Fingerprints collection and weapons examination are the field of forensic science. (T/F)
6. Criminalists analyse the criminal's motives, his modus operandi and make his psychological profile. (T/F)
7. Forensic Pathology deals with alive victims. (T/F)
8. Forensic science deals with more "scientific" evidence analysis, criminalistics is primarily used in the crime scene processing. (T/F)

## Who is who?

This Austrian criminal jurist introduced the term **criminalistics**. He considered it as an applied science in the practice of crime investigation.



Fig.6. Father of criminalistics

He was an advocate of professional ethics, objectivity, careful inspection of the evidence, use of the scientific method, and accurate crime reconstruction.

He was **the first to describe crime scene processing in details**.

Who is he?

## 6. Answer the questions:

1. What is the definition of forensic science?
2. What notions does forensics deal with? (the glossary of Unit 1, p.13)
3. What is the term "forensic" derived from?
4. Is there any difference in the terms "forensic science" and "criminalistics"? (ex.5, p.18)
5. Who was the first to introduce the term "criminalistics" and to describe crime scene processing in details?
6. What principles of a crime scene investigation were highlighted by this Austrian criminalist? Are they valid nowadays?
7. What sciences do forensic scientists apply in the evidence examinations? Give some examples (ex.4, p.17)
8. What is the role of forensic science results?
9. What is the role of forensic scientists in the court of law?
10. What are the main fields in forensic examination?

## 7. Sum up all the information studied in this unit, make up a plan for speaking on forensics:

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1. What are your associations with the term “forensic science”?

Write them down:

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2. Give all possible word combinations with the key-word “forensic”:

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3. Look up and write down the derivations from the given words. Translate them:

Crime: \_\_\_\_\_  
To analyse: \_\_\_\_\_  
To investigate: \_\_\_\_\_  
To examine: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Give the terms for the following definitions:

1. A criminal act.
2. A place where a crime was committed.
3. This science deals with toxicology, mixtures, explosive substances, etc.
4. A clue from a crime scene.
5. A scientific laboratory where evidence from a crime scene is analysed.
6. A crime lab employee processing a crime scene and examining evidence in a crime lab.
7. The application of different sciences to solve the questions of law.
8. A science which helps in studying body fluids, a human body, teeth and hair.
9. A slow and hardworking process of revealing important clues, gathering information, making a conclusion about a method and a motive of a suspect.
10. This science deals primarily with crime scene evidence collection and processing most of them.

5. What sciences help criminalists analyse the following evidence. Give some arguments:

EVIDENCE	SCIENCE(S)
1. Traces of the poisonous plant in the food	
2. Insects feeding on the dead body	
3. A suspect's dirty footprints near the body	
4. Telephone calls records with the criminal's threats	
5. A crime weapon with some fingerprints	
6. Some bones found after the fire	

*Check yourself!*

*Test on-line!*



*What about you?*

Dive into the statement:  
“Forensic science is said to offer great potential, as it draws on almost every discipline and, in doing so, creates widespread opportunity for searching for innovations”.

What do **you** think - forensics is a static or dynamic science?

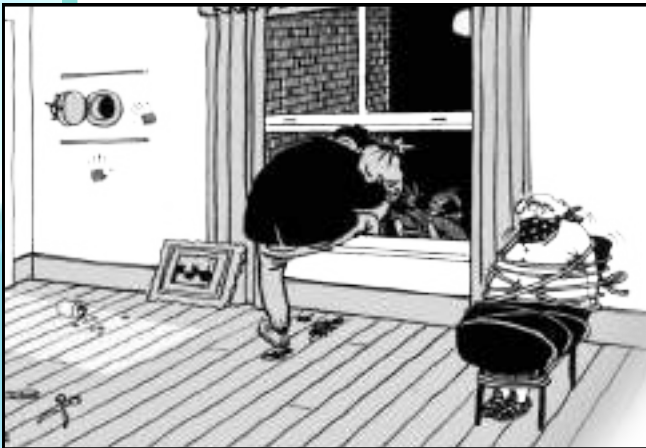
Why? Explain **your** point of view.

# UNIT 1



## Forensics - what science is it?

6. Study the cartoons. What crimes are depicted? What evidence could be found there? What sciences can help forensic scientists analyse these pieces of evidence? Give some arguments:



1. Crime(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Evidence: \_\_\_\_\_

Sciences which can help in the evidence investigation: \_\_\_\_\_



2. Crime(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Evidence: \_\_\_\_\_

Sciences which can help in the evidence investigation: \_\_\_\_\_

Fig.7-8. Crime cartoons

7. Complete the sentences:

1. Forensic science is the application of ... .
2. Forensics deals with a lot of notions such as ... .
3. The term "forensic" is derived from ... .
4. People often mistake forensic science for ... . However, it's important to keep in mind the difference between these terms.
5. In a word, criminalistics is just one of the subdivisions of ... and deals primarily with ... .
6. The term "criminalistics" as ... was introduced by H. Gross who was an advocate of ... .
7. In the evidence analysis, forensic scientists apply a lot of scientific disciplines such as ... .
8. Physics helps with the examination of ... . Chemistry helps with the investigation of ... .
9. Anatomy and zoology offer knowledge about living beings and help with the analysis of ... .
10. Geology helps with ... .
11. Forensic results can prove the guilt or ... .
12. Forensic scientists can present their findings as ... .
13. The main fields in forensic examination are ... .

# UNIT

## 2

### CRIME LABORATORY activity

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Glossary



## Glossary

**Public crime laboratory (n)** - a state-financed laboratory functioning as a part of law enforcement agencies. It mainly deals with a crime scene processing, collecting relevant evidence and analysing most of them

**Private crime laboratory (n)** - a crime lab which typically doesn't respond to crime scenes to collect evidence. Commonly it employs civilian scientists specializing in a particular field of forensic evidence examination

**Body farm (n)** - an outdoor crime lab, a sort of scientific research center which focuses on the examination of dead bodies changes during the stages of decomposition under different environment conditions

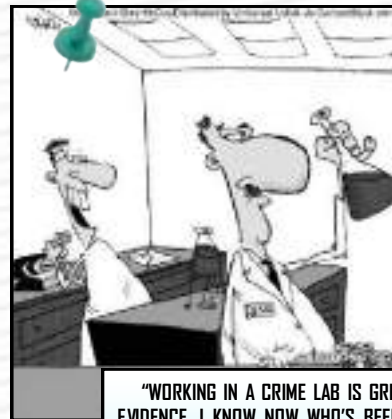
**Field analysts (n pl)** - investigators who arrive at a crime scene, reveal and collect evidence and process the scene

**Laboratory analysts (n pl)** - scientists or other personnel who run tests on the evidence brought to the lab

**Prelab activities (n pl)** - actions of field analysts at a crime scene which cover some kind of detective work - revealing important pieces of evidence and using proper means of their collecting

**Lab activities (n pl)** - actions of laboratory analysts in a crime lab which cover scientific analysis of the forensic evidence found at a crime scene

Fig.9. In a crime lab



"WORKING IN A CRIME LAB IS GREAT! USING DNA EVIDENCE, I KNOW NOW WHO'S BEEN STEALING MY TUNA SALAD FROM THE BREAK ROOM FRIDGE..."

### Let's discuss!

What other pieces of evidence could **you** imagine involved in this "crime"?

What sciences would help in their examination?



Microscope

# UNIT 2



## Crime laboratory activity

### Word bank!

#### 1. Read and translate the international words:

Laboratory, crime lab, public lab, private lab, personnel, analyst, specialist, criminalist, criminalistics, lab activity, criminal, criminal activity, detective (work), technology, to collect, collection, to process, test, to test, expertise, analysis, microscope, microscopic materials, identification, body farm, facts, results, print, latent print, trace materials.

### Who is who?

This person created the **world's first crime lab**.

He is known as the **French Sherlock Holmes** as being a



Fig.10. Father of the world's 1<sup>st</sup> crime lab

medical examiner in World War I, he was able to identify causes and locations of death by looking at

stains and trace evidence on soldiers' uniform.

In 1910, he rented a two-room attic in Lyon and transformed it into what's considered the **first crime lab**.

Who is he?

#### Make the infocard of the world's first crime lab:

Creator: \_\_\_\_\_  
Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of evidence in the focus in the crime lab activity: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Read and translate the following words chains:

1. Forensic – forensic kit – forensic artist – forensic science – forensic scientists – forensic science results – forensic science results prove the guilt or the innocence of a suspect.
2. Crime – crime scene – crime scene kit – crime scene tape – to examine a crime scene – to search (to comb) a crime scene – to protect (secure) a crime scene – to investigate a crime scene – crime scene investigation – crime scene investigator – crime laboratory – crime lab activity.
3. To collect – collected – evidence collected – evidence collection – to collect evidence at a crime scene – to collect all pieces of evidence accurately at a crime scene.
4. Print – fingerprint – to take fingerprints – types of fingerprints – to compare fingerprints – footprint – voice print – palm print – lipstick print – visible print – latent print – print examination.
5. To analyse – analysed – analysed evidence – to analyse evidence – analysis – evidence analysis – scientific analysis – samples analysis – analyst – laboratory analyst – field analyst.

#### Make up your own word chains using the following key-words:

To examine \_\_\_\_\_  
To investigate \_\_\_\_\_

#### 3. Decypher the phrase:

D	E	T	E	C	T	I	V	E	W	O	R	K	A	N	D
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E	S	P	E	R	F	O	R	M	E	D	B	Y	A	C	R
I	M	E	L	A	B	T	E	A	M	H	E	L	P	I	N
C	R	I	M	E	S	O	L	U	T	I	O	N	.		

#### 4. Match the words from two columns. More than one variant is possible:

- |                   |                |                  |                    |
|-------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 1. to collect     | 6. crime scene | a. laboratory    | f. analyst         |
| 2. to analyse     | 7. forensic    | b. scene         | g. examiner        |
| 3. to examine     | 8. laboratory  | c. investigation | h. kit             |
| 4. to investigate | 9. field       | d. evidence      | i. a dead body     |
| 5. to run test on | 10. crime      | e. fingerprints  | j. trace materials |



5. Forensic science deals with a crime scene. Who can we see at a crime scene?

Match the words with their definitions:

1. a forensic scientist	a) a person possessing a very important information about the crime or the person having committed the crime
2. a criminal	b) a person who suffers from harming actions of anybody
3. a victim	c) an employee of a crime laboratory
4. a witness	d) a person who commits a crime or does something considered wrong

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6. Who is who? Read the sentences and reveal all possible synonyms for the key-words. Fill in the table:

A WITNESS

A CRIMINAL

A VICTIM

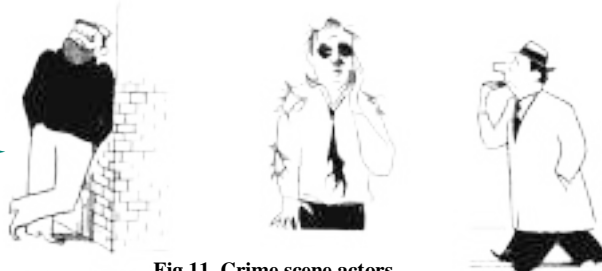


Fig.11. Crime scene actors

*Look it up!*

Get a complete table by looking up **all kinds** of synonyms in the dictionaries.

A CRIMINAL	A VICTIM	A WITNESS
...	...	...
...	...	...
...	...	...

- Police found a wounded man unconscious next to his car.
- A medical examiner has confirmed that there are 6 dead and 30 injured people.
- A hurt woman was still alive when she was discovered by a casual passer-by.
- The perpetrator is armed and very dangerous!
- Eye-witnesses testified that a law-breaker had escaped in the crowd.
- Police officers secured a crime scene from bystanders.
- An offender tried not to leave any evidence, but criminalists managed to find some traces.
- Forensic pathologist examined the corpse - the dead body had 3 bullet holes.
- Forensic analysts' results proved the guilt of a suspect.
- A violator threatened innocent casual onlookers.

What people (from the exercise) are involved in the forensic team?

7. Guess who is described. Give all possible names:

One day I saw a man stealing a video camera in the shop. This man was a \_\_\_\_\_. He hurt some people standing on his way. They were \_\_\_\_\_. Fortunately, there was no \_\_\_\_\_ there. The shop director called the police station and soon \_\_\_\_\_ came at the crime scene. I was a \_\_\_\_\_ of this crime as I saw how everything had happened.

*Be attentive!*

wounded  
[ˈwʊ:ndɪd] (p.p.)  
injured [ˈɪndʒəd] (p.p.)  
hurt [hɜ:t] (p.p.)  
perpetrator  
[ˈpɜ:pɪtreɪtə] (n)  
violation [ˈvaɪələɪtə] (n)

# UNIT 2



## Crime laboratory activity

### Prelab and lab activities

1. Give the definition of a crime laboratory.  
Use the glossary of Unit 1 if you need:

A crime laboratory, also called a forensic laboratory, is \_\_\_\_\_

2. Study the information on activities of a typical crime laboratory:



Fig.12. Prelab activities

A typical crime laboratory has two sets of personnel: field analysts who perform **prelab activities** at a crime scene and laboratory analysts whose work is focused on **lab activities** connected with evidence examination, expertise, tests.

In other words, crime laboratories **combine detective work with scientific analysis** to reveal details about a crime that would otherwise go unnoticed.

Crime laboratories often have employees who specialise in specific areas, such as collecting clues at a crime scene or using forensic analysis techniques in the laboratory to learn more about the gathered evidence.

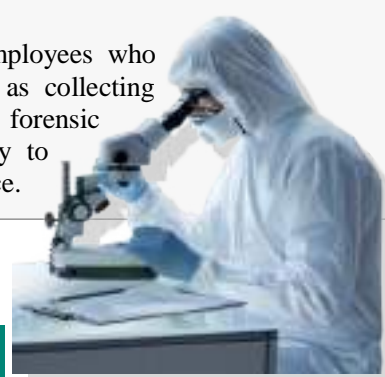


Fig.13. Lab activities

3. Divide different actions of a forensic team into prelab and lab activities:

PRELAB activities	1,
LAB activities	

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### Be attentive!

personnel [ˌpɜːs(ə)'nel] (n)

employ [ɪm'plɔɪ], [em-] (v)

employee [ˌɪm'plɔɪ'i:], [em] (n)

employment

[ɪm'plɔɪmənt], [em-] (n)

1. to detect and collect evidence;
2. to run tests on the evidence brought to the lab;
3. to make a scientific analysis of a crime weapon;
4. to take fingerprints of a suspect;
5. to make a mold of an offender's footwear impression;
6. to perform a lab examination of bloodstain found at the crime scene;
7. to take lipstick prints from a cup of tea;
8. to take photographs of the found clues;
9. to make a handwriting expertise;
10. to use forensic analysis techniques.

4. Give your own examples of prelab and lab activities of crime lab employees:

**Prelab activities** cover a good deal of actions of forensic detective work at a crime scene. In this area, field analysts \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Lab activities** are connected with scientific analysis of forensic evidence. In this field, laboratory analysts \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



## 7. Read about a car accident and work with the information:

Suppose you've just been an eyewitness of a car accident. A *sport utility vehicle (SUV) slammed into* a little sedan at high speed. After the impact, the sedan spun around before crashing into a telephone pole. Luckily, no one apparently was seriously hurt, but the SUV *sped away* before anyone had a chance to see its *licence plate*. What would you do?

You'd probably call the police and an ambulance to take the hurt driver to the hospital to get checked out. Meanwhile, law enforcement officers would arrive at the scene. They'd talk to witnesses while a forensic team would examine skid marks, make measurements, take photographs, and collect shards of glass and other scraps like paint chips, particles of both vehicles that came off after a crash contact. Then forensic scientists would analyse the data for clues that could lead to the vehicle (and the driver) that hit the little sedan.



Fig.14. A car crash

### Case study!

#### What do the word combinations in *italic* mean?

A sport utility vehicle (SUV) - \_\_\_\_\_  
 To slam into - \_\_\_\_\_  
 To speed away - \_\_\_\_\_  
 A licence plate - \_\_\_\_\_

### Look it up!

Look up these word combinations in **English-English** dictionaries.

#### Who is who? What are their actions in the story?

a PARTICIPANT in the story	SYNONYMS	a PERSON in the situation	ACTIONS
a criminal	a perpetrator; a law-breaker; ...	a driver of the sport utility vehicle	- slammed into a little sedan at high speed; - sped away from the accident scene
a victim	...	...	...
a witness	...	...	...
a med team	...	—	...
police	...	—	...
forensic scientists	...	—	- ...; - ...; - collect evidence; - analyse the data for clues that could lead to the suspect.

What pieces of evidence are in the focus of the forensic team in this car crash case? List them:

Make a conclusion.

What actions at this crime scene do forensic scientists perform in the frame of prelab activities?

What actions do they plan to perform as lab activities?



## Public and private labs

### Did you know?

In 1932 only **one** special **agent** started the FBI Laboratory in **one room with a borrowed microscope** and a few other pieces of equipment.



Fig.15. FBI's Crime Lab in 1940s

Today, the FBI Laboratory:

- is one of **the largest** and **most comprehensive** crime labs in the world;
- employs more than 650 forensic examiners who make about **one million forensic examinations** each year. Items of evidence may be as large as the fuselage from an aircraft or as small as the cells of a person's skin.

• covers a multitude of disciplines dealing with fingerprints, chemical substances, biological evidence and DNA, trace evidence, questioned documents, ballistics objects, tools marks, explosives, and many other unique forensic fields such as forensic geology, forensic metallurgy or forensic cryptanalysis.



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### 1. Study some more details about crime laboratory activity:

In different countries crime labs **can be organised in a public or private way**.

**Public crime labs** are funded and administered by federal, state or local government. They primarily deal with a crime scene processing, collecting relevant evidence and analysing most of them. There is a standard practice if a law enforcement agency doesn't operate its own crime lab - in this case it has free access to a higher level laboratory for analysis of their evidence.

**Private forensic labs** typically don't respond to crime scenes to collect evidence. Commonly they employ civilian scientists who are engaged in a specialised field of expertise such as DNA analysis, forensic entomology, toxicology, archaeology, etc.



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### 2. What is the difference between public and private crime labs?

Tick **✓** the box that best corresponds to the feature of a crime lab type:

FEATURE	PUBLIC LABS	PRIVATE LABS
1. They are funded and administered by governmental authorities.	✓	
2. They are privatised and paid for making forensic expertise.		
3. They primarily employ law enforcement officials who deal with processing a crime scene, gathering clues.		
4. They make forensic analysis of most of found pieces of evidence which are standard for a common crime scene.		
5. They typically don't respond to crime scenes to collect evidence.		
6. They employ civilian scientists who are specialised in a unique field of forensic expertise.		

### 3. Answer the questions:

1. What way can forensic labs be organised in?
2. What is the difference between public and private crime laboratories? (use ex.2, p.26)
3. What is a standard practice if a law enforcement agency doesn't operate its own crime lab?
4. What laboratory is considered as one of the largest crime labs in the world? Is it a public or a private one?
5. What are the statistic data about forensic examiners it employs and forensic analyses it makes?
6. What are the examples of typical and specialised fields of forensic examinations in the FBI and other crime labs?



## 4. Study the names of different crime lab units.

*What units are standard departments of public crime labs?*

*What units deal with specialised forensic fields, as a rule, in private crime labs? Can you continue these lists?*

**Standard departments** of public crime labs are \_\_\_\_\_

**Specialised units**, usually in private forensic labs, are \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Guess what units are described:

1. This unit analyses documents in dispute and restores documents that are damaged or have faded over time.
2. This unit studies microscopic materials or larger evidence, commonly hairs and fibres.
3. This unit investigates the components used to build and detonate bombs as well as undetonated explosive devices.
4. This unit identifies the nature of most solids or liquids from a crime scene.
5. This unit examines skeletal remains and the physical “makeup” of humans through millions of years.
6. This unit deals with bodies post mortem.

## 6. What piece of evidence is under the crime lab examination?

*What kind of forensic lab units deals with it?*

## Be aware!

Crime labs **can be composed of several units**.

Among them you can find:

- biology unit;
- prints unit;
- entomology unit;
- trace evidence unit;
- cryptanalysis unit;
- chemistry unit;
- archaeology unit;
- ballistics unit;
- geology unit;
- explosives unit;
- DNA unit;
- toxicology unit;
- pathology unit, etc.

## What about you?

What type of a crime lab and what unit would you like to work in? Why?



Fig.16-24. Different forensic examinations

*E.g. In the first picture we can see different soil samples. The forensic scientist is using a soil-colour chart to determine their composition and to get clues about the area where these samples are taken from. This evidence is analysed in a geology unit of a crime lab.*



## Body farms

### 1. Study the information about outdoor labs and their activities.

Outdoor forensic labs deal with **anthropology research**. They are colloquially called "**body farms**". At these labs, scientists primarily study the process of **human decomposition** using **donated bodies**. The corpses are placed in situations resembling common crime scenes, from being buried in shallow graves to being hidden away in vehicles. Scientists watch the bodies closely to see what happens to them over time **at the hands of** weather (temperature or humidity), bugs, and other disturbances.



Fig.25. A body farm plate

Understanding decomposition helps the analysts answer the 'Wh' questions:

- Who's the victim?
- When did the victim die?
- What happened?
- Where did he die?

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## Did you know?

The number of people choosing **to donate their remains** to this research program is increasing.

More than 5,000 donors are **pre-registered** at present!

### 2. Explain the highlighted word combinations:

Body farms are \_\_\_\_\_  
 Anthropology research is \_\_\_\_\_  
 Human decomposition is \_\_\_\_\_  
 To donate bodies means \_\_\_\_\_  
 "At the hands of" means \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Agree or disagree. If the statement is false, make it correct:

1. Body farms are indoor crime labs dealing with archaeology research. (T/F)
2. Outdoor forensic laboratories are named "body farms" as they deal with dead bodies in various phases of decay. (T/F)
3. Scientists work with corpses at the final stage of skeletonisation, they study only skeletal remains, bones, skulls. (T/F)
4. Understanding decomposition provides the analysts with the information about different stages of skeletonisation. (T/F)
5. The corpses are placed in situations resembling common crime scenes to see what happens to them over time in different environment conditions, such as weather, bugs and other disturbances. (T/F)
6. The corpses under examination are unidentified dead bodies from different crime scenes. (T/F)

## What about you?

What is **your** attitude to such a personal input (remains donation) into scientific research? Are you for or against it? Why?

## Interesting fact!

The **first** of its kind in the world, the original outdoor forensic research center was founded in 1981, in Tennessee, the USA.

Nowadays this is a unique "body farm" with the 2-acre plot of land, which is hilly and full of trees. Inside, more than 140 bodies lie **in various phases of decay** to provide scientists with the information about different stages of skeletonisation.

## To read more!



### 4. Sum up the information:

1. Outdoor forensic labs deal with ...
2. They are colloquially called ...
3. At these labs, scientists ...
4. The number of people choosing to donate their remains ...
5. The corpses are placed in situations ...
6. Scientists watch the dead bodies closely to see ...
7. They try to answer the questions: ...
8. The 1<sup>st</sup> body farm was founded in ...
9. Nowadays it is ...



## 5. Video “ ‘BODY FARM’ COMING TO WESTERN COLORADO”.

a) Before watching choose the key-terms you think body farms deal with:

<u>skeletons</u>	victims	fingerprints	donated dead bodies
poisons	DNA analysis	ballistics	forensic anthropology
corpses	death	decomposition	questioned document
graves	detonated bombs	impressions	a hidden research facility
chemical liquids	decay	bones	simulated crime scenes

*Video study!*



On body farms specialists deal with \_\_\_\_\_

b) Watch the video up to 0:45.

Complete the remark of Mark Stewart, 7 News reporter, about the atmosphere at the body farm.

Why is Mark Stewart so excited?

You can use the following phrases and word combinations from the video for your answer:

to be inside a body farm  
a place the public never gets to see  
a hidden research facility  
beyond the razor wire  
a laboratory that is both scientific and sacred  
bodies are left to decompose in the elements



IT'S A VERY  
ATMOSPHERE!

Fig.26-27. Video freeze-frames.  
Mark Stewart at a body farm

Mark Stewart, 7 news reporter, is so excited as \_\_\_\_\_

c) Watch the video to the end. Choose the right variant:

1. Ordinary people are regular visitors of body farms / are not allowed there.
2. Tennessee body farm is an outdoor lab model to be followed in other states / is unique of its kind.
3. There are anywhere from about 150 to 190 / 190 to 250 human bodies at any one time.
4. The bodies decay is observed in indoor labs or morgues / in simulated crime scenes: on the ground, in a car, even in a noose.
5. Studying changes that take place after death has no matter for real crimes investigation / can help investigators to determine the time and causes of found corpses.
6. Colorado body farm is like / unlike Tennessee one.
7. Once the donated bodies decompose, their skeletons are buried / are used to teach medical and anthropology students.

*What about you?*

What would **you** feel before visiting a body farm? Why?

*To read more!*



# UNIT 2



## Crime laboratory activity

d) Study the physical map of the USA. Find Tennessee and Colorado states:



Fig.28. Physical map of the USA

Guess what state is it:

- \_\_\_\_\_ is notable for its diverse geography, which includes alpine mountains, high plains, deserts with huge sand dunes, and deep canyons.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is characterised by the geographic diversity as it lies on mountains, plateaus, hills, valleys, and plains.

*Join in!*

Work in groups.

Study the physical map of the Russian Federation.



How many body farms would **you** create in Russia? Where would **you** design them if **you** had the decision-making power?

e) Watch the video again. What natural features are noted for the Tennessee and Colorado body farms? Complete the table:

	TENNESSEE body farm	COLORADO body farm
1. a dry desert		
2. a hilly territory		
3. forested land		
4. the lack of humidity		
5. the intensity of the sun		
6. proximity to the river		
7. high altitude		

f) Why are Tennessee and Colorado body farms constructed in so entirely different environments?



## 1. Crime lab activity in a pop culture:

The term “crime lab” has become a part of popular culture, largely due to the TV series.

*Read some information about some of the most famous world's shows and guess what series is meant:*

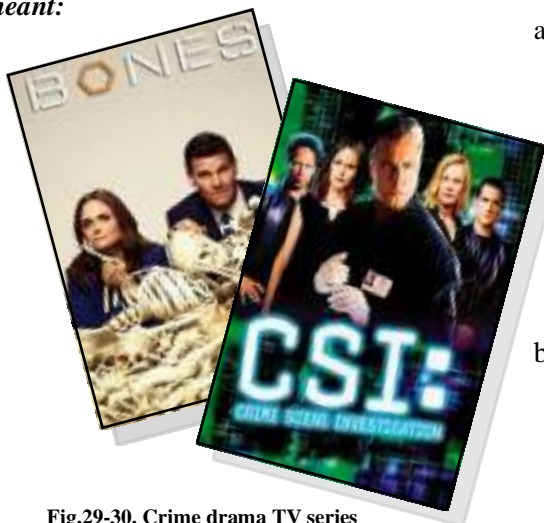


Fig.29-30. Crime drama TV series

- This is an American crime television series that was aired from 2005 until 2017. It has 246 episodes over twelve seasons. The show is based on forensic anthropology and forensic archaeology, with each episode focusing on a FBI case file concerning the mystery behind human remains.
- This is an American forensics crime drama television series which ran from 2000 to 2015, spanning 15 seasons. The main characters are crime scene investigators that use physical evidence to solve murders.

## Crime labs in a pop culture

### Let's discuss!

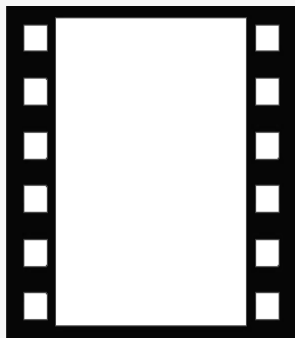
Choose one episode of one of the series, give its plot summary.

**Tell about the victim, the suspect and the forensic team.**

What type of a crime lab is presented in the series (a public or a private one)?

What **pieces of evidence** could help analysts solve the case?

## 2. Recall some Russian crime television series, where we can see a crime lab teams work. Make the card for one of them:

	_____
	_____ title _____
	Show period: _____
	Plot summary: _____
	_____
	Main characters: _____
	_____
	_____
	_____

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### Join in!

Work in groups.

If **you** wrote a screenplay for some crime TV series, what kind of a crime lab and which of its units would be presented in **your** show? Why?

Do **you** have any idea for the title, plot, main characters and their professional activities?

*Answer some questions on one episode of the chosen TV series:*

- What idea does the title give? What is this TV show about?
- What type of a crime lab is presented in the show (a public or a private one)?
- How many people are there in the forensic team?
- What is the field of their professional activity - crime scene clues collecting or forensic evidence analysis? (speak about prelab and lab activities)
- Do the forensic analysts deal with all kinds of evidence or are they specialised in the specific forensic area (fingerprinting, voiceprinting, cryptanalysis, anthropology, etc.)?

# UNIT 2



## Crime laboratory activity

### Check yourself!

1. Give the definition of a crime laboratory.

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2. Word search puzzle. Find all the words given below:

L	A	B	O	R	O	R	Y	P	R	E	I	S	C
A	I	N	C	A	T	O	E	V	I	L	A	B	E
N	N	V	R	I	M	E	A	E	D	E	N	N	N
A	S	E	S	C	I	E	N	C	E	S	C	E	E
L	T	A	N	Y	S	I	C	L	U	A	N	I	T
Y	I	G	A	L	X	S	E	T	E	C	H	Q	S
S	I	A	T	T	E	S	T	F	O	N	S	U	E
T	T	E	I	O	N	E	X	P	R	E	I	C	S
D	E	C	T	I	O	N	M	E	R	T	I	S	E

laboratory  
science  
forensics

investigation  
expertise  
test

detection  
analysis  
analyst

evidence  
clues  
techniques

prelab  
crime  
scene

Make up as many word chains with these given words as possible:

1. Crime laboratory, forensic laboratory, laboratory activity, laboratory analysts, private laboratory, public laboratory, outdoor forensic laboratory, etc.
2. \_\_\_\_\_

### Test on-line!



3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_

Write down the unused letters:

What is a key-word made up of these letters?

Any activity of a crime lab is targeted at the evidence

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### 3. Divide the actions of forensic experts into prelab and lab activities:

Forensic experts ...	PRELAB activities	LAB activities
1. search a crime scene to reveal all relevant clues	+	
2. take photos of the found pieces of evidence		
3. use a microscope to analyse fibres		
4. make measurements of the stop distance		
5. determine the composition of the soil sample		
6. extract DNA from a cell of a person's skin		
7. make a ballistics expertise of the fired bullets		
8. collect a footwear impression of a suspect		
9. restore a documents in dispute that is damaged		
10. examine the nature of the drink that killed the victim		
11. analyse the components of the paint chips		
12. document all the found evidence		

### 4. Study the forensic lab vocabulary.

Tick ✓ different pieces of evidence:

What unit of a forensic lab deals with each of them?

E.g. An animal's hair is analysed in a biology unit of a crime lab.

### 5. Answer the questions:

1. What is a crime laboratory?
2. How many sets of personnel are there in a typical forensic laboratory? What are they?
3. What duties of forensic experts are connected with prelab activities?
4. What actions fall under lab activities?
5. What way can forensic labs be organised in?
6. What is the difference between public and private crime laboratories?
7. What is the largest public lab in the world?
8. What units are typical for public crime labs? And for private ones?
9. What pieces of evidence does each of these units deal with?
10. What do outdoor laboratories look like?
11. What is these body farms functioning targeted at?

### VOCABULARY:

- ✓ animal's hair
- bloodstain
- body farm
- bomb
- bones
- cell of a person's skin
- chemical solids
- collect evidence
- crime lab
- crime weapon
- decay
- detective work
- DNA
- explosive devices
- faded document
- field analyst
- fingerprints
- fired bullet
- footwear impression
- human decomposition
- lab analyst
- make an expertise
- outdoor lab
- paint chips
- poison
- private crime lab
- process a crime scene
- public crime lab
- run tests
- scientific analysis
- skeletal remains
- soil sample
- technique
- teeth fragments

# UNIT 2



## Crime laboratory activity

### 6. Study the photos.

*What crime laboratory activities (lab or prelab) are depicted here?*

*What are your ideas on the type of the crime lab involved - is it public or private? Why?*

*What are forensic scientists doing?*

*What pieces of evidence are in the focus of their attention?*

*What crime lab unit should deal with them?*



1. Prelab / lab activities: \_\_\_\_\_

Public / Private crime lab: \_\_\_\_\_

Depicted actions: \_\_\_\_\_

Evidence: \_\_\_\_\_

Crime lab unit: \_\_\_\_\_



Fig.31-32. A crime lab activities

2. Prelab / lab activities: \_\_\_\_\_

Public / Private crime lab: \_\_\_\_\_

Depicted actions: \_\_\_\_\_

Evidence: \_\_\_\_\_

Crime lab unit: \_\_\_\_\_

*What about you?*

7. What type of a crime lab and what unit would you like to work in? Why?  
Give some arguments:

As for me, I would like to work in \_\_\_\_\_

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# UNIT

## 3

## Profession of a FORENSIC EXPERT

### Glossary

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**Forensic expert (n) -**  
a crime laboratory employee properly handling a crime scene, collecting and analysing forensic evidence to help the operational-investigative group in crime investigation and solution

**Crime scene unit (n) -**  
a skilled forensic team responding to and processing a crime scene, collecting evidence and analysing most of them. It involves field analysts

**Field analysts (n pl) -**  
investigators who arrive at a crime area, reveal, document and collect evidence, and in general process the scene

**Laboratory analysts (n pl) -**  
scientists or other personnel who run tests on the evidence brought to the lab

**Crime scene kit (n) =**  
**Forensic kit (n) -**  
a forensic case which provides all tools (such as a magnifying glass, tweezers, cotton swabs, dust for fingerprinting, etc.) which are necessary to detect, collect and document forensic evidence

**Forensic outfit (n) -**  
protective clothing (full-body suit with a hood, a face mask, shoe covers/ booties, gloves) which is worn over regular clothes to protect a forensic expert himself and prevent evidence contamination

**Crime scene vehicle (n) =**  
**Forensic investigation vehicle (n) -**  
a special vehicle designed to respond to any crime scene

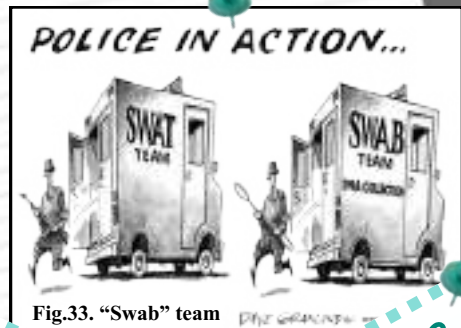


Fig.33. "Swab" team

Evidence  
flags



Look it up!

SWAT team or SWAB team? ☺  
Look up what SWAT stands for. What does SWAB mean?

What about you?

Reflect on why forensic team can be called a "swab" team. Think up **your** own name for it. Explain **your** choice.



# UNIT 3 Profession of a forensic expert

## Word bank!

### Look it up!

What about **zoology**, **geology**, **psychology**, **archaeology**, **pathology**? What is the meaning of their Greek and Latin roots? Choose 5-10 any other sciences, analyse their meanings.

### Be attentive!

anthropology  
[.ænθrə'pɒlədʒi] (n)  
serum ['sɪərəm] (n)

### Be aware!

There is a difference between two terms.

**Criminalistics** is the study of evidence to investigate crimes.

**Criminology** is the study why crimes occur, how they can be prevented and what are the effects they have on a society.

1. Profession of a forensic scientist covers different scientific fields. Study the meanings of the Greek and Latin words and offer the simple definitions for the given sciences:

Logos - science, study  
Anthropos - human beings  
Toxicos - poisons  
Serum - serum (of blood)  
Éntomon - insect  
Odontos - a tooth (teeth)

Toxicology → study of poisons  
Anthropology →  
Serology →  
Entomology →  
Odontology →  
Criminology →

2. Word search puzzle. Find all the words given below:

A	N	T	E	N	T	O	M	O	L	O	G	Y	C
S	M	Y	A	C	A	I	H	C	S	Q	B	S	O
W	P	T	T	F	N	C	U	L	E	R	E	J	D
B	A	J	O	I	T	H	B	V	R	I	M	V	O
A	T	E	X	R	H	E	L	S	O	M	J	W	N
L	H	N	I	E	R	M	O	D	L	P	U	U	T
L	O	K	C	A	O	I	O	O	O	R	X	S	O
I	L	U	O	R	P	C	D	C	G	E	P	E	L
S	O	P	L	M	O	A	T	U	Y	S	O	R	O
T	G	Y	O	N	L	L	R	M	P	S	I	U	G
I	Y	H	G	Y	O	S	M	E	Y	I	S	M	Y
C	N	P	Y	S	G	F	K	N	F	O	O	I	S
S	T	C	N	Y	Y	G	J	T	D	N	N	H	T

anthropology   chemicals   impression   serology   blood  
entomology   document   odontology   serum   pathology  
ballistics   firearm   poison   toxicology

3. What can be in the focus of the following crime laboratory departments? Distribute the examples, translate them:

TOXICOLOGY

ENTOMOLOGY

ANTHROPOLOGY

BALLISTICS

ODONTOLOGY

DOCUMENT EXAMINATION

PRINTING

SEROLOGY

poison	suicide note	blood	arsenic	bullet
firearm	impression	blow flies	ransom letter	skeletal remains
teeth fragments	chemicals	projectile	human skull	sweat
saliva	explosive device	serum	fingerprint	insects

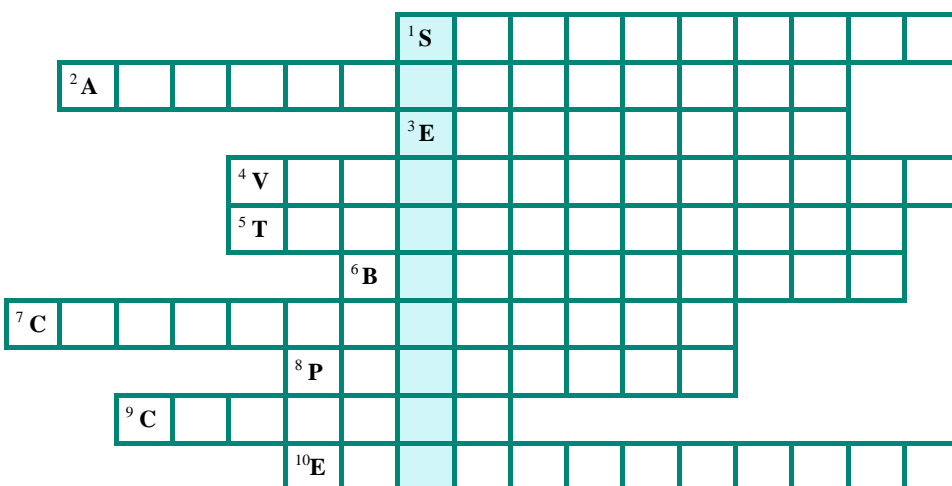


## 4. Each statement is wrong. Make the sentences correct:

1. Anthropologists study insects appearing in the process of decomposition.
2. Voice prints analysis is the field of printing specialists' research.
3. Chemists study the handwriting in documents in dispute.
4. Criminalists study why crimes occur, how they can be prevented and the effects they have on a society.
5. Criminologists collect and study the evidence from the crime scene .
6. Serologists deal with different firearms and projectiles.
7. Fingerprints, palmprints are examined by ballistics experts.
8. Toxicologists study skeletal remains of human beings.
9. Poisonous substances are investigated by document examiners.
10. Entomologists deal with different chemical substances, mixtures, organic and inorganic samples analysis.
11. Body fluids (blood, serum, semen, sweat , etc.) are analysed by voiceprinting experts.
12. Human being's teeth fragments, bite-marks are in the focus of a printing specialist.

## 5. What are these people?

1. A scientist who studies different body fluids.
2. A scientist who studies human beings and their skeletal remains.
3. A scientist who studies documents in dispute - a document ...
4. A person who understands different nuances of voice prints - a ... expert.
5. A scientist who studies poisonous substances.
6. A specialist who deals with different firearms and projectiles - a ... expert.
7. A scientist who studies why crimes occur.
8. A person who deals with fingerprints - a ... specialist.
9. A scientist who deals with chemical substances.
10. A scientist who deals with insects found in decomposing remains.



What is the key-word?

Each person in a forensic team is a

## Be attentive!

ballistics [bə'listiks] (n)  
bullet ['bulɪt] (n)  
projectile [prə'dʒektail] (n)

## Did you know?

The term **ballistics** is derived:

- from the Latin word **ballista** which means **ancient military machine for hurling stones**:



Fig. 34. Roman ballista

- from Greek **ballistes** (ballein) - **to throw so as to hit**.

## Be aware!

**Printing** covers not only fingerprints or footprints, but also impressions.

All **prints** are taken from **a solid surface**.

**Impressions** are taken from **a soft surface**, such as sand, soil or snow.

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## Job titles

### 1. Study the information about the personnel of a typical crime lab:

A typical crime lab has **two sets of personnel**.

**Field analysts (crime scene unit)** - investigators who go to crime scenes, collect evidence and process the scene. Job titles include:

- Crime scene investigator - CSI (= criminalist);
- Sketch artist;
- Photographer, video operator.

**Laboratory analysts** - scientists or other personnel who run tests on the evidence brought to the lab (e.g., DNA tests, or bullet striations).

Job titles include:

- Forensic technician (performs support functions such as making reagents);
- Forensic scientist (performs scientific analyses on evidence);
- Specialists in different scientific disciplines (forensic document examiner, forensic entomologist, forensic serologist, forensic psychologist, forensic anthropologist, forensic pathologist, forensic linguist, etc).



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## What about you?

Will **you** be a field or lab analyst after **your** professional training?

## Did you know?

There are some interesting job titles in the profession in a crime lab personnel:

**Forensic accountants** interpret the financial evidence.

**Digital forensic analysts** investigate material found in digital devices, often in relation to computer crime.

**Forensic engineers** identify the fault lines in a construction accident or catastrophe.

**Forensic astronomers** analyse criminal data on the basis of information from the constellations.

### 2. Study the photos and answer the questions given below:



Fig.35-36. Forensic scientists at work

1. What kind of specialist is shown here - a field analyst or a laboratory analyst?
2. Where is he/she working - at a crime scene or in a crime laboratory?
3. What is his/her job title?
4. According to his/her job title, what does he/she have to do?

*He/ She has to...*

- accurately search/ comb a crime scene
  - make the evidence examination/ run tests on the evidence
  - sketch a crime scene with all the relevant details
  - collect evidence, such as fingerprints, bullets or bloodstains
  - know how different lab machines/ devices work
  - make reagents
5. The expert is wearing protective clothing. Why is he/she so careful?  
*This specialist is very careful...*
    - not to contaminate/ not to damage the evidence
    - as he/she doesn't want to get dirty with the evidence
    - as his/her work is very dangerous
    - to try to preserve the initial state of the evidence
    - not to leave his/ her own traces

## Look it up!

Look up other non-standard forensic job titles.

## Be attentive!

damage ['dæmɪdʒ] (v), (n)

contaminate [kən'tæmɪneɪt] (v)

contamination [kən,tæmɪ'neɪʃn] (n)



### 3. Forensic scientists' job titles. Match them with their activities:

JOB TITLES	ACTIVITIES
1. Forensic pathologists	a) make dental examination, bite-marks analysis, identify human remains using dental records
2. Forensic engineers	b) investigate computer-based internet crimes
3. Forensic serologists	c) interpret the financial evidence
4. Forensic document examiners	d) answer the questions about a disputed document, deal with forgery, counterfeiting, handwriting and ink analysis, etc.
5. Forensic odontologists	e) deal with human or animal remains
6. Forensic anthropologists/archaeologists	f) identify the fault lines in a construction accident or catastrophe; make basic fire and explosion investigation
7. Forensic entomologists	g) perform an autopsy, examine the corpses, analyse fluids taken from the body
8. Forensic psychologists/psychiatrists	h) make a clinical expertise of a mental health of a perpetrator, a criminal profile or a crime scene assessment to determine the offender's motives
9. Forensic accountants	i) analyse criminal data on the basis of information from the constellations
10. Digital forensic analysts	j) analyse insects found in decomposing remains
11. Forensic astronomers	k) make blood testing, analyse other body fluids such as semen, saliva, sweat, etc

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
g											

### 4. Study the photos, give your ideas about the occurred events. What forensic scientists have to take part in these crime scene investigations:



Fig.37-39. Forensic scientists at work

### Be attentive!

identify [**ai**'dentɪfai] (v)  
identification  
[**ai**,dentɪfɪ'keɪʃ(ə)n] (n)  
forgery ['fɔːdʒ(ə)rɪ] (n)  
financial  
[fai'nænʃ(ə)l] (adj)  
autopsy ['ɔːtəpsi] (n)

### Keep in mind!

Back in the XIX<sup>th</sup> century **H. Gross** (see p.18) highlighted **objectiveness, diligence, perseverance, knowledge of human nature** and **love for veracity** as the most important characteristics of any forensic scientist.

### Be attentive!

diligence  
[dɪlɪdʒ(ə)ns] (n)  
perseverance  
[pɜːsɪ'vɪər(ə)ns] (n)  
nature ['neɪtʃə] (n)  
veracity [və'reɪsəti] (n)

### Let's discuss!

What qualities do **you** think a forensic scientist should have? Why?

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## Forensic scientists training

### 1. Video "UNLOCKING CRIME: FORENSIC SCIENCE AT KINGSTON UNIVERSITY".

a) Before watching, read the video title. What are your ideas about what "unlocking crime" means? What is the role of forensic scientists in this process?

\_\_\_\_\_

b) Work with some notions from the video:

### Video study!



1. a crime scene house	a) a practice for fresh employees to understand how real things work; this is an additional training to master skills needed to a concrete company
2. an analytical lab	b) a specially created fake locus delicti to train field analysts' competences in crime scene processing
3. a bones room	c) an educational scientific laboratory with a range of different machines for forensic tests running
4. internship	d) an educational scientific laboratory with an incredible collection of skeletal remains

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	

c) Watch the video and choose the correct answer:

- Kingston University is located in:
  - the USA
  - the UK
  - Australia
- The interviewed girls are trained in:
  - operational detective activity
  - forensic science
  - judicial process
- The interviewed girls are:
  - the University graduates
  - the University students
  - both answers: 2 of them are the actual students and one girl is a real forensic scientist graduated from the University
- To train their forensic skills they:
  - use the University crime scene house, analytical lab, bones room, etc.
  - process real crime scenes
  - read a lot of theoretical books but they have no practice
- To process a fake crime scene the students:
  - can wear their casual suits
  - must put on protective clothes
  - are allowed to put on only latex gloves
- The analytical lab of the University:
  - offers an incredible collection of bones
  - has a whole range of different machines for making forensic tests
  - deals only with counterfeiting

### Look it up!

HPLC and GCMS are mentioned in the video as different forensic examination techniques.

What do they stand for?

d) Agree or disagree. If the statement is false, make it correct:

- Kingston University forensic science course is extremely varied. (T/F)
- Kingston University offers no possibility to get real work experience in analysing and collecting evidence from the crime scene. (T/F)
- There is no positive relationship between the staffs and the students. (T/F)
- The University analytical lab is full of different machines that can be used for all kinds of experiments. (T/F)
- The students of the University use the same techniques as those which are used in real crime laboratories. (T/F)

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6. The facilities at Kingston University are far from fantastic. (T/F)
7. The collection of bones that were donated at the University is incredible. (T/F)
8. The knowledge, the experience and the support the students gain from the lecturers at the University help them open the door in the future career. (T/F)

e) Tick ✓ the information mentioned in the video:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <p>1. Kingston University has a lot of facilities such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a body farm</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> an analytical lab</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a bones room</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a crime scene house</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> scenes of real crimes</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a forensic team vehicle</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a real forensic laboratory</li> </ul> | <p>2. The fields of forensic science application stated in the video are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> insects identification</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> blood samples analysis</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a criminal profiling</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> DNA extraction</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> bones analysis</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> bullets trajectory identification</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> counterfeits identification</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> bite-mark analysis</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> soil samples expertise</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> drug detection</li> </ul> |
|---|--|

Analyse the University facilities and forensic fields stated in the video.  
What kinds of forensic specialists does Kingston University train?

*What about you?*

What kinds of forensic specialists will **you** be after **your** professional training?

f) Study the freeze-frames from the video and try to answer the questions.  
Sum up the information you'll get:

### BONES ROOM

1. Are these prelab or lab activities that students master in the bones room?
2. What objects are in the focus of their studying?
3. What knowledge and professional skills do the students get practicing here?
4. What forensic specialty can they get training here?



Fig.40. In the bones room. Video freeze-frames

Use these questions to describe the opportunities that other facilities give:

### CRIME SCENE HOUSE

### ANALYTICAL LAB

g) Is your training in forensics at your University like one shown in the video? What are the similarities and differences?

*Let's discuss!*

SIMILARITIES	DIFFERENCES

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## Professional equipment

1. Study the protective clothes of forensic scientists. Match them with the pictures:

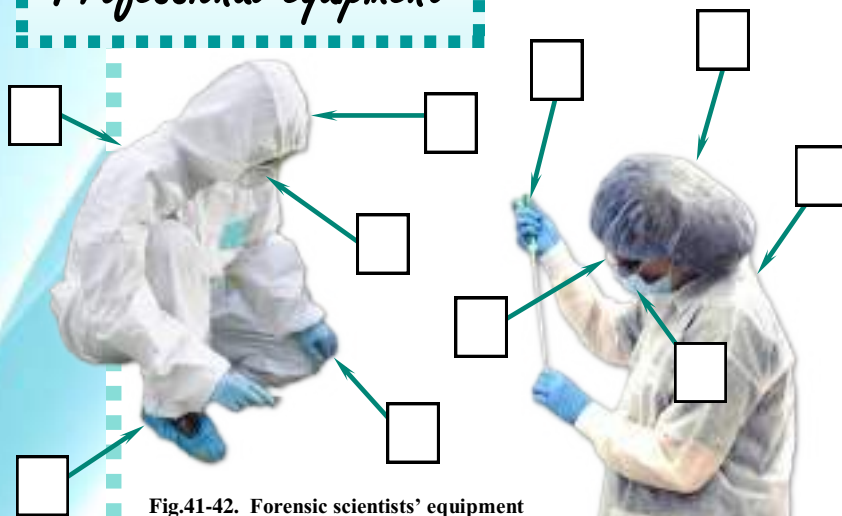


Fig.41-42. Forensic scientists' equipment

1.	Protective overall (full-body suit/ outfit)
2.	Lab coat
3.	Mask
4.	Latex gloves
5.	Protective cap
6.	Protective hood
7.	Shoe covers (booties)
8.	Safety glasses

2. Sum up the information about the protective clothes of different kinds of forensic analysts. Give the strict instructions for them. You can use the following word combinations or phrases for your answer:

## What about you?

Is the professional outfit of forensic scientists in **your** country like the studied one?

What does **your** basic equipment look like?

Must wear, not to contaminate and damage the evidence (as the evidence must not be damaged and contaminated), as the evidence must be carefully preserved, to protect themselves (in case of evidence dangerous for health), forensic specialists, the protective clothes, the basic equipment of a field analyst includes, the basic uniform of a laboratory analyst consists of.

Forensic specialists \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

3. Complete the remark according to the depicted situation:

STOP!!! YOU CAN'T WORK!  
YOU HAVEN'T PUT ON ... !

Analyse the crime scene and try to answer the questions:

1. Where was the crime committed - indoors or outdoors?
2. Is the victim alive or dead? Give some arguments in support of your point of view.
3. Could you imagine this crime plot?
4. What pieces of evidence could be revealed at the crime scene?
5. What kinds of forensic specialists would be involved in your scenario?



Fig.43. Crime scene cartoon



4. Read the instruction how to collect the evidence and write down the things you will need: →

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To collect evidence field specialists need:  
gloves, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Divide these things into three categories:

PROTECTIVE CLOTHES	FORENSIC KIT TOOLS	CONTAINERS

6. Study the forensic kit tools:

- Chalk
- Tweezers
- Magnifying glass
- Cotton swabs
- Scissors
- Dust for fingerprinting
- Tape lift
- Flashlight
- Brushes
- Mirror
- Measuring tape
- Containers (plastic and paper bags, test tubes)
- Evidence flags / cones
- Crime scene tape



Audio text



Fig.44. Forensic kit

Fill in the gaps with the tools that field analysts need:

Field analysts use

- \_\_\_\_\_ to protect the crime scene and to mark the evidence.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect some fibres or hair.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect saliva for DNA testing.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect the casings from the fired bullets.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect blood spatters from the floor.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect latent fingerprints.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect some patterns with some dirty stains from the victim's skirt.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to collect broken window glass.

## Be aware!

Here is some kind of **instruction for crime scene investigators**:

Secure and preserve the crime scene. Before any evidence can be collected, the scene must be secured from further contamination. Establish a crime scene perimeter and allow only necessary personnel to enter. Photograph the scene before evidence is collected.

Put on gloves and other protective clothing, if needed (such as plastic overalls, hoods and shoe covers), to make sure you don't contaminate the scene, then conduct a systematic search of the area.

Use cotton swabs to gather liquid bodily fluids or some substance evidence.

Collect hair, fibres and threads using tweezers. Each piece of evidence should then be placed individually in a sealed tube, plastic or paper bag.

Dust for fingerprints. Special dusting powder is used that adheres to the body oil found on human fingers. Once a print is detected it can be "lifted" using a special tape. The tape is then placed on a glass slide, marked and transported in a sealed plastic evidence bag.

Pick up larger pieces of evidence, such as a firearm or clothing, while wearing latex gloves so as not to contaminate the evidence. Place each piece in a separate marked bag or box.

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7. Analyse the photos and tell what evidence field analysts deal with, what forensic tools and containers they need to collect the clues:



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2.

	EVIDENCE	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINERS
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			



7.



6.



3.



4.



5.

Fig.45-51. Evidence that field analysts deal with

8. Study the real photos from the crime scenes. What are the criminalists doing? Are they wearing the right outfit? What should they wear?



1.



2.

Fig.52-53. Real crime scenes

1. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Study the advertisement for crime scene vehicles.  
Reveal the synonyms for “crime scene vehicles”:

### Forensic team vehicles



Fig.54. EVI's logo

Emergency Vehicles, Inc. (EVI) has been building **emergency response vehicles** since 1971.

Our Crime Scene Vans can be designed and built to fit your departments' specific needs.

Crime Scene Trucks can cut down the setup time at scene sites while providing staff with a comfortable work area to process evidence on site.

EVI Crime Scene Units can be designed with generator, water supply, fuming chamber with exhaust fan, copy stand for photography, computer work stations, portable lighting sources, outside compartments for equipment, stainless steel countertops and diamond plate flooring for easy cleaning, additional stations for processing items for fingerprints, and much more.

Fig.55-56. Crime scene vehicle



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text



Crime scene vehicles: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand the term “emergency response vehicles”?  
What are they for? What other emergency response services do you know?

Write down all mentioned devices of crime scene vans:

Crime scene vehicles can be equipped with \_\_\_\_\_

2. Match different devices equipping crime scene trucks and their functions:

1. A generator	a) are necessary if CSIs need some extra lighting
2. A water supply	b) has an anti-slip effect and is easy for cleaning
3. A copy stand	c) has non-porous surface, is resistant to any damage
4. A stainless steel countertop	d) is an ergonomically designed area of an office that accommodates a desktop computer and all of its peripherals
5. A computer work station	e) is a source of water at hand if it's needed
6. Portable lighting sources	f) is used to get digital pictures of evidence
7. A fuming chamber (see p.114)	g) provides CSIs with electricity source
8. A diamond plate flooring	h) helps reveal latent fingerprints

1. ☐
2. ☐
3. ☐
4. ☐
5. ☐
6. ☐
7. ☐
7. ☐

### Be attentive!

emergency

[ɪ'mɜːdʒ(ə)n(t)sɪ] (n)

vehicle ['viːkl] (n)

design [dr'zaɪn] (n)

exhaust [ɪg'zɔːst] (n)

lighting ['laɪtɪŋ] (n)

diamond ['daɪəmənd] (n)

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## Video study!



## Keep in mind!

To speak about **advantages** or **disadvantages** you can use the following:



pluses and minuses,  
pros and cons,  
highs and lows.

### 3. Video "SCIENCE QUEST: CRIME SCENE UNIT\_VEHICLE".

- a) Before watching, think about the opportunities that crime scene vans give.  
Use the advertisement from ex.1, p.45 for help.  
Your own ideas are welcome:

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Watch the video up to 0:20. What pros of crime scene vehicles did Trevor speak about?

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- b) Watch the video to the end. Tick ✓ forensic tools and items you've seen or heard:

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a measuring tape | <input type="checkbox"/> brushes              | <input type="checkbox"/> a photo camera                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> evidence flags   | <input type="checkbox"/> a video camera       | <input type="checkbox"/> plaster for taking impressions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tweezers         | <input type="checkbox"/> lights               | <input type="checkbox"/> a magnifying glass             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> cottons swabs    | <input type="checkbox"/> a trace evidence kit | <input type="checkbox"/> blood test tools               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> scissors         | <input type="checkbox"/> a crime scene tape   | (for Kastle-Meyer test)                                 |

- c) What 2 forensic actions at a crime scene were shown in details? Exercise 3(b) can help you.

- d) Look at the freeze-frames. What processes are depicted here?

Watch the video once again and try to fill in the gaps with the words given below:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ can tell us that's blood but it doesn't differentiate between animal and human blood.

To run this test at a crime scene field analysts have to:

- put some \_\_\_\_\_ on the swab to pick up the item to be tested;
- add \_\_\_\_\_;
- use \_\_\_\_\_ to get a chemical reaction.

A \_\_\_\_\_ colour of reaction proves that there is \_\_\_\_\_ there.



Fig.57. Video freeze-frame

hydrogen peroxide   alcohol   bright pink   Kastle-Meyer test   blood   pheno (phenolphthalin)

2. \_\_\_\_\_ is needed when footprints or shoeprints are left in a \_\_\_\_\_ surface like \_\_\_\_\_, dirt or \_\_\_\_\_.

To take them field analysts:

- use \_\_\_\_\_ first to consolidate the bonds of impressions;
- add water to \_\_\_\_\_, mix them;
- pour the \_\_\_\_\_ right over the impressions;
- let it dry (from 10 to 20 minutes).



Fig.58. Video freeze-frame

mixture   sand   hairspray   soft   plaster   snow   taking impressions



## 4. Video “SCIENCE QUEST: CRIME SCENE UNIT FORENSIC INVESTIGATIONS VEHICLE”.

a) Before watching the video study the vehicle on the freeze-frame:



Fig.59. Video freeze-frame

Answer the questions:

1. What details in the exterior of the vehicle tell us that this is a van of field analysts' team?

2. What are your ideas about technical devices in the equipment of this van?

Use ex.1,2,3 (Pp.45-46) for help.

I predict this van is equipped with \_\_\_\_\_

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b) Watch the video. Has your prediction come true?

What devices have you seen in the video? Tick ✓ their names:

- |   |   |  |                                       |
|---|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a generator                        | <input type="checkbox"/> a water supply   | <input type="checkbox"/> a fax machine   | <input type="checkbox"/> drones       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> a stainless steel countertop       | <input type="checkbox"/> a vacuum cleaner | <input type="checkbox"/> a refrigerator  | <input type="checkbox"/> a scanner    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> an electrostatic dust print lifter | <input type="checkbox"/> a 3D printer     | <input type="checkbox"/> a photo printer | <input type="checkbox"/> extra lights |

c) What devices is Anndee Kendrick, a crime scene supervisor, speaking about?

1. “We use it to scan items and email them to the identification section so they can go ahead and look at them while we are still out working the scene”.
2. “We use it if we have no source of electricity out of scene”.
3. “We use it to get trace evidence such as dry sediments, hairs, fibres”.
4. “We use it to print pictures at a scene”.
5. “We use it if we need fax capability. We can hook our laptops up and fax items”.
6. “We use them to have some extra lighting”.
7. “We use it if some pieces of evidence must be kept cold”.
8. “We use it with a pad which acts as a magnet if we have dusty shoe prints left on a solid surface”.

Video study!



Did you know?

A word **sheriff** which means a governmental official with law enforcement duties refers immediately to the USA counties, but it originated in Great Britain and Ireland.

Historically **sheriff** is derived from **shire reeve** - a royal official (reeve) responsible for keeping the peace throughout a shire on behalf of the king.

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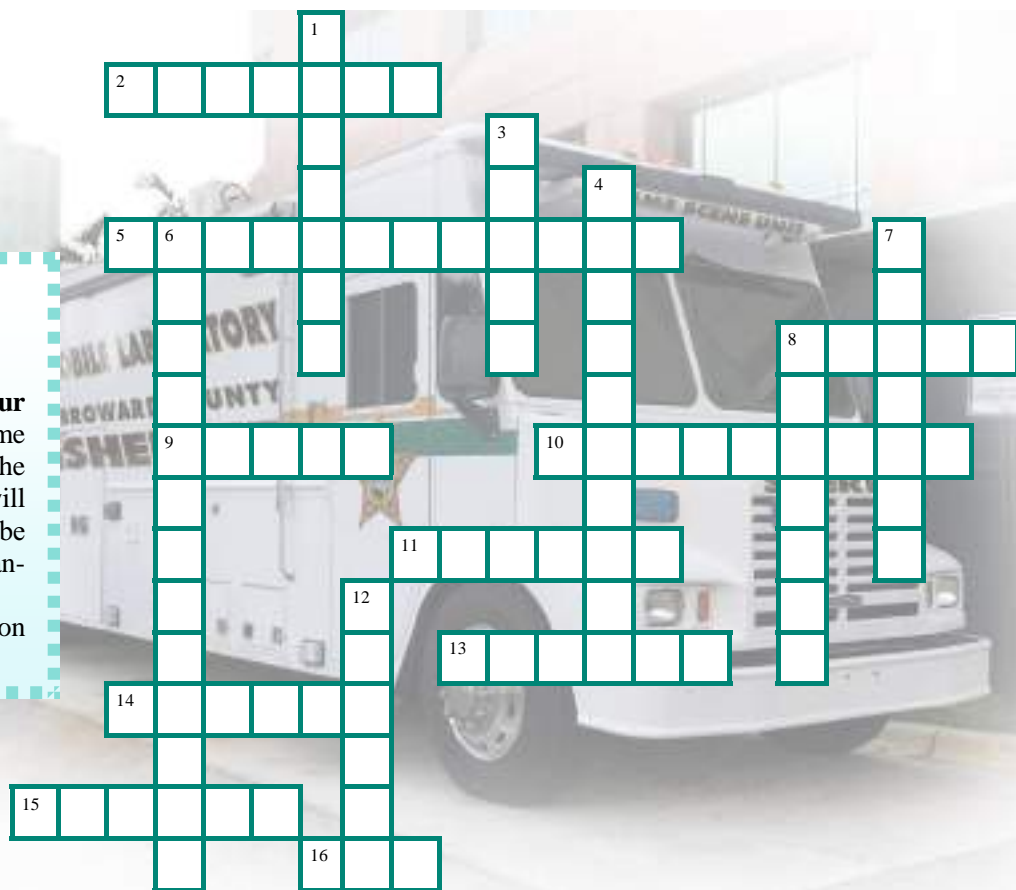
5. Check your knowledge on the equipment of crime scene vehicles. Do the crosswords:

## Join in!

Work in groups.

What are **your** ideas on the crime scene vehicles of the future? What will they be like? Don't be shy in imagining fantastic things!

Do a presentation of **your** draft.



### Across:

2. It's used to print pictures at a scene.
5. It's used if some pieces of evidence must be kept cold.
8. It's used to get digital pictures of evidence - a copy ...
9. A synonym for a forensic team van.
10. It's used if there is no source of electricity out of scene.
11. They are used to get some extra lighting at a scene.
13. A water ... provides with a source of water at hand.
14. A ... cleaner is used to get trace evidence such as dry sediments, hairs, fibres.
15. A ... chamber is one of the method of revealing latent fingerprints.
16. It's used if fax capability is needed.

### Down:

1. A computer work ... is an ergonomically designed area of an office that accommodates a desktop computer and all of its peripherals.
3. They are used to mark pieces of evidence at a crime scene.
4. A stainless steel ... has non-porous surface, it's resistant to any damage.
6. This kind of dust print lifter works by using a magnet effect to take dusty shoe prints left on a solid surface.
7. This kind of plate flooring has an anti-slip effect and is easy for cleaning.
8. It's used to scan items and email them to the identification section so they can go ahead and look at them while field analysts are still out working the scene.
12. It can be photo or video.



## 1. Continue the chains of the words and word combinations given below:

Forensic - forensics - forensic science - forensic analyst - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Crime - crime scene - crime laboratory - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

To analyse - to analyse evidence - evidence analysis - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Study the job titles of a crime lab given below. Divide them into 2 groups:

FIELD ANALYSTS	LAB ANALYSTS
	1,

1. forensic pathologist
2. CSI
3. forensic serologist
4. forensic technician
5. a member of a crime scene unit
6. forensic entomologist
7. forensic toxicologist
8. forensic engineer
9. photographer
10. ballistic expert

11. sketch artist
12. forensic odontologist
13. forensic psychologist
14. criminalist
15. forensic document examiner
16. forensic anthropologist
17. forensic astronomist
18. crime scene investigator
19. digital forensic analyst
20. forensic psychiatrist

Which set of personnel includes more job titles?

Why? Give some arguments.

\_\_\_\_\_

## 3. What are these speakers?

1. "I interpret the financial evidence. I'm a forensic ..."
2. "I perform an autopsy, examine the corpses, analyse fluids taken from the body. I'm a forensic ..."
3. "I make dental examination, bite-marks analysis, identify human remains using dental records. I'm a forensic ..."
4. "I analyse insects found in decomposing remains. I'm a forensic ..."
5. "I take pictures of a crime scene in details. I'm a ..."
6. "I make blood testing, analyse other body fluids such as saliva, sweat, etc. I'm a forensic ..."
7. "I make a sketch of a crime scene. I'm a sketch ..."
8. "I investigate computer-based internet crimes. I'm a digital forensic ..."
9. "I make a clinical expertise of a mental health of a perpetrator. I'm a forensic ..."
10. "I identify the fault lines in a construction accident or catastrophe. I'm a forensic ..."
11. "I analyse criminal data on the basis of information from the constellations. I'm a forensic ..."
12. "I deal with human or animal remains. I can be a forensic ... or a forensic ..."
13. "I comb a crime scene and collect evidence. I'm a ..."
14. "I sketch a criminal profile. I'm a forensic ..."
15. "I deal with toxins and poisons. I'm a forensic ..."
16. "I make reagents in a crime lab. I'm a forensic ..."

*Check yourself!*

*Test on-line!*



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4. Word search puzzle. Find all the words-answers from ex.3:

A	C	C	O	U	N	T	E	P	P	S	Y	C	H	I	E	T	O	X
T	E	C	H	N	I	C	R	A	R	T	I	S	T	A	T	R	I	I
A	S	O	O	E	M	I	A	N	A	R	C	H	A	E	O	L	S	C
N	E	C	D	N	T	O	M	O	L	O	G	I	S	S	T	O	T	O
A	R	R	O	P	S	Y	C	H	O	L	O	G	T	I	A	G	T	L
L	O	I	N	T	O	L	O	G	I	S	P	I	L	G	S	I	S	O
Y	L	M	E	P	H	O	T	O	G	T	A	S	T	O	T	S	I	G
S	O	I	N	A	L	I	S	T	R	A	T	H	O	L	R	T	M	I
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E	I	S	T	A	N	T	H	R	O	P	O	L	O	G	I	S	T	T

Write down the unused letters: \_\_\_\_\_.

What is a key-word made up of these letters?

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Each of these people is a crime lab



Fig.60. Forensic scientist at work

5. What kind of forensic scientists (field or lab) is depicted in the picture?

Name all the items in his equipment.

What things can he use in the crime scene examination?

This is \_\_\_\_\_.

His basic crime scene equipment includes \_\_\_\_\_


In his forensic kit we can find such things as \_\_\_\_\_


What protective clothes do lab analysts need to perform their duties?


6. What forensic tools and containers do criminalists use to pick up and to collect ... ?

1. some fibres
2. fired bullets
3. a handgun
4. latent fingerprints
5. saliva for DNA testing
6. fragments of teeth

7. paint chips
8. skeletal remains
9. blood stains
10. broken glass
11. credit cards
12. bones

13. casings
14. a footprint in sand
15. poison in a glass
16. hair
17. a mobile phone
18. a forged passport

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## 7. Read the true story that became known as

**"ONE OF THE LARGEST MANHUNTS IN CALIFORNIA'S HISTORY":**

*Case study!*



Fig.61. G. Mason in court

On the 22<sup>nd</sup> of July, 1957, four teenagers parked near oil fields Hawthorne, California.

A man walked up to the car and pointed a gun at the driver. He robbed the teens and raped one of the girls. Then he stole the car. About 30 minutes later, he was pulled over for running a red light. As the two officers were walking away, he shot them. Both officers were killed.

Mason later recalled, "I thought, 'If I don't get them, they're gonna get me.'"

So when the officer turned away from me, I shot both officers, got back in the car and drove away".

Police, a crime scene unit and medical personnel arrived on the scene to find Curtis dead in his patrol car, with Phillips lying mortally wounded on the ground. Both had been shot three times.

Meanwhile, Mason, who had been wounded by a bullet from Officer Phillips, dumped the car and fled through numerous backyards before hitchhiking his way to safety. Several hours later, an abandoned 1949 Ford was found.

A forensic team took all possible evidence, but, unfortunately, *the case went cold*.

Forty-five years later the case was reopened and detectives arrested Gerald Fit Mason for rape, murder, and robbery. On March 21, 2003, Mason confessed.

45 years after he had committed these crimes, Mason was sent to prison to serve two life sentences. He died in prison in 2017.



Fig.62. G. Mason's pictures of 1957



Fig.63. Patrol car of the hurt police officers



Fig.64. Milton Curtis (left), Richard Phillips (right)

### a) Collect the crime data:

1. Crimes	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
2. Geography of the crimes	
3. Date of the crimes	
4. Victims	Alive: _____ Dead (indicate the cause): _____ _____
5. Criminal's name	
6. Year of the criminal's arrest	
7. Sentence	

# UNIT 3 Profession of a forensic expert


b) Explain the phrase in *italic*:

“The case went cold” means \_\_\_\_\_

c) Study the additional information about G. F. Mason and fill in his criminal card:

To read more!





**CRIMINAL'S DATA:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Criminal charge: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of crime(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Location(s) of crime(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Victims (alive): \_\_\_\_\_

Victims (dead): \_\_\_\_\_

Method of murder: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of arrest: January 29, 2003

Date of confession: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of conviction: \_\_\_\_\_

Penalty: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_

Fig.65. G. F. Mason

d) Think of the pieces of evidence that could be revealed at the crime scenes. How could they be collected and packaged? What forensic scientists could be involved in their analysis:

PIECES of EVIDENCE	TOOLS and CONTAINERS	FORENSIC SCIENTISTS
1. casings from the fired bullets	tweezers, paper / plastic bag	ballistics expert
2. ...		
3. ...		
4. ...		
5. ...		
6. ...		
7. ...		
8. ...		
...		

Look it up!

e) Find the information about another real crime.

Collect the crime data (see ex.7(a), p.51), make and fill in the criminal's card (criminals' cards) (see ex.7(c), p.52), imagine what pieces of evidence could be revealed, what tools and containers you would need to collect them, what forensic scientists would be involved in the clues analysis (see ex.7(d), p.52).

# UNIT

## 4

# Crime scene INVESTIGATION

## Glossary

### **First responder (n) -**

a police officer who is the first to arrive at a crime scene to provide initial police actions: he protects the area, restricts the entry, keeps a log of visitors, collects initial information, requests additional manpower

### **CSIs (n pl) =**

### **Crime scene investigators (n pl) =**

### **Criminalists (n pl) =**

**Field analysts (n pl) -**  
forensic scientists, members of a crime scene unit, whose responsibility is to process a crime scene step by step, on a basis of clear rules not to contaminate the integrity of the area and the relevant evidence

CSIs can be called

- **Searchers** when they search the scene;
- **Photographers** or **Camera operators** when they fix all crime scene elements on photo or video cameras;
- **Sketch artists** or **Sketchists** when they make a rough diagram of a crime scene;
- **Collectors** when they collect evidence.

### **Medical examiner (n) -**

an official trained in pathology who is responsible for examining bodies post mortem to determine the cause, manner and time of the death

**Crime scene search method (n) -**  
a method for searching an area which criminalists should follow in a systematic way not to contaminate the evidence



Spiral method



Grid method



Zone method

Fig.66. Some examples of search methods

### **Cross-contamination (n) of evidence -**

the unwanted transfer of material between two or more sources of evidence. For example, improperly collecting clues can lead to mixing one sample with another and contaminating both

### **Chain of custody (n) -**

the chronological documentation of different stages in the forensic evidence transfer from a crime scene to the crime lab

Audio  
Glossary



*Look it up!*

Look up other search methods. What are they?



# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### Word bank!

### Keep in mind!

To preserve the integrity of a crime scene is a priority task of CSIs.

Combine the following synonyms when speaking on it:

- to keep / to protect / to maintain +
- the authenticity / the original state / the intact state / the pristine state

E.g., "to maintain the pristine state of a crime scene".

1. Complete the following words chains using the key-words. Translate them:

VERB	NOUN (NOTION)	NOUN (ACTOR)
investigate (a crime scene)	crime scene investigation	crime scene investigator
...	...	examiner
...	protection	...
search	...	...
...	photography	...
...	...	sketch artist / sketchist
...	collection	...
process	...	—
contaminate	...	—

2. Study the Glossary. Look up the definition for the following concepts:

"Manpower" means \_\_\_\_\_.

"The integrity of a crime scene" is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Write down all the actions of police and CSIs at a crime scene:

POLICE SHOULD ...	CSIs SHOULD ...
1. protect the area	1. process a crime scene step by step, on a basis of clear rules
2. restrict the entry	2. preserve the integrity of a crime scene
3. ...	3. search the scene
4. ...	4. ...
...	5. ...
	...

### What about you?

4. Study the cartoon and answer the questions:

1. What would **your** reaction as a CSI be to a situation like this? Has the first responder mis-handled his duties or done a good thing? Give some arguments to support **your** point of view.

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\_\_\_\_\_

2. What was the first responder supposed to do?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

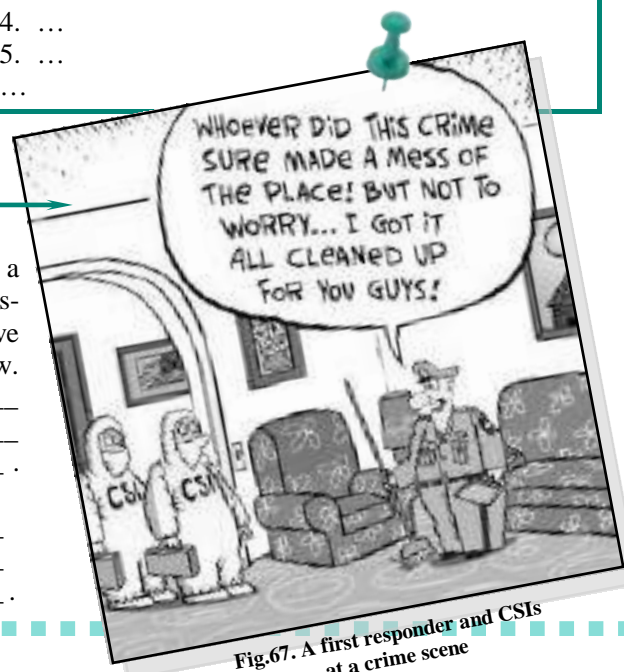


Fig.67. A first responder and CSIs at a crime scene



5. Guess who or what is described, then find the words-answers in the puzzle.

1. A chronological documentation of evidence transfer.	chain of C _____ (7 letters)
2. A CSI whose duty is to make a rough diagram of a crime scene.	S _____ (9)
3. A police officer who is the first to arrive at a crime scene.	first R _____ (9)
4. A field analyst or a CSI in other words.	C _____ (11)
5. A hardworking process of revealing and collecting clues from a crime scene.	crime scene I _____ (13)
6. Taking photos of a crime scene is called photography; video recording is ...	V _____ (11)
7. CSIs who comb a crime scene.	S _____ (9)
8. Transfer of material between two or more pieces of evidence.	C _____ (18)
9. A CSI who collects evidence.	C _____ (9)
10. An official record of all visitors of a crime scene.	L _ _ (3) of visitors
11. A criminal act.	C _ _ _ (5)
12. A specialist in forensic pathology.	medical E _____ (8)
13. Evidence relating to the case.	R _____ (8) evidence

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T	I	G	A	T	I	O	N	I	O	M	S	H
C	C	O	L	L	E	C	T	O	D	E	T	Y
R	G	L	O	G	N	T	A	R	Y	T	I	O
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Write down the unused letters: \_\_\_\_\_ . Make up a key-word from them:

The main task of CSIs is not to contaminate the

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of the crime scene and the relevant evidence.

## Be aware!

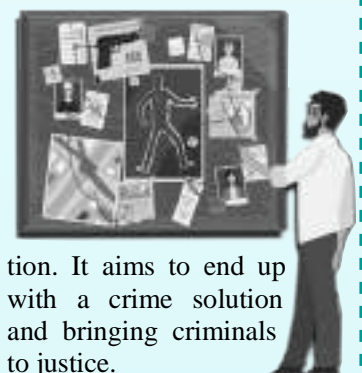
There is a difference between the two terms - crime scene investigation and crime investigation.

**Crime scene investigation**, the responsibility of CSIs, is considered as a slow and hardworking process of documenting all details of an area; revealing, securing, and collecting all relevant evidence.



Fig.68. A crime scene investigation

**Crime investigation**, performed by criminal investigators, involves the study of facts, searching, interviews, interrogations, analysis of forensic evidence examina-



tion. It aims to end up with a crime solution and bringing criminals to justice.

Fig.69. A crime investigation

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### 6. The INTEGRITY of a crime scene.

#### Keep in mind!

A crime scene is really only **pristine** when whoever committed the crime leaves it and before the first person discovers it.

a) What tips for preserving it can you give? Use the Glossary, ex.3, your own knowledge and imagination:

To minimise contamination of a crime scene and to try to keep it pristine police / CSIs should:

1. know the ABCs of handling a crime scene and follow the protocol;
2. protect the area;
3. \_\_\_\_\_;
4. \_\_\_\_\_;
5. \_\_\_\_\_;
6. \_\_\_\_\_.

b) Are there any difficulties in preserving the integrity of the areas of mass death scenarios such as terrorist attacks, plains or trains crashes?



Study the photos and say why it is practically impossible to maintain the intact state of such crimes scenes.

Use some questions for your help:

1. What is the territorial scope of the tragedies? Do the crimes scenes cover large or small areas?
2. How many people are involved in the crimes?
3. Is it easy to protect so large territories like those, restrict the entries, get people out of the crimes scenes?
4. What about the emotional and psychological state of involved hurt people and eye-witnesses? Can they really control their actions in shock and panic?

#### Join in!

Work in groups.

Look up other examples of mass death scenarios.

Analyse their scope, number of victims, related evidence, difficulties in preserving the integrity of the area.

Fig.70-73. Terrorist attacks.

1. The Twin Towers of the World Trade Center burning (USA, 11.09.2001, 2,977 victims, 25,000 injured people)
2. Boston Marathon bombing (USA, 15.04.2013, 3 victims, 264 injured people)
3. Saint Petersburg Metro bombing (Russia, 03.04.2017, 15 victims, 64 injured people)
4. Domodedovo International Airport bombing (Russia, 24.01.2011, 37 victims, 173 injured people)

c) Make a conclusion.

There is a famous phrase in forensic scientists' community:

**“YOUR VICTIM DIES ONCE,  
YOUR CRIME SCENE DIES A HUNDRED TIMES”.**

How do **you** understand this statement? Don't forget the arguments.

#### Let's discuss!



## 1. Video "INTRODUCTION TO CRIME SCENES".

### Introduction to a crime scene

a) Before watching the video, translate the word combinations given in the 1<sup>st</sup> column. Match them with their synonyms:

1. to link the crime with the criminal
2. not to disturb the crime scene
3. to set up a cordon
4. to use the common approach path
5. to obtain the evidence
6. to preserve the evidence
7. to take photographs of exhibits
8. to take notes
9. to be conscious of environmental factors
10. to compromise the evidence
11. to erect temporal structures
12. to use powerful lighting rigs

- a) to fix all details
- b) to protect the evidence
- c) to build temporal hiding-places
- d) to contaminate the evidence
- e) to photograph the evidence
- f) to get to the evidence
- g) to use powerful torches
- h) not to damage the crime area
- i) to be aware of nature factors
- j) to use the common search way
- k) to secure the crime scene with a barrier tape
- l) to connect the offence with the perpetrator

Video study!



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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b) Watch the video. Try to determine the main video parts. Choose only 5 from the plan items given below. Put them in a logical order according to the video content:

1. A dead body examination.
2. The crime scene definition.
3. The role of the time of day in the crime scene processing.
4. A crime scene sketching.
5. The influence of the environment factors on the evidence contamination.
6. The full crime scene suit.
7. The crime lab pathologist's activities.
8. The stages in crime scene processing.

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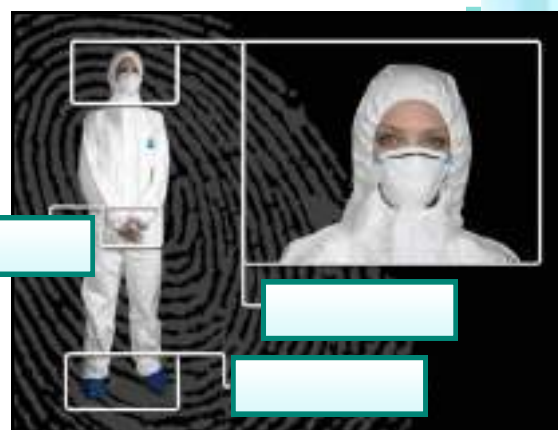


Fig.74. The crime scene suit. Video freeze-frame

c) Fill in the chart with the equipment pieces mentioned in the video:

Why is the crime scene suit also called "a bunny suit"?

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d) What new forensic tool have you seen in the video? Fill in the gaps:

These are s \_\_\_\_\_ p \_\_\_\_\_. They are used to / not to \_\_\_\_\_



Fig.75. Video freeze-frame

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## Crime scene investigation

e) Read and translate the statements in the table. Then watch the video again. Agree or disagree. Note if the information is not stated in the video:

STATEMENT	TRUE	FALSE	NOT STATED
1. The location where a crime took place can be full of physical evidence.			
2. When speaking to a victim, CSI's should have good communication skills.			
3. Crime scenes can be anywhere - indoors, outdoors, in a business premises, domestic dwellings or vehicles.			
4. When CSIs enter the crime scene they don't use the common approach path.			
5. Natural factors may not compromise the evidence.			
6. In the rainy, snowy or windy weather field analysts collect evidence as fast as possible - they quickly place them into one big evidence bag.			
7. When natural light is not available, forensic team waits for the next morning to process the crime scene.			
8. At the vehicle crime scene CSIs focus their efforts on the point of entry such as broken window.			

### Let's discuss!

What do **you** think about the role of forensic scientists in a crime investigation? Is it a key or support role? Why?

f) Try to remember - what evidence have you seen in the video? List as many pieces as you can:

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g) Write down all the pieces of evidence from the video. What should forensic analysts use to collect them:

	PIECES of EVIDENCE	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINERS
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
...			



## 2. Study the **RULE of SEVEN S's** of the crime scene investigation:

Arriving at a crime scene, crime scene investigators should process it accurately. There is the so-called **rule of SEVEN S's** that should be respected in the crime area examination:

1. Securing the scene
2. Separating the witnesses
3. Scanning the scene
4. Searching for evidence
5. Seeing the scene
6. Sketching the scene
7. Securing and collecting evidence

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Fig.76. A crime scene example

## Rule of seven S's

### Did you know?

Crime scene investigation teams **don't clean up** the scene. This dirty job often falls to the victim's family.

Professional crime-scene cleaners can be hired in many places to do this job.

## 3. Match the 7 S's with their definitions:

THE RULE OF SEVEN S'S	WHAT DOES IT MEAN?
1. Securing the scene	a) This rule must be performed to determine a primary crime scene and a secondary crime scene (i.e., a murder may have taken place at one location (primary scene) and the corpse is found at another (secondary scene)).
2. Separating the witnesses	b) This rule means that an accurate rough sketch of the crime scene is made, noting all details of the crime scene perimeter (doors, windows, trees, vehicles), the position of the body (if any) and any other evidence.
3. Scanning the scene	c) This is the responsibility of the forensic team. Field analysts comb the crime scene in a systematic way not to miss and contaminate the evidence.
4. Searching for evidence	d) This is the responsibility of the first responder (the first police officer arriving at the crime scene). His priority tasks are: crime scene protection, safety of all individuals, preservation of evidence.
5. Seeing the scene	e) This rule means that all the evidence should be properly collected, placed in the individual evidence container, sealed, and labeled.
6. Sketching the scene	f) This is the responsibility of the video- and photographer. A view of the crime scene should be taken from different angles and distances. Photos and video of the overall area, close-up photos of any evidence and bodies should be taken.
7. Securing and collecting evidence	g) This rule is respected to avoid witnesses working together to create a story.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7

4. Which "S's" will be your responsibilities at a crime scene?

What about you?

# UNIT 4



# Crime scene investigation

## Scanning the scene

## Searching for evidence

### 5. Study the crime scene picture and the found evidence:

The search for evidence begins with the isolation and protection of the scene...

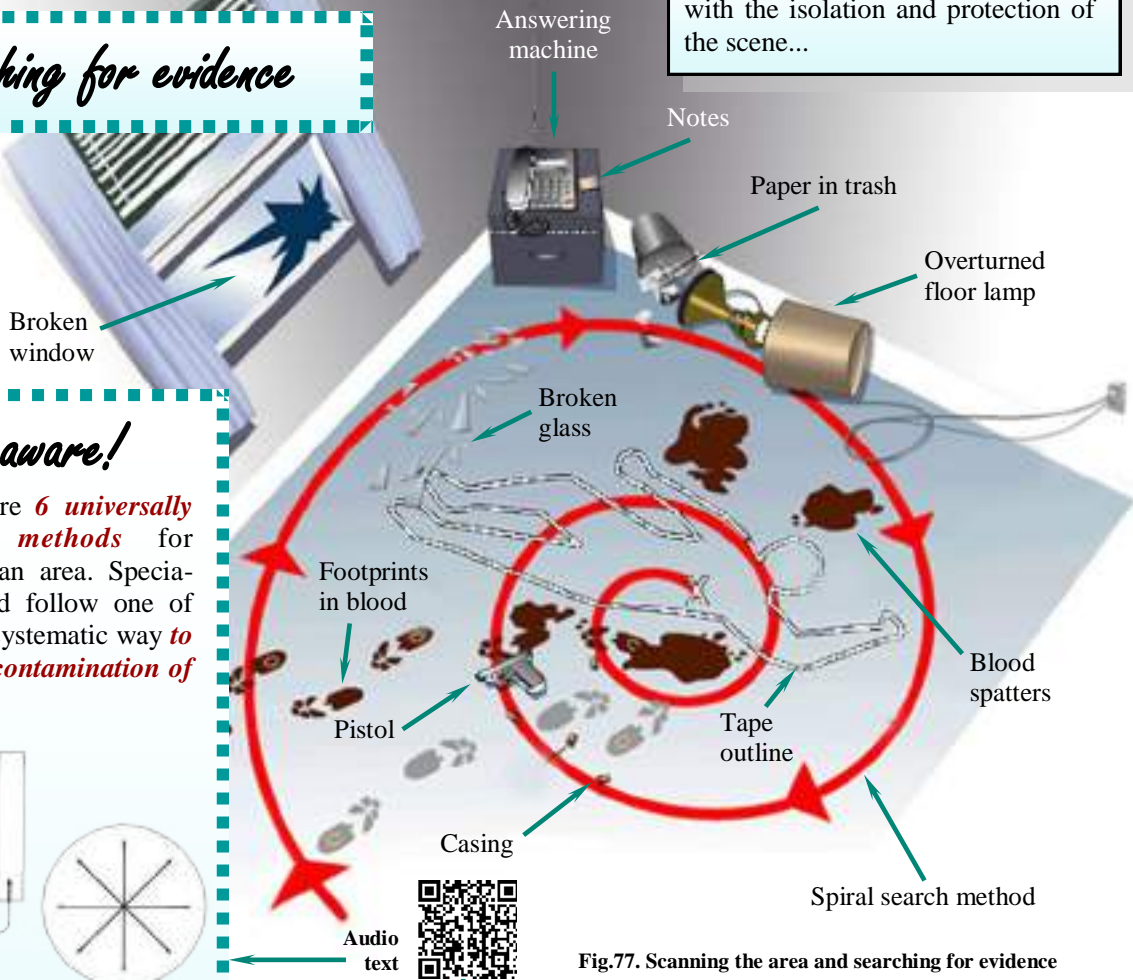


Fig.77. Scanning the area and searching for evidence

## Be aware!

There are **6 universally accepted methods** for searching an area. Specialists should follow one of them in a systematic way **to avoid the contamination of evidence**.

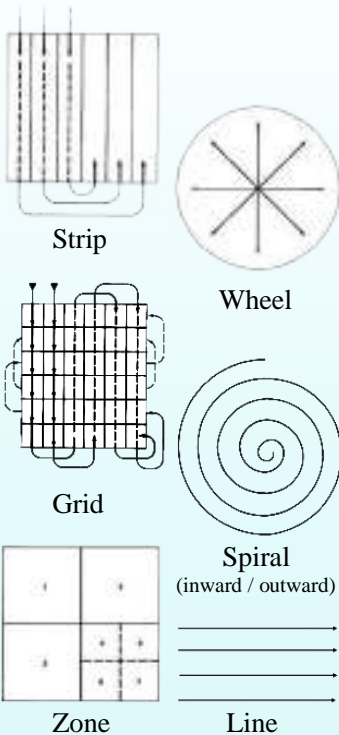


Fig.78-83. Search methods

**Strip method** is effective if the area is large and open. It is relatively quick and simple to implement and may even be performed by a single investigator in a limited area such as a room.

**Wheel method** needs a team of searchers who gather at the center of the scene and move outward. The drawbacks are the possibilities of ruining evidence at the center and running evidence with the increasing distance between searchers.

**Grid method** is the best procedure to cover a large area with a number of searchers.

**Spiral method**, also called the **circle method**, is effective in a small area. However, as the circle widens, evidence can be overlooked.

**Zone method** is effective for indoor locations. The area is divided into sectors, each searcher is assigned to each zone.

**Line method** is the quickest and easiest when outdoors crime scenes are difficult to search due to vegetation or topography.



## 6. Analyse the picture at page 60 and answer the questions:

1. Where was the crime committed - outdoors or indoors?
2. Can you determine if this is a primary or secondary crime scene? Give some arguments to prove your idea.
3. What formula of search is used here? Why?
4. Is the victim alive or dead? What makes you think so?
5. What weapon was used? How many shots were made?
6. Did the criminal wear shoes?
7. What evidence can field analysts collect at this crime scene? List all the pieces:

\_\_\_\_\_

8. Could the searchers find fingerprints, voice prints, DNA, handwriting? Where could they reveal them?

## 7. What field analysts speak about this crime scene?

Field analyst №1	"This crime was committed in the park"
Field analyst №2	"This crime was committed in a private house room"
Field analyst №3	"The victim was a young woman. She was found strangled in her bed"
Field analyst №4	"The victim was a man killed in the middle of his living-room"
Field analyst №5	"The search of the crime scene was done with the Grid formula"
Field analyst №6	"This crime is an assassination; the sniper shot through the window and didn't leave any evidence"
Field analyst №7	"There were a lot of blood spatters near the dead body as the victim was murdered with the knife"
Field analyst №8	"The criminal has left some evidence such as footprints in blood, casings, and a pistol"
Field analyst №9	"Following the Spiral formula the criminalists started searching the crime scene with the dead body"

## 8. Agree or disagree. Make the wrong sentences correct:

1. Line method is effective in a small area. (T/F)
2. A single investigator can use a strip method at a limited crime scene such as a room. (T/F)
3. Grid formula is the best procedure to cover a large area with a single searcher. (T/F)
4. Wheel method has no drawbacks. (T/F)
5. Wheel method is also called the circle method. (T/F)
6. Zone search formula is effective for indoor location. (T/F)
7. If the outdoors crime scenes are difficult to search, a forensic team use a wheel method. (T/F)
8. A method where the area is divided into sectors each of which is combed by an assigned searcher is called a zone method. (T/F)
9. In large and open areas field analysts use a strip method, a grid method, or a line method. (T/F)

## Keep in mind!

All scenes are **three dimensional**, never forget to **look up** too!

## To read more!



## Be attentive!

method ['meθəd] (n)  
formula ['fɔ:mjələ] (n)  
wheel [wi:l] (n)  
spiral  
[ˈspaiə(ə)l] (n), (adj)

# UNIT 4



# Crime scene investigation

## Seeing the scene

Fig.84 CSI photographer at work



### 9. What is seeing the scene? Study a bit of information:

As a rule, **seeing the scene** is realised thanks to photographers and camera operators. They use high-tech cameras to fix all crime scene elements, not to miss any details. This **traditional** crime scene documentation **method** typically **involves** using **traditional tools for measuring things at a crime scene** such as measuring tapes, measuring wheels for the further scene mapping.

**Laser scanners** offer an innovative approach to processing and documenting a crime scene. Laser scanners **can measure and photograph virtually everything** at a scene, not just what investigators think important at the time.

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## What about you?

Which method will **you** use in **your** future practice?  
Which method would **you** like to use? Why?

### 10. Tick ✓ the characteristics of each of crime scene seeing methods. More than one variant is possible:

	TRADITIONAL METHOD (cameras using + manual measuring)	INNOVATIVE METHOD (3D laser scanning)
1. ... fixes the clues and the spatial relationships between items and evidence	✓	✓
2. ... takes out the human factor of any type of error		
3. ... automatically captures details at the scene down to the millimeter in some minutes		
4. ... is at hand in any crime laboratory		
5. ... involves documentation of the conditions of the scene		
6. ... digitalises data which can be accessible at any time on any digital device		
7. ... provides an accurate crime scene reconstruction over a long time period		
8. ... doesn't miss any details, even those to that investigators pay no attention		
9. ... helps later verify witness testimony and evaluate a possible hypothesis of the investigator		

## To see more!

"CRIME SCENE VIDEOGRAPHY"



Which method (traditional or digital) has more positive characteristics? Why?  
Give some arguments to prove your idea:

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## 11. Video "SCIENCE QUEST\_SEEING THE SCENE".

a) Before watching the video, study the freeze-frame and answer the questions:

1. Is the demonstrated crime scene real or mock?
2. Is it an indoor or outdoor (exterior) crime scene?
3. What could happen? What could be the scenario of the crime?
4. Who is "the victim"? Is he hurt? How?
5. What pieces of evidence can be collected? List them:



Fig.85. Video freeze-frame

b) Watch the video and check your answers. Were you right?

c) What methods of seeing the scene were illustrated in the video?  
Can you give some characteristics of them? (use ex.10, p.62 for help?)

d) What words and word combinations have you heard in the video? Underline and translate them:

interviewing	distant object	(it) revolves 360 degrees	search method
filming	portable scanner	crime scene protection	phase shift
<u>laser beam</u>	document (v)	(it) compiles the data	position of evidence
first responder	desktop scanner	crime scene perimeter	safety of victims

e) Watch the video again and fill in the description of the technical specifications of the 3D laser scanner with the words and word combinations from ex.11 (d):

The 3D laser scanner is a \_\_\_\_\_ scanner that helps crime scene investigators \_\_\_\_\_ a crime scene with measurements.

It also helps record the condition of the scene and \_\_\_\_\_.

The laser scanner uses a \_\_\_\_\_ which is reflected back to the scanner by a \_\_\_\_\_. The distance is measured by the \_\_\_\_\_ between the sending and receiving beams.

The distance of objects that can be measured anywhere from \_\_\_\_\_ (?) centimeters to \_\_\_\_\_ (?) meters. The laser scanner also \_\_\_\_\_ 360 degrees horizontally.

The scanner program \_\_\_\_\_ and saves it to an SD card.

The finished product details the condition of a crime scene, accident reconstruction, individual pieces of evidence.

## Video study!



## Keep in mind!

When photographing the exterior of an indoor scene or an exterior scene it's important **to take photos of the spectators** who are standing around watching the activities. Many times **the perpetrator returns** to observe the actions of the police or fire personnel. This seems to be especially true in arson cases.

Additionally, photos may help **fix eye-witnesses** who can be identified and interviewed at a later time.



Fig.86. Spectators at a crime scene

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### Sketching the scene

#### Look it up!

To train your skills in sketching choose a crime from any famous detective story and make its sketch.

#### 12. Study the crime scene sketch:

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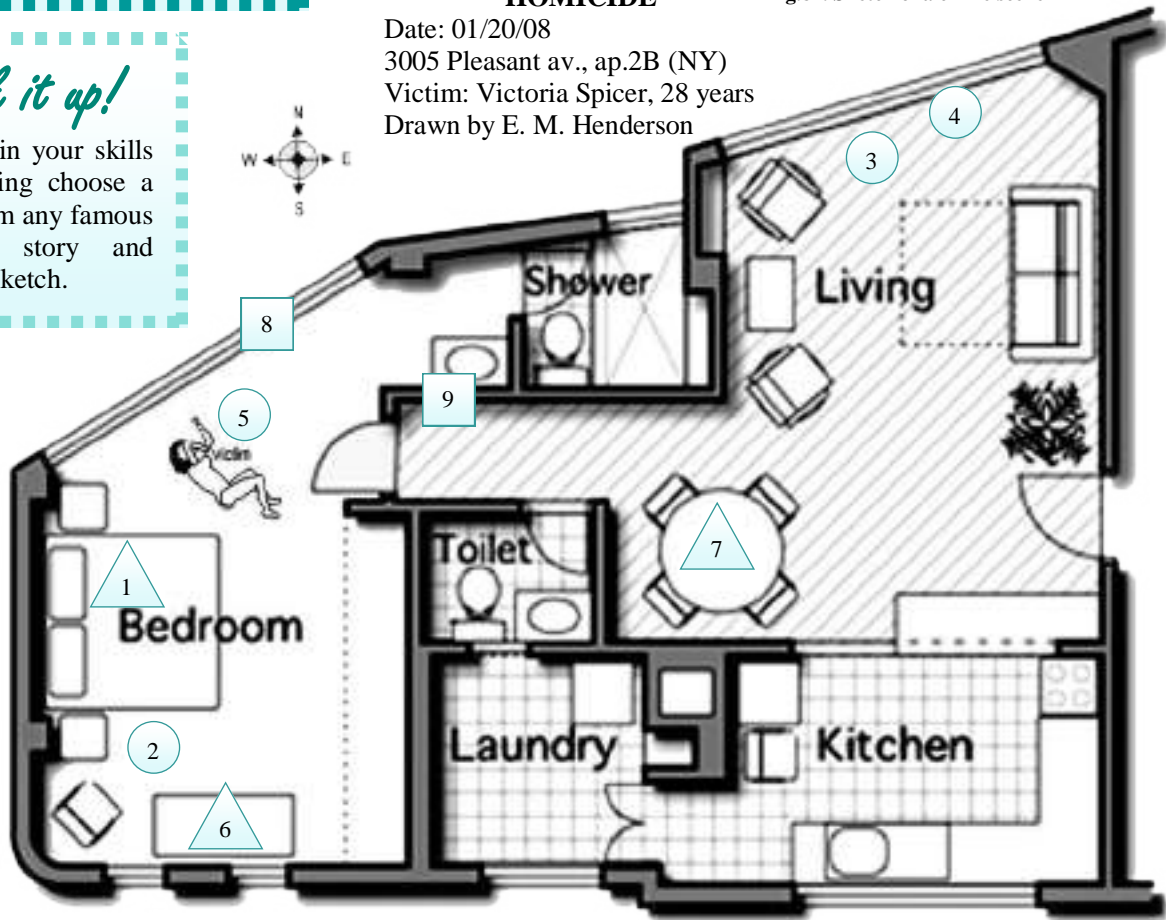
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3005 Pleasant av., ap.2B (NY)

Victim: Victoria Spicer, 28 years

Drawn by E. M. Henderson

Fig.87. Sketch of a crime scene



#### LEGEND:



floor level horizontal evidence



elevated horizontal evidence



elevated vertical evidence

#### Be aware!

The rough sketch is **the first** pencil drawn outline of a scene and the location of objects and evidence within this outline.

Sketch is drawn **after photographs are taken** and **before anything is moved**.

#### Found evidence:

1. Some hair on the victim's bed
2. A small plastic bag of marijuana
3. Footprints with some amount of dirt and soil
4. Broken window glass
5. A wallet with \$190 and credit cards
6. Documents and paperwork
7. Apartment keys
8. Small bloodstains on the curtains
9. Latent fingerprints

#### What information should be marked in the sketch?

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13. Look at the crime scene sketch at page 64 and analyse the given information.

Say if the statements below are true or false:

1. The victim's name is E. M. Henderson. (T/F)
2. The crime was committed in the open area. (T/F)
3. The crime was committed in summer that is why the windows were open. (T/F)
4. Forensic searchers found no evidence. (T/F)
5. The suspect is supposed to come into the apartment through the living-room window. (T/F)
6. The most of evidence was found in the kitchen. (T/F)
7. The sketch artist's name is E. M. Henderson. (T/F)
8. The evidence in squares is elevated vertical evidence. (T/F)
9. The evidence in triangles is floor level horizontal evidence. (T/F)

*What about you?*

A sketch is said to be worth 1000 words.

How do **you** understand this statement? Give some arguments.

14. Who tells the truth?

Witness №1	"My flat is situated in the southern part of Victoria Spicer's apartment. Yesterday through my window I saw a suspicious criminally-looking man breaking the Victoria's living-room window"
Witness №2	"I knew Victoria very well. It was a nice woman, rather pretty for her 50 years"
Witness №3	"Yesterday, on the 20th of February, I heard a loud noise in the Victoria's apartment and saw a stranger leaving her flat"
Witness №4	"My apartment is above the Victoria's one. Yesterday I heard the sound of the broken glass in the area of the living-room and the cries (even shrieks) in her bedroom"
Witness №5	"Victor Spicer was an idler, his flat was always crowded with strangers... That's why it's no wonder that he was killed by one of them"

15. Study the list of the evidence marked in the sketch. What things do field analysts need to collect the found clues:

PIECES of EVIDENCE	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINER(s)
1. Some hair on the victim's bed	Gloves, tweezers	A plastic bag
2. A plastic bag with some drug		
3. Footprints		
4. Some amount of dirt and soil		
5. Broken window glass		
6. Wallet with \$190 and credit cards		
7. Documents and paperwork		
8. Apartment keys		
9. Bloodstains on the curtains		
10. Latent fingerprints		



## Securing and collecting evidence

### Be aware!

After completion of the crime scene documentation, the collection of evidence with **the strict preservation methods** can begin.

1. Field analysts should wear protective clothing and use forensic tools in a proper way. They have to ensure that the evidence is collected, packaged, marked, sealed, and preserved in a consistent manner.

2. It is a good idea to have **a variety of packaging containers** (envelopes, packets, canisters, cans, paper and plastic bags, test tubes), **sealing materials** and **markers** available at a crime scene.

3. There is no rigid order for collecting the evidence, but some types of clues, by their nature, should be given some priority of order. **Transient, fragile, or easily lost** evidence should be collected first.

4. **Solid** evidence can be easily preserved, collected and stored.

5. **Volatile** and **liquid** (non biological) items should be placed in airtight, unbreakable containers.

6. **Wet, moist, or living biological** evidence can be temporarily packaged in non-airtight containers. It should then be allowed to air dry in a controlled environment and be repackaged with the original containers in new non-airtight containers.

7. Each item should be packaged separately to **prevent cross-contamination**.

8. The used containers should be marked with all the relevant information about the evidence contained and its collector.

Audio text



16. Study the information in the page margin and divide the items into different categories of evidence. More than one variant is possible.

TRANSIENT (EASILY LOST) EVIDENCE	1,
VOLATILE EVIDENCE	
LIVING BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE	1,
LIQUID (NON BIOLOGICAL) EVIDENCE	
WET (MOIST) EVIDENCE	
SOLID EVIDENCE	

1. blood stain in the rain
2. a dead body temperature
3. a knife
4. a cigarette smoke
5. some drink in the glass
6. tire tracks in the snow
7. coffee temperature in the victim's cup
8. smell of gas
9. casings
10. footwear impression in the sand
11. broken window glass
12. teeth marks in perishable foods
13. a mobile phone
14. a wet tie on the neck of the corpse
15. burnt document
16. a wallet with credit cards
17. vomit on a victim's clothes
18. a handgun
19. a moist handkerchief in the suspect's pocket
20. coins

17. What should CSIs use to preserve and collect the pieces of evidence from ex.16, p.66. Fill in the table

FOUND CLUES	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINER(s)
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
...		



## 18. Analyse the crime scene depiction and answer the questions:

1. Is the crime scene secured?
2. What is used to secure the crime scene? Can you read the writing on the crime scene tape?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
3. Scan the crime scene: where was the crime committed - indoors or outdoors?
4. Who is the victim? Is he only hurt or killed?
5. What formula of search could be used by criminalists here? Why? Prove your opinion:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
6. What pieces of evidence were found at the crime scene? How are these clues marked?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
7. What order of collecting the found evidence can you apply? Why? Prove your opinion:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.



Fig.88. Example of a crime scene

### Keep in mind!

People make mistakes... So if forensic scientists make mistakes, how can they make up for mishandled, contaminated or unrecovered evidence?

They **CAN'T**!

### What about you?

Do **you** feel **your** future crucial responsibility in crime investigation? Share **your** ideas.

## 19. What should field analysts use to secure and collect the revealed evidence:

FOUND CLUES	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINER(s)
1.		
2.		
3.+ 4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
...		

### Keep in mind!

Some pieces of evidence because of their location **may have to be moved** or **repositioned**. If items are moved and new evidence is discovered, **documentation must be proceeded immediately**.

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### 20. Audio study.

Let's train. How would you handle and package each of the following pieces of evidence?

#### Audio study!



#### a) Listen to the audio file.

Put the pieces of evidence in the order you hear them (from 1 to 5):

A revolver	
A white cotton T-shirt with dark hairs on it	
A glass with lipstick on the rim	
A wall to wall carpet with a 1-ft diameter blood stain	
A fuming, noxious rag from an arson scene	

Translate the evidence.

#### b) What are your ideas about handling and packaging these pieces of evidence?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

#### c) Read the speaker's advice on packaging the pieces of evidence under the question.

Put down a plus (+) if your answers are similar, and a minus (-) if not. Analyse the results:

DEALING with the EVIDENCE	+ / -
1. "You can't really take the whole carpet, but you could cut out a section of that, package it in a porous envelope, seal it up with a <b>tamper-evident tape</b> and then put a <b>biohazard sticker</b> on it".	
2. "For a white cotton T-shirt with dark hairs on it we would try to remove the hairs from the T-shirt and we could package that up in either a non-porous or preferably a <b>porous container</b> ".	
3. "If we have a noxious fuming rag from an arson scene we'd want it to be in an airtight container".	
4. "A revolver ought to be picked up very carefully as we don't know if there are still <b>live rounds</b> in it. It can be secured with <b>zip ties</b> perhaps in a cardboard container (a box)".	
5. "Glass with lipstick on the rim is potentially a biological sample, so porous container sealed with a tamper-evident tape would be preferable".	

#### Look it up!

How can you translate "a tamper-evident tape", "a biohazard sticker", "a porous container", "a zip tie", "a live round"?



## 21. Study the example of a crime scene:



Fig.89. Example of a crime scene

### Answer the questions:

1. Is it an indoor or outdoor crime scene?
2. Is the area secured in a proper way? What is used for it?
3. What stage of a crime scene investigation is depicted in the photo?
4. What is the CSI using to fix the crime scene details? Is it a traditional or innovative method of a crime scene documentation?
5. What is used to outline the dead body?
6. Do you have any idea about the causes of the victim's death? Sketch a little scenario of what could happen:

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7. How many relevant pieces of evidence are revealed here? What are they?

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8. How would you collect and package all of these clues? Speak in details.

## 22. Study the evidence label:

*Choose any piece of evidence from the crime scenes depicted on pages 60, 64, 67, 69, and try to fill in the evidence label form.*

*You can imagine all the information needed.*

## Did you know?

**Chain of custody** is the chronological documentation of different stages in the forensic evidence transfer to the crime lab.

EVIDENCE	
Agency	_____
Collected By	_____
Item #	Case # _____
Date	Time _____
Description	_____
Location	_____
Remarks	_____
CHAIN OF CUSTODY	
Received from	_____
By	_____
Date	Time _____
Received from	_____
By	_____
Date	Time _____
Received from	_____
By	_____
Date	Time _____

Fig.90. Example of an evidence label

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### Check yourself!

1. Give the definition of a crime scene investigation.

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2. What is the difference between “crime scene investigation” and “crime investigation”?

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3. Analyse the actions of field analysts given below. Are they presented in the right order? Make the rule of SEVEN S's correct:

1. Sketching the scene
2. Securing the scene
3. Securing and collecting evidence
4. Separating the witnesses
5. Scanning the scene
6. Searching for evidence
7. Seeing the scenes

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4. What stage of the SEVEN S's rule can the following events occur at?

1. A photographer fixes all the details of the crime scene.
2. A first responder provides a wounded victim with the first aid.
3. A forensic team determines the primary and the secondary crime scenes.
4. The witnesses are separated not to testify together.
5. Field analysts start combing the crime scene in a systematic way.
6. A sketch artist notes all the details of the crime scene on the schema.
7. Criminalists accurately collect, pack and label the evidence.

5. Study the depicted crime scene and the CSIs' activities:

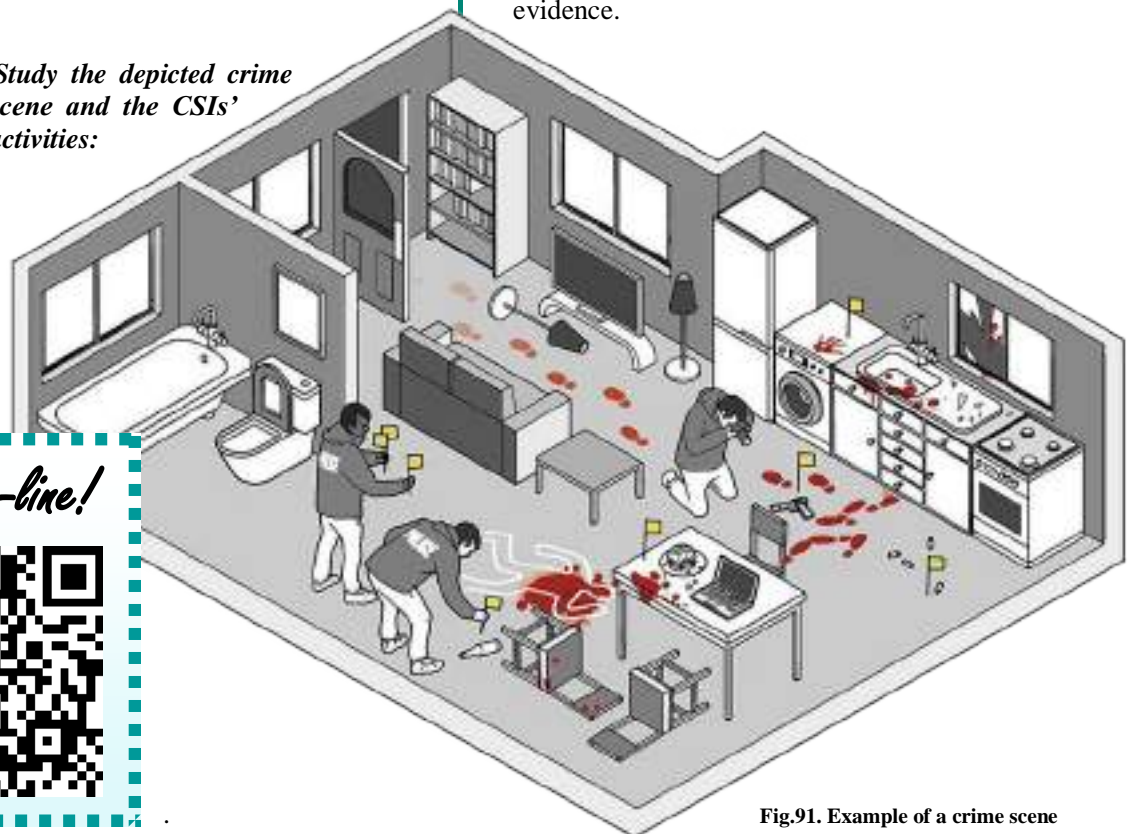


Fig.91. Example of a crime scene

### Test on-line!

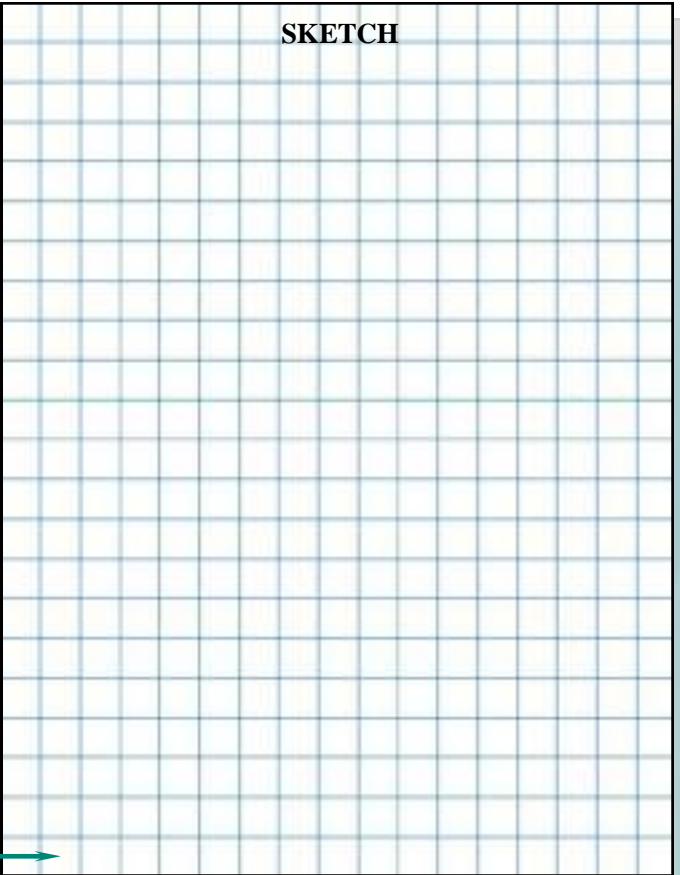




**a) Answer the questions:**

1. Is it an indoor or outdoor crime scene?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
2. Is the integrity of the area preserved? Give some arguments.  
\_\_\_\_\_.
3. How many CSIs are working at the scene? What are they doing?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
4. What stages of a crime scene investigation have been already completed?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
5. What search method could be used in combing the scene?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
6. What stages of a crime scene investigation are proceeding at the moment?  
\_\_\_\_\_.
5. What relevant pieces of evidence can be revealed at this crime scene? List them:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

**SKETCH**



**b) Try to sketch the area.**

**c) How would you collect and package all of the found clues?**

PIECES of EVIDENCE	FORENSIC TOOLS	CONTAINER(s)
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
...		

**d) Choose any piece of evidence from the crime scene and fill in the evidence label.**

**e) Do you have any idea about the causes of the victim's death? Sketch a little scenario of what could happen:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**EVIDENCE**

Agency \_\_\_\_\_  
Collected By \_\_\_\_\_  
Item # \_\_\_\_\_ Case # \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Description \_\_\_\_\_  
Location \_\_\_\_\_  
Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

**CHAIN OF CUSTODY**

Received from \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Received from \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Received from \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Fig.92. Evidence label

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

### Case study!

6. Analyse the crime scene examination, pay attention to the forensic team members, their actions and the found pieces of evidence.

The 19, June at 10 p.m. field analysts arrive at the crime scene and discover a murdered star singer Tim Roller in a car. They start examining and searching the crime area...

1.

PROCESSING A CRIME SCENE REQUIRES TIME AND PATIENCE...



2.

WARRICK LOCATES AND MARKS THE EJECTED SHELL CASINGS FROM THE MURDER WEAPON...



3.

... WHILE CATHERINE NOTES WARRICK'S FINDINGS AND SHOWS THEM ON A SKETCH—A ROUGH DIAGRAM OF THE CRIME SCENE.



4.

SARA BEGINS TO DUST FOR PRINTS, WHILE NICK CONTINUES TAKING PHOTOS OF A VEHICLE WHERE THE CRIME HAS BEEN COMMITTED...



GRISSOM AND CATHERINE CHECK ALL THE ASHTRAYS, AND THE LAST ONE THEY TRY...

5.



6.

ALL ASHTRAYS ARE SPOTLESS, BUT THE LAST... THERE IS A CIGAR ROACH



7.



Fig.93. Forensic team at the crime scene

Some time later Warrick checks and combs the outer area and finds a crime weapon...

- a) Find the names for all the people from the crime scene:

	a criminalist - printing specialist
	a criminalist - ballistics expert
	a criminalist - trace evidence specialist
	a sketch artist
	a photographer
	a victim (the death cause?)

- b) Are the field analysts wearing a full crime scene suit?

- c) What stages of a crime scene investigation are shown in the comics story?



d) Study the comics, find and write down the synonyms for the following words and word combinations:

1. Crime scene analysts, criminalists - \_\_\_\_\_
2. Crime scene - \_\_\_\_\_
3. To search a crime scene - \_\_\_\_\_
4. A sketch of a crime scene - \_\_\_\_\_

## Did you know?

It is relatively easy to recover **DNA** from cigarette ends found at the crime scene.

e) Give some details of the crime scene investigation. Choose the relevant variant:

1. The crime was committed *at the concert / on the car parking / in Tim Roller's house*.
2. The victim is a very popular *politician / actor / singer*.
3. A forensic team *processed a crime scene / interviewed witnesses / arrested a suspect*.
4. Processing the crime scene *is a very easy job / doesn't require a lot of time / requires time and patience*.
5. The crime scene covers *only the car where the murder was committed / the car, the close territory and the outer area / the car and the closest parking area*.
6. *There was only one shot at the victim / There were no less than 7 fired bullets / The victim was murdered with a knife*.
7. The field analysts found *only a murder weapon and casings / no evidence / physical, biological and trace evidence*.

f) Study the list of the forensic evidence and tick ✓ those clues which were found at the crime scene. Say where they were discovered:

✓ Ash	DNA
A knife	A car
Bones	Casings
A pistol	Saliva
Voice prints	
A handwriting note	
Bloodstains	
Footprints	
Lipstick prints	
Fingerprints	
A cigar roach	
Bullets	
Some medicaments	
Some fibres	
A little poison bottle	

E.g. Ash was found in the ashtray of the car.

g) What forensic tools and containers did CSIs use to collect these pieces of evidence?

h) What forensic analysts will be involved in the evidence analysis? Use the checked evidence list from ex.6(f), p.73:

E.g. Ash will be analysed by a trace evidence expert (forensic chemist).

i) Fill in a short report about the murder:

Yesterday, on the \_\_\_\_\_ of June, at about \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, a dead body of the famous rock \_\_\_\_\_ Tim Roller was found in a \_\_\_\_\_ on the parking near the Concert Hall. Arrived at the crime scene \_\_\_\_\_ started examining and \_\_\_\_\_ the murder area. Field analysts processed all the perimeter of the crime and discovered some interesting evidence: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, etc. All the pieces of evidence were marked, photographed and measured. All the details were carefully noted by a \_\_\_\_\_ in a rough crime diagram. Then all the found clues were collected, sealed, labelled and transported to a crime lab. We all hope the suspect will be soon detected and arrested.

# UNIT 4



## Crime scene investigation

j) Read the interview of Catherine Rose, the sketch artist of the forensic team. Try to match the journalist's questions and Catherine's answers:

JOURNALIST	CATHERINE ROSE
1. What can you tell about Tim Roller's murder?	a. I think it's too early to say. It's time to analyse the crime clues.
2. Have you got any evidence of it?	b. Yes, you are welcome.
3. Do you have a suspect?	c. Probably... He was found alone, but we guess he had a company...
4. So, was his guest a man?	d. Oh? It's part of the work
5. Excuse-me, can I ask you some questions?	e. Yeah... Tim Roller is known as <i>a health nut</i> . He is said to be <i>a vegetarian gym rat</i> who didn't smoke, drink, or do drugs... But all the car smelt of cigar smoke...
6. Was he alone in a car?	f. We can't say anymore, we had no other evidence...
7. Thank you for your time.	g. Yes, our team found it in the outer area.
8. Did you find a murder weapon?	h. So... Tim Roller was found dead in a parked limo. He was sitting when someone capped him in a drive by shooting.

### Let's discuss!

**Should mass-media report details of crimes to the public?**

Give **your** own opinion, support it with some arguments.

Use the following link for help: →



### Look it up!

Look up these word combinations in **English-English** dictionaries.

Journalist: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Catherine Rose: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.  
 J.: \_\_\_\_\_?  
 C.R.: \_\_\_\_\_.

k) What do the following slang expressions in the dialogue mean?

A health nut - \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A vegetarian gym rat - \_\_\_\_\_.

l) Act the dialogue.

7. Review all the information on crime scene investigation. Speak in details on the rule of seven S's and the consequence of the actions of CSIs at a crime scene.

# UNIT



## AFTER DEATH analysis

Audio  
Glossary



### Glossary

**Medical examination (n)** -  
*at a crime scene* -  
recording the position and condition of a  
victim and related evidence to determine  
an approximate cause and time of death,  
performed by  
*medical examiners, or MEs*

**Post-mortem changes (n pl)** -  
physiological changes that occur in bodies  
after death

**Decomposition (n)** -  
process of decaying of a corpse into sim-  
pler forms of matter, accompanied by a  
strong, unpleasant odour

**Fresh dead body** changes are:

- **Pallor mortis (n)** -  
paleness which happens in the first 15 -  
120 minutes after death;
- **Algor mortis (n)** -  
the reduction in body temperature fol-  
lowing death. This is generally a steady  
decline until matching ambient tem-  
perature;
- **Rigor mortis (n)** -  
stiffness or rigidity of a body, when the  
limbs of the corpse become stiff and  
difficult to move or manipulate;
- **Livor mortis (n)** -  
lividity, a settling of the blood in the  
lower portion of the body

**Putrefaction (n)** -  
the beginning and presence of signs of  
decomposition of organic matter

**Skeletonisation (n)** -  
the end of decomposition, where all soft  
tissues have decomposed, leaving only  
the skeleton

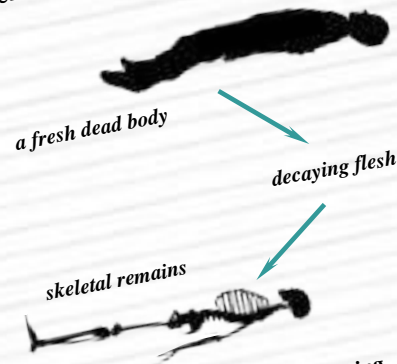


Fig.94-95. A dead body during  
stages of decomposition

**Forensic pathology (n)** -  
pathology that focuses on determining  
the cause of death by examining a corpse

**Autopsy (n)**,  
also called

**Post-mortem examination (n)** -  
a close, detailed and careful medical ex-  
amination of a person's body and its or-  
gans after death to help establish the  
cause and the time of death



# UNIT 5



## After death analysis

### Word bank!



Fig.96. A crime scene cartoon

### 1. Study the cartoon. Answer the questions:

1. What process is depicted in the cartoon - a medical examination or an autopsy?
2. Is a ME determining an approximate time or cause of the death?
3. What stage of decomposition is it - a fresh dead body stage, putrefaction or skeletonisation?

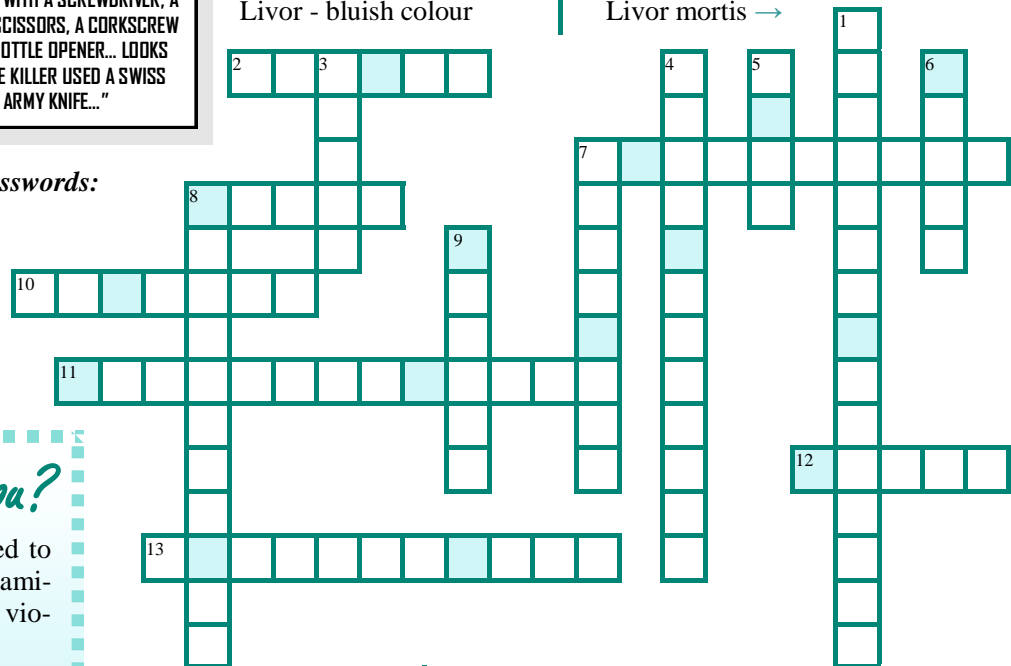
### 2. Study the meaning of the Latin words and offer the simple definition for the word combinations given below:

Post-mortem - after death  
Mortis - death (of death / after death)  
Pallor - paleness

Algor - coldness  
Rigor - stiffness  
Livor - bluish colour

Early post-mortem stages →  
Post-mortem examination →  
Pallor mortis →  
Algor mortis →  
Rigor mortis →  
Livor mortis →

### 3. Do the crosswords:



### What about you?

Will **you** be allowed to make an after death examination in a case of a violent crime? Why?

#### Across:

2. "Paleness" in Latin.
7. Science which studies insects activity.
8. Post-mortem reduction in body temperature - ... mortis.
10. Post-mortem examination of a body in a morgue.
11. Process of decaying of a corpse.
12. Why did the death take place = ... of death.
13. A specialist doing an autopsy of dead bodies.

#### Down:

1. The last stage of decomposition.
3. Post-mortem lividity = ... mortis.
4. The presence of signs of decomposition of organic matter.
5. When did the death take place = ... of death.
6. Stiffness after death = ... mortis.
7. A full name for an ME - a medical ...
8. (adj) not completely accurate but close.
9. "Death" or "of death" in Latin language.

Write down the highlighted letters: \_\_\_\_\_

Made up a key-concept: \_\_\_\_\_

All specialists involved must have a \_\_\_\_\_



## 4. Match the synonyms:

1. examination
2. dead body
3. post-mortem
4. pallor mortis
5. algor mortis
6. rigor mortis
7. livor mortis
8. decomposition
9. autopsy
10. approximate

- a) lividity / bluish colour of a dead body after death
- b) decaying
- c) not completely accurate but close
- d) post-mortem examination
- e) analysis; investigation
- f) coldness of a corpse after death; reduction in body temperature after death
- g) corpse; cadaver; deceased
- h) stiffness / rigidity of a dead body after death
- i) paleness of a dead body skin after death
- j) after death

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## Be attentive!

- putrefaction [ˌpjuːtrɪˈfækʃn] (n)  
 skeletonisation  
 [ˌskelɪt(ə)nəɪˈzeɪʃn] (n)  
 decay [dɪˈkeɪ] (n)  
 autopsy [ˈɔːtəpsi] (n)  
 approximate [əˈprɒksɪmət] (adj)

## 5. Change the given phrases using all possible synonyms of the underlined words and word combinations:

Having arrived at a crime scene medical examiners have to make a close external examination of a dead body. They evaluate post-mortem physiological changes such as pallor mortis, algor mortis, rigor mortis and livor mortis to fix approximate time and cause of death. The real causes and time of the death are determined by a pathologist after making an autopsy. If a corpse is not in a fresh stage of decomposition, forensic entomologists or anthropologists can be involved to help in the crime investigation.

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## 6. Choose the key-terms you think the examination of a dead body deals with. Translate them:

<u>livor mortis</u>	ballistics	pallor mortis	fingerprints	sketch of a crime scene
broken glass	poisons	DNA analysis	rigor mortis	forensic anthropology
autopsy	corpse	death	decomposition	questioned document
search method	algor mortis	detonated bombs	impressions	forensic entomology
laser scanner	chemical liquids	putrefaction	bones	paper and ink analysis

## Make up sentences with each of the underlined words and word combinations:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
- ... \_\_\_\_\_

## Look it up!

Look up and write down other words and word combinations which can be involved in the lexical field "after death analysis".



## Stages of decomposition

### 1. Study 5 stages of a corpse decomposition:

**2. Bloating (4-10 days)**  
Putrefaction starts, skin begins to change colours (ranging from green to grey to brown) and something called "marbling" happens.

Accumulation of gases leads to bloated appearance. Gas pressure causes rupturing of the skin. Insects are attracted, lay eggs. Maggots hatch and start feeding on tissues.

**1. Fresh stage (up to 72 hours)**

With no heart beating blood stops - this creates a pale appearance in some places and a darker in others.

**3. Active decay (10-25 days)**

The greatest mass loss is caused by feeding of maggots and purging of decomposition fluids into environment. Insects activity is huge. Unpleasant smell is really strong.

**4. Advanced decay (25-50 days)**

Insects activity is significantly reduced during this stage. Most of remains blacken. Putrefaction is nearly completed.

**5. Dry stage/ Skeletonisation (after 50 days)**

It's marked by only dry skin, cartilage, and bones remains.

If all soft tissue is removed from the cadaver, its completely skeletonised. If only portions of the bones are exposed, it is partially skeletonised.

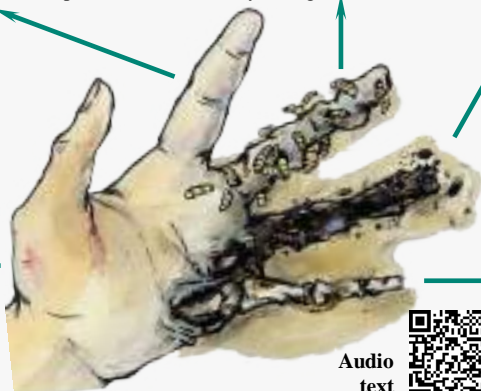


Fig.97. 5 stages of decomposition

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### 2. What stage of decomposition best corresponds to the description. More than one variant is possible:

FRESH STAGE	
BLOATING	1,
ACTIVE DECAY	1,
ADVANCED DECAY	1,
DRY STAGE / SKELETONISATION	

To read more!



- Putrefaction in action.
- Putrefaction starts.
- Rupturing of the skin under gases pressure.
- Removing of all soft tissues from the dead body.
- Purging of body fluids into environment.
- No visible changes in the appearance.
- Putrefaction is nearly completed.
- Marbling colour of the skin.
- Insects activity.
- Reduced insects activity.
- Very strong smells.
- Blackening of remains.

### 3. Study the Glossary cartoons of a dead body (fig.94-95, p.75). Match the names of a corpse with different stages of decomposition:

- A fresh dead body → \_\_\_\_\_.
- Decaying flesh → \_\_\_\_\_.
- Skeletal remains → \_\_\_\_\_.



## 1. Medical examiners have special duties at a crime scene. What story can a body tell?

Arriving at a crime scene, a **medical examiner** fixes the position and condition of a victim and related evidence to determine **an approximate cause and time of the death**. The body always tells a story, especially when the heart has stopped beating. MEs have to evaluate:

- Pallor mortis;
- Algor mortis (body temperature);
- Rigor mortis;

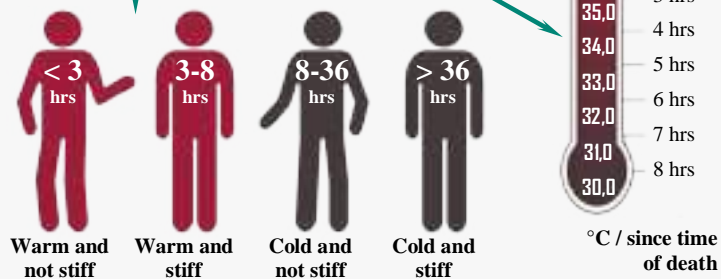


Fig.99-100. Rigor mortis, algor mortis



Fig.98. Medical examiner at a crime scene

- Livor mortis;
- Eye condition;
- Skin condition;
- Degree of decomposition



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## 2. What do the following notions mean? Give short and full definitions:

Pallor mortis is \_\_\_\_\_.

Algor mortis is \_\_\_\_\_.

Rigor mortis is \_\_\_\_\_.

Livor mortis is \_\_\_\_\_.

## 3. Why can forensic medical examiners determine only an approximate cause and time of the death? Use the following words and word combinations for your answer:

Only an external examination, latent causes of the death, an autopsy should be done, the crime lab pathologist, the close examination of the corpse, internal organs, establish the real causes and time of the death.

## 4. Read the situations given below and try to determine the approximate time of the death of the victims:

1. Police discovered a body at 7 p.m. . The corpse was cold (about 28°C), but not stiff. So, the approximate death time is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A medical examiner fixed that the body was still warm (36°C) and not stiff. So, the victim was dead \_\_\_\_\_ hour/hours ago.
3. Discovered in the forest, a corpse was cold and stiff. The body matched the outside temperature. So, the approximate death time is \_\_\_\_\_ hours ago.
4. It's hot - 33 degrees. A found cadaver matched the outside temperature. The body is not stiff. So, the victim was dead \_\_\_\_\_ hours ago.

*Fresh stage*

*To read more!*



*What about you?*

Think & answer.

*To see more!*



# UNIT 5



## After death analysis

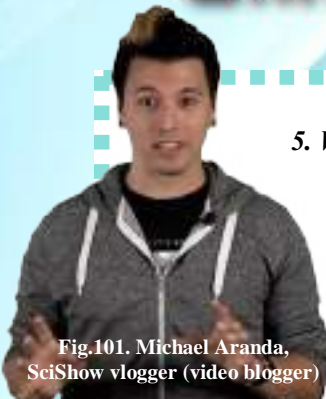


Fig.101. Michael Aranda, SciShow vlogger (video blogger)

### 5. Video “THE REAL SCIENCE OF FORENSICS AFTER DEATH ANALYSIS” from SciShow, a series of science-related videos on YouTube.

- a) Before watching the video, think about the title of the episode.  
Do you think the real forensic science differs from the one shown in the TV series? Why?

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### Video study!



- b) Watch the beginning of the video (0:00-1:00) and tick ✓ the statements you’ve heard:

- ☐ Hollywood seems to think that real science isn’t always made for entertaining TV.
- ☐ TV series never *sugarcoat* forensic possibilities.
- ☐ Writers tend to take some liberties with how forensics really works.
- ☐ Most of the time writers seem *to be* completely *off the mark*.
- ☐ The tests the writers use match perfectly the real expertise.
- ☐ The tests the writers use don’t exist at all.
- ☐ The tests the writers use on the show might actually exist, but they wouldn’t be nearly as fast or accurate in real life.
- ☐ The real forensic tests are as fast and accurate as shown in TV series.
- ☐ The technology the writers use is just... ridiculous.

Do you agree with SciShow vlogger Michael Aranda?

### Look it up!

Look up these word combinations in English-English dictionaries.

Do you understand the expressions given in italic? Look up their meanings:

To sugarcoat \_\_\_\_\_  
To be off the mark \_\_\_\_\_



Fig.102. Video freeze-frame of the crime scene

- c) Watch the video to the end, try to catch the main plot of the hypothetical crime and answer the questions:

1. What type of crime is it? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where was it committed - indoors or outdoors? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Is the victim alive or dead? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What is his name? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What city was he killed in? \_\_\_\_\_
6. What place was he killed at? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What season is it? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What temperature is it outdoors? \_\_\_\_\_
9. What pieces of evidence were found at the crime scene? List them: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Is there any suspect? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Is there any information on the crime weapon? \_\_\_\_\_



- d) Have you caught the meaning of the Latin word “mortis”? What does it mean?
- e) What kinds of after-death analyses (you know 4 of them) were mentioned in Bob’s case? Give the terms according to the definitions:

1. ...	a) the analysis of how the blood pools after death
2. ...	b) the analysis of muscles stiffening after death
3. ...	c) the analysis of the body’s rectal temperature after death

What kind of test-mortis was not stated in the video? Do you have any idea why?

- f) Match the analyses with the description of the body’s processes given in the video:

**LIVOR MORTIS**

**RIGOR MORTIS**

**ALGOR MORTIS**

1. The body actually uses energy to make the muscles relax, not contract. So, after somebody dies, the muscles stop getting chemical energy, they can’t un-contract, and after 2 hours after death the body starts stiffening. After 36 hours after death the muscles decompose enough that they can’t hold their position anymore.
2. The human being’s body temperature (when a person is alive) is about 37 degrees. After death, normally, a body loses heat at a rate about 1-1,5 degrees Celsius per hour. The outdoors temperature must be taken into account - a body loses heat a lot faster to the colder air, but it is hard to tell exactly how fast.
3. When the heart stops beating, it doesn’t distribute the blood anymore - the blood goes where gravity takes it and that makes the skin look purple from the outside. The blood is liquid until 12 hours after death, after this period it coagulates and dries.

- g) What kind of after-death analysis is depicted in the picture? →

Can you explain the purple outside stains?

Make your suggestions about the time of death and the position of the body after death?

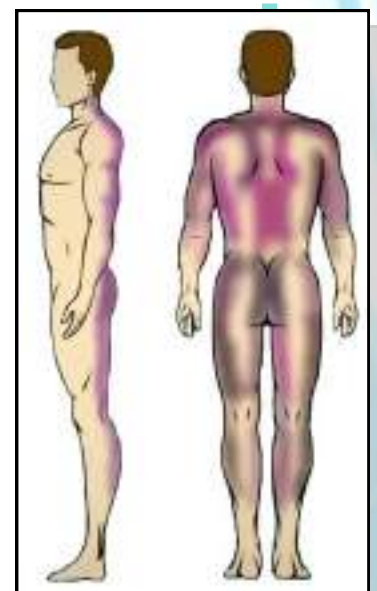


Fig.103. A body’s processes

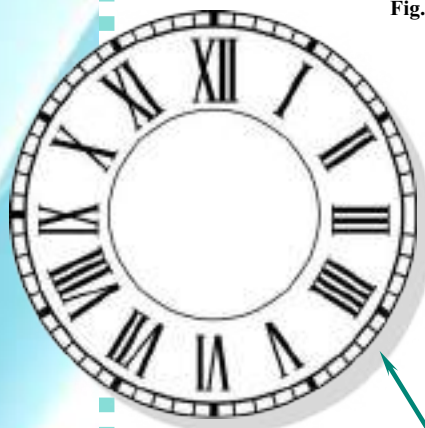
## After death analysis

12 p.m.



**Fig.104. Timeline, identification of the approximate time of Bob's death**

12 ; 5-6 ; 5 ; 2 ; 29 ; 11



**Fig.105. What is the approximate time of Bob's death?**

1. The cops secure the scene and the forensic investigators show up around \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. to gather clues.
2. Bob's blood seems to still be very liquid, so he's been dead less than \_\_\_\_\_ hours.
3. In Bob's case, rigor mortis seems to have set in, so the body is probably more than \_\_\_\_\_ hours dead.
4. Police find a receipt for a bottle of soda from a nearby store time-stamped at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.
5. Bob's rectal temperature is \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Celsius, but this is a cold winter evening in Chicago, so Bob's been dead \_\_\_\_\_ hours.
6. So approximately Bob was killed at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

*i) Think & answer:*

*What about you?*

What new information did **you** learn from the video?

**6. Sum up the information about physiological changes that occur in bodies shortly after death:**



## 7. In a morgue. Analyse the infographics about the pathologist's responsibilities:

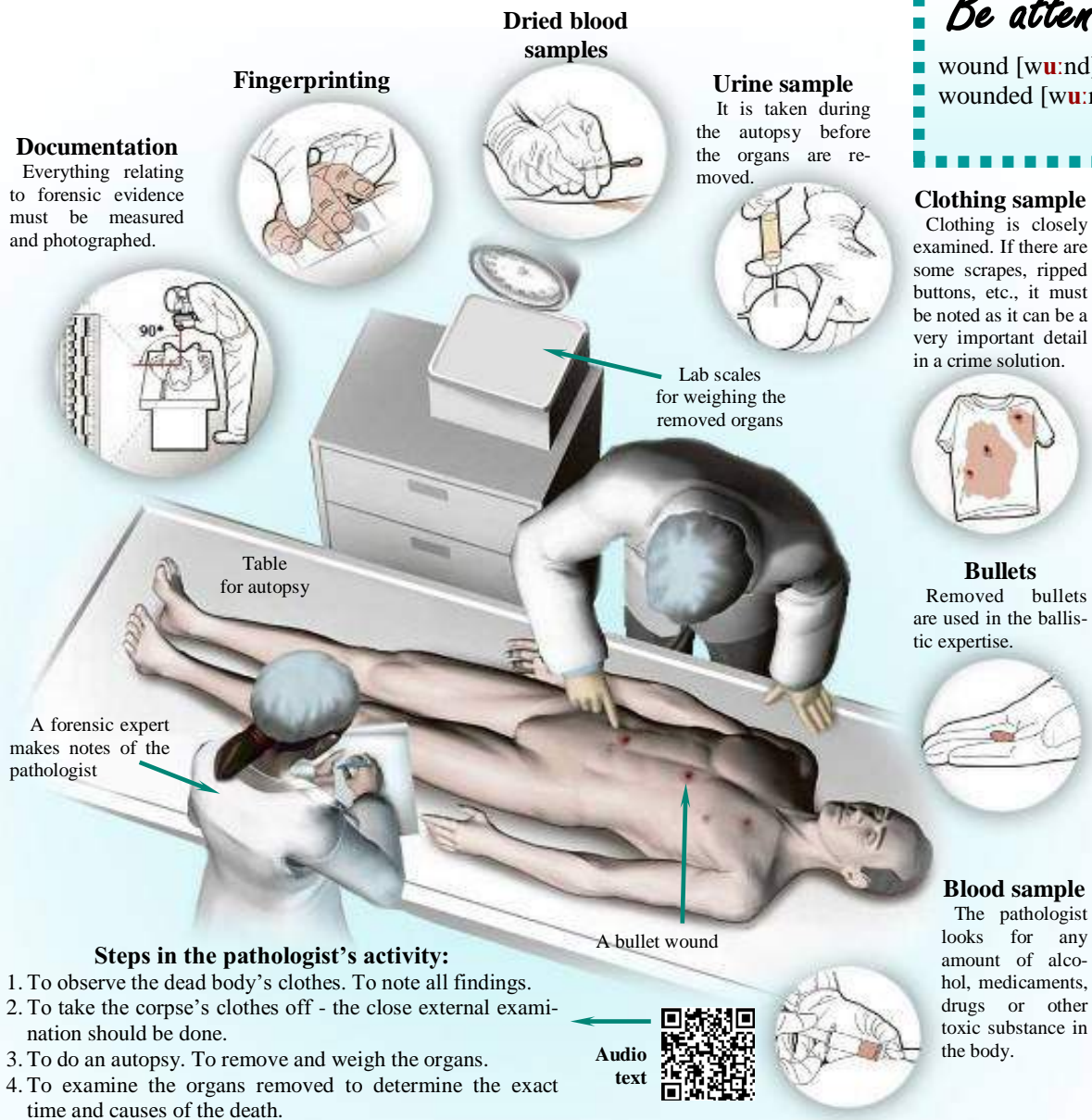


Fig.106. Crime lab. Forensic pathologist's activities

## 8. Each statement given below is wrong. Correct the sentences:

1. The pathologist's duties are only to perform the close external examination of the body and to do the autopsy.
2. It has no importance if everything relating to forensic evidence is not measured and fixed.
3. The clothing examination doesn't fall on the pathologist.
4. The autopsy and the internal organs state can't tell a story about the victim's death time and causes.
5. Removed bullets are thrown away as they can't help investigators to solve a crime.
6. The pathologist works only with the body organs, not with the body fluids.

*Be attentive!*

wound [wʊ:nd] (n), (v)  
wounded [wʊ:ndid] (p.p.)

*To see more!*





## Putrefaction stage

### Did you know?

A dead body attracts many insects. Analysing their life cycle - **egg, larva, pupa** - entomologists can determine a fairly accurate time of death of a victim.

#### Mites

Mites feed on the corpse throughout its decomposition.



Some types focus on the early stage of the fresh body, while others prefer to feed on dry skin in the later stages.

#### Blow flies



Flies also arrive early (in 10 minutes!) as maggots prefer a fresh body to feed on and stay till the end of putrefaction.

Their system can be analysed to find any toxins that were present in the body before the death.

#### Beetles

Some beetles approach a dead body in the early decay to feed on the flies, not on the corpse. Others appear later to feed on other beetles, dried skin or tissues.



Beetles can also be used to find toxins and drugs, which is useful for severely decomposed bodies.

#### Moths



Moths are among the last type of insect that add to the process of decomposition.

Fig.109. Insects at the crime scene

### 1. Answer the questions:

1. What does putrefaction mean?
2. What stages of decomposition (3 of 5) does putrefaction take place in?
3. How is a dead body called during the putrefaction process?
4. Whose activity is significant in this period?

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### 2. Study insects activity.

Try to make some conclusions. You can use the following phrases and word combinations:

Forensic entomologists, to fix a fairly accurate time of death of a victim; to analyse the type of insects; to determine the stage of the insects life (egg, larva, pupa); to find any toxins in the insects systems (drugs, medicines, poisons); to give some version of the cause of death.

### 3. Video "FORENSIC ENTOMOLOGY", a segment

on the Forensic Entomology program at Texas A&M in College Station.

- a) Before watching, analyse the video freeze-frames and the comment to the video in exercise 3 and answer the questions:



Fig.107-108. Forensic entomology training. Video freeze-frames.

1. Are the characters in the video real forensic entomologists or students?
2. Where are they trained?
3. What are they doing in the pictures?
4. Are the fake crime scenes outdoors or indoors?
5. What kind of protective clothes are the students wearing? Why?
6. What clues from the crime scenes could the students (future entomologists) collect?



b) Watch the video. Have you caught any details? Choose the relevant variant:

1. The students are trained in *Asia/ Europe/ the USA*.
2. There are *5/ 6/ 7/ 8* of them.
3. The dead body to be analysed is discovered *in the abandoned dwelling/ in the trunk of a car/ in the forest*.
4. The discovered dead body is a corpse of *a dog/ a human being/ a pig*.
5. The students use the word "*disgusting*"/ "*interesting*"/ "*cool*" to describe their first impression.

c) Study some different types of insects (critters). What kinds of insects could be found at the crime scene feeding on the decaying flesh?

butterfly	bug	mite	mosquito	potato beetle
fly	bed bug	beetle	moth	flea
blow fly	worm	coffin fly	ant	cockroach (roach)

d) Underline the insects species from exercise 3 (c) you have heard or seen in the "11 News".

e) What forensic tools and containers were used by the students to collect different insects species?

\_\_\_\_\_

f) Watch the video again and complete the statements given below:

1. The students are uncovering clues to careers that may one day help the families of murder victims see \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The students try to read the story told by flies and maggots in a language of \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Crime scene entomologists \_\_\_\_\_ life coming after death.
4. The insects are what they \_\_\_\_\_ and they \_\_\_\_\_ all victim's substances inside them.

eat

science

carry

decipher

justice

Choose one of these statements, speak on it in details:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

g) Give your own expert opinion about the decomposition stage of the shown bodies:

1. This is the stage of a fresh body.
2. This is the stage of bloating.
3. This is the stage of active decay.
4. This is the stage of advanced decay.
5. This is the stage of skeletonisation.

You can use the following plan:

1. What kinds of insects can you see?
2. What is the period of their activities?
3. Can you make a conclusion of the decomposition stage?

Video study!



Let's discuss!

Entomologists often use the slogan:

**"FLY-WITNESSES ARE MUCH BETTER THAN EYE-WITNESSES".**

How can you comment it?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# UNIT 5 After death analysis



## Skeletonisation

### 1. Study the information on the stage of skeletonisation in details:

**Skeletonisation** is the state of a dead organism after undergoing decay.

It is **the final stage of decomposition**, by the end of which all soft tissues have been eliminated, leaving only disarticulated bones.

Once the skeletal remains are discovered or excavated, forensic anthropologists evaluate their forensic significance.

Using physical **markers on a skeleton**, a forensic anthropologist can potentially **identify a victim**, determine a victim's **age, sex, stature, and ancestry**.

In addition, forensic anthropologists can use skeletal **abnormalities** to potentially determine cause of death, past trauma.

If the skeletal remains are deemed as materials that have no forensic significance, they will proceed to an examination of its archaeological significance.



Fig.110. Skeletal remains

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## Who is who?

This American anthropologist, popularly known as "**the bone doctor**", is considered as the pioneer of forensic anthropology.



Fig.111. Pioneer in forensic anthropology

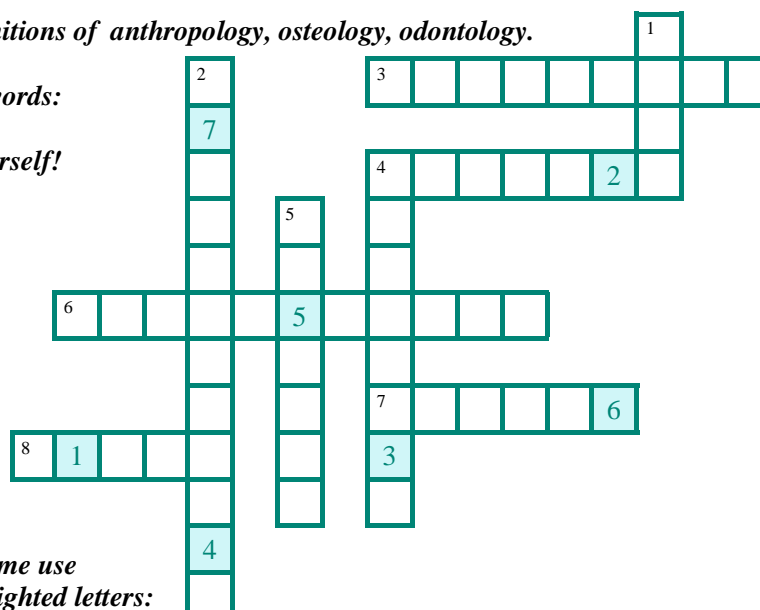
After World War II, during the 1940-50s he actively publicised potential forensic value of **anthropology, osteology** and **odontology**

Who is he?

### 2. Give the definitions of anthropology, osteology, odontology.

### 3. Do the crosswords:

Check yourself!



To check the name use the highlighted letters:



### Across:

- Scientific study of bones.
- Term to describe a physical height.
- Something unusual in a person's body.
- Damage to the body caused by external force.

### Down:

- The science studying skeletal remains of human beings.
- They include skeletal material, mummies, or decomposed dead bodies.

## Be attentive!

skeleton ['skelɪt(ə)n] (n)  
skeletal ['skelətl] (adj)

stature ['stætʃə] (n)  
ancestry ['ænsɛstri] (n)  
abnormality  
[.æbnɔ:'mælɪti] (n)  
trauma ['trɔ:mə] (n)

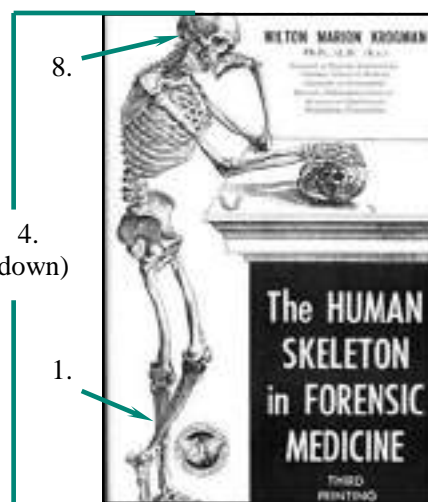


Fig.112. The book by W. Krogman



4. Anthropologists deal with skeletons, bones, skulls. Study some differences between male and female skulls and then try to determine the sex of the offered ones:

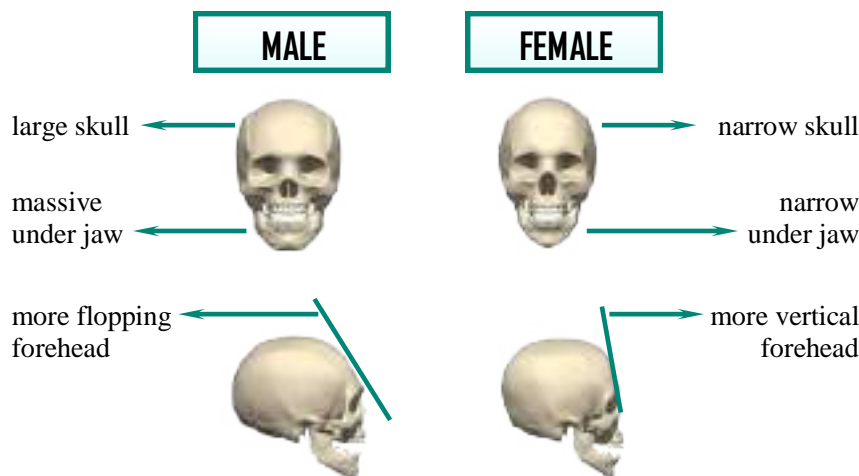
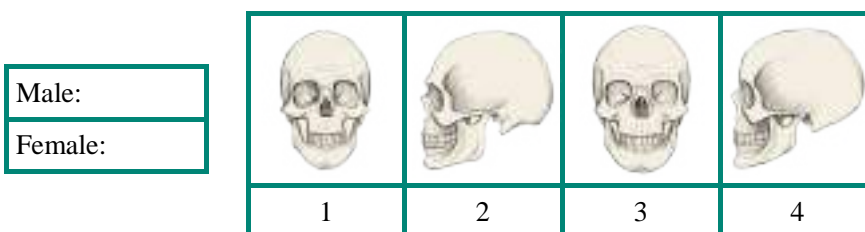


Fig.113. Male and female skulls



5. Sometimes criminal investigation requires victim's face reconstruction. Match the pictures with the steps in facial reconstruction, then put them into the right order:

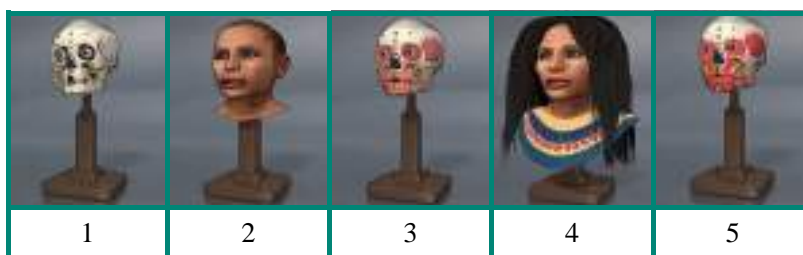


Fig.115. Stages of face reconstruction

DETAILED STEPS in FORENSIC FACE RECONSTRUCTION	
	The individual muscles are sculpted in.
	Hair and accessories are added.
	They add the skin with wrinkles and pores according to the anatomy and age.
	Forensic anthropologists examine the skull and determine the age, sex, stature, ancestry, and any bone abnormalities. They add depth markers which are placed at the osteometric (specific measurable) points on the skull.
	The specialists in facial reconstruction finish the muscles on the face.

*Did you know?*

**Face reconstruction** is a process where experts recreate an individual's face from just his skull with the help of forensic science, osteology, odontology, anatomy and of course artistry.



Fig.114. Example of face reconstruction

*To see more!*



# UNIT 5 After death analysis



## Video study!



### 6. Video "FBI AGENTS' TRAINING AT 'BODY FARM' "

a) Before watching, analyse the freeze-frame (fig.116) and the words starting the video and try to give the full names of the abbreviations stated in it:

"We're here today at the Anthropology Research facility working with FBI ERTs on the Human Remains Recovery Course".

FBI stands for \_\_\_\_\_

ERT means \_\_\_\_\_

ARF abbreviates \_\_\_\_\_

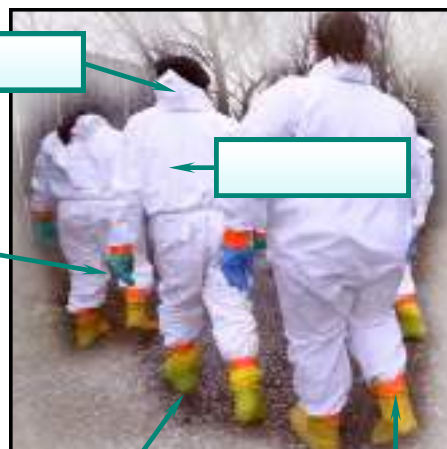


Fig.116-117. Video freeze-frames

b) Sum up the information and answer the questions:

1. What are the main characters of the video?
2. Where does the action of the video take place?
3. What do the FBI ERTs deal with?
4. What is the main aim of the FBI ERT's training?

c) Watch the video for the first time.  
Analyse the protective clothes of the FBI ERTs.



## What about you?

Why do **you** think the protective measures are so strong? Give some arguments.

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## Let's discuss!

The FBI ERTs' faces are hardly shown in the video. Why?

How can **you** comment it?

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d) Agree or disagree. If the statement is false, make it correct:

1. At the ARF the FBI ERTs deal with real crime scenes graves. (T/F)
2. ERTs are trained how to recognise graves, excavate graves, surface remains, document all the evidence and make sure that they got all relevant clues. (T/F)
3. It's required for ERTs to put on protective clothes to protect themselves and to keep the integrity of the scene. (T/F)
4. Crime scenes with hidden human remains give no challenge for forensic experts as it's rather easy to process such areas. (T/F)
5. There is no algorithm of ERTs' actions in human remains recovery. (T/F)
6. Sometimes it's very difficult to recognise bones fragments as they look like rocks. (T/F)
7. In graves excavating ERTs look not only for bones, but for any bits of evidence (teeth, bullets, pieces of clothing) that might be really important to the case. (T/F)
8. The human remains at the ARF are ones of real victims. (T/F)



e) Watch the video again and match the freeze-frames with the human remains recovery steps:



Fig.118-125. Video freeze-frames

To read more!



DETAILED STEPS in HUMAN REMAINS RECOVERY	
	While excavating the grave every piece of dirt goes through the sift not to miss bones or other evidence.
	Skeletal remains are carefully cleaned out with brushes.
	ERTs use probes to find graves. They are trained on how to feel the difference between the undisturbed and the disturbed soil - this helps locate graves.
	The remains and every piece of evidence associated with the body and the grave must be mapped, photographed and inventoried.
	Once the margins of the grave is defined, ERTs start excavating the grave, taking down the soil, layer by layer, thin layers (or levels).
	The grave must be completely exposed.
	CSIs lay out a grid in the area where they think the grave might be. Then they take photos of it.
	The remains are removed to let the agents to scrape the bottom of the grave (go down another 20 centimeters or so) to make sure the area is clear of evidence.

Put the steps in the right order:

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f) Think & answer:

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What about you?

What new information did you learn from the video?

# UNIT 5



## After death analysis

### Check yourself!

1. Give the English equivalents for the following Latin words and word combinations.

Post-mortem - \_\_\_\_\_.

Mortis - \_\_\_\_\_.

Pallor mortis - \_\_\_\_\_.

Algor mortis - \_\_\_\_\_.

Rigor mortis - \_\_\_\_\_.

Livor mortis - \_\_\_\_\_.

2. What are the differences between a medical examination and an autopsy? Tick ✓ the box that best corresponds to the statement. More than one variant is possible:

	MEDICAL EXAMINATION	AUTOPSY
1. It's done by a forensic pathologist.		
2. Medical training is required for performing it.	✓	✓
3. It's performed by a ME.		
4. It deals with dead bodies.		
5. It's done in a morgue.		
6. It's realised at a crime scene.		
7. It helps to determine an approximate time and cause of death.		
8. It's also called post-mortem examination.		
9. It helps to determine the exact time and causes of death.		
10. It includes external examination of a corpse.		
11. When carrying it out, a specialist analyses post-mortem changes.		
12. When carrying it out, a specialist deals with body internal organs, body fluids.		

Sum up the information and write down the description of a medical examination and an autopsy:

Medical examination \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Autopsy \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_



3. Write down the titles of the stages of decomposition: 4. Guess which of the stages is described?

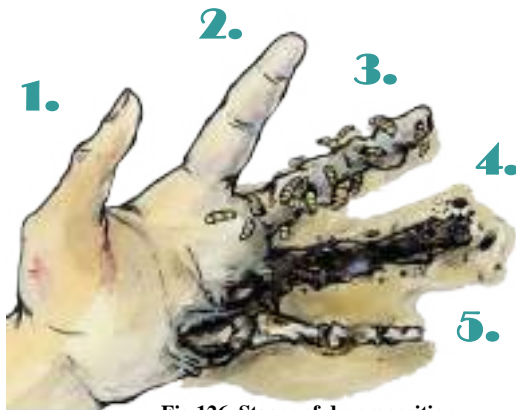


Fig.126. Stages of decomposition

1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
  3. \_\_\_\_\_
  4. \_\_\_\_\_
  5. \_\_\_\_\_
1. The body bloats.
  2. Insects activity is significant.
  3. As a rule, it lasts up to 72 hours.
  4. All soft tissues are removed from the cadaver.
  5. Most of remains blacken.
  6. Skin begins to change colours and something called "marbling" happens.
  7. This phase is marked by strong smell and the greatest mass lost.
  8. There are no significant external changes except some paler or darker places in appearance.
  9. Putrefaction starts.
  10. Putrefaction is nearly completed.
  11. Remains are partially or completely skeletonised.
  12. A dead body is called decaying flesh.

5. What do the following figures correspond with?

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. 15 min - 2 hrs after death    | a) advanced decay                   |
| 2. 3-8 hrs after death           | b) rigor mortis: warm and stiff     |
| 3. 8-36 hrs after death          | c) fresh stage                      |
| 4. more than 36 hrs after death  | d) pallor mortis                    |
| 5. up to 72 hrs after death      | e) bloating                         |
| 6. 4-10 days after death         | f) rigor mortis: cold and not stiff |
| 7. 10-25 days after death        | g) active decay                     |
| 8. 25-50 days after death        | h) rigor mortis: cold and stiff     |
| 9. more than 50 days after death | i) skeletonisation                  |

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

6. Agree or disagree. If the statement is false, make it correct:

1. Physiological changes occur in bodies just after death. (T/F)
2. There are 5 post-mortem changes: pallor mortis, algor mortis, rigor mortis, livor mortis, and skeletonisation. (T/F)
3. Livor mortis is evaluated according to rectal temperature. (T/F)
4. Body temperature goes down until matching ambient temperature. (T/F)
5. A dead body stiffens twice. (T/F)
6. Rigor mortis is the first post-mortem sign. (T/F)
7. Active lividity stains can indicate the position of a corpse after death. (T/F)
8. Bloating is the first sign of putrefaction. (T/F)
9. Insects activity is significantly reduced 50 days after death. (T/F)
10. Skeletal remains examination helps determine the age, sex, stature, ancestry, past trauma and hypothetical cause of death of a victim. (T/F)

Test on-line!



# UNIT 5



## After death analysis

7. Study the template of an autopsy report. Try to fill it in according to the story given below.

Pathologist Name: _____							
Case # _____							
<b>Autopsy Report</b>							
Who is the Deceased?							
Name: _____							
Age: _____							
Sex: _____							
Address: _____							
City, State, Zip _____							
Phone # _____							
Age	Race	Sex	Length	Weight	Eyes	Hair	Beard
Blood Type		Contents in Blood		Rigor Mortis		Liver Mortis	
Marks and Wounds							
Probable Cause of Death							
Date of Autopsy				Location of Autopsy			

Fig.127. Autopsy report template

A cold and stiff dead body of Sarah Brown, a young woman of 25, was found dead in her apartment (803 Clark Lane, 10032, NY), lying on the floor.

The external examination of Sarah's body gave the following results:

- female, white, brunette, over six feet tall, 130-140 pounds;
- some bruises around the neck and multiple stab wounds to torso (2 wounds - in the heart area, 3 wounds - in the right region of lower abdomen). Lack of blood at the crime scene suggests stab wounds made post-mortem.

Chemical body fluids analysis revealed traces of sleeping pills and alcohol in the blood.

8. Review all the information on the stages of decomposition, post-mortem changes. Speak in details on the responsibilities of MEs, forensic pathologists, forensic entomologists and forensic anthropologists:

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### What about you?

How do **you** understand this phrase? What story can a dead body tell? Give some examples.

9. Make a conclusion.

Analyse the phrase famous in a medical community:

→ "A DEAD BODY CAN TELL".

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# UNIT



## TYPES of EVIDENCE

Audio  
Glossary



### Glossary

**Evidence (n)** -  
an item (items) from a crime scene that  
can prove the guilt or the innocence of  
a suspect

**1. Direct evidence (n)** -  
evidence that, if true, establishes  
a fact of a crime and proves  
directly the guilt of an offender (e.g.,  
confessions, audio or visual recording  
of the act of a crime, etc.)

**Indirect evidence (n) =  
Circumstantial evidence (n)** -  
evidence that doesn't prove directly the  
guilt of a criminal, but can link him to  
a crime scene (e.g., fingerprints or hair  
found at a crime scene, bloodstains,  
etc.)

**Personal testimony (n)** -  
a witness statement about a crime or a  
person who committed it

**2. Class evidence (n)** -  
evidence common to a group of  
objects or people; it can not be  
linked to a single source (e.g., synthetic  
fibres, blood type, shoeprints without  
specific wear patterns, etc.)

**Individual evidence (n)** -  
evidence that can be linked with only one  
single source (e.g., fingerprints, handwrit-  
ing, DNA samples of a person; fired bul-  
lets, tool marks, etc.)

1. What kind of crime do you think it is?
2. Can you guess which country this crime was committed in? What details can help you make up your mind?
3. What are all of the depicted people? What are they doing?
4. How many pieces of evidence are found at a crime scene?
5. Name all the evidence discovered.
6. What is used to mark them?
7. Are these pieces of evidence direct or indirect?
8. Where can individual evidence be found at this crime scene? Explain your choice.

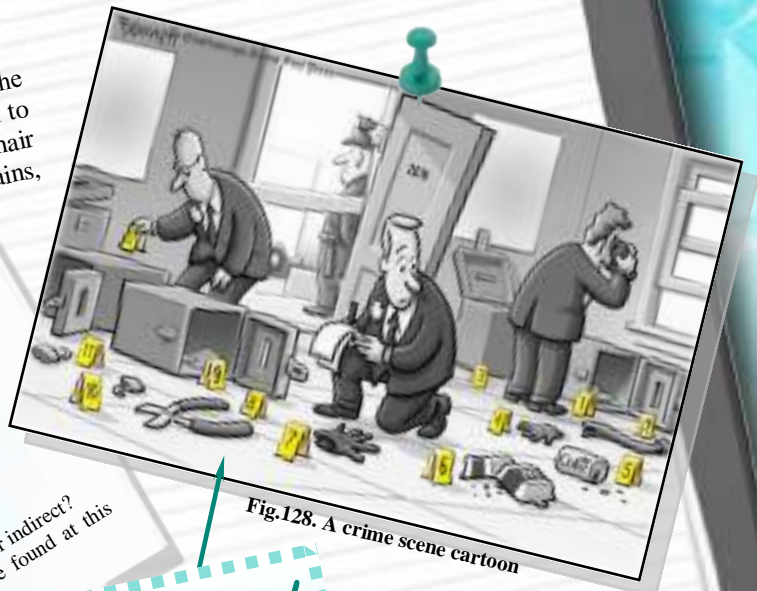


Fig.128. A crime scene cartoon

Look it up!

# UNIT 6



## Types of evidence

### Word bank!

1. Study the different expressions with the key-word "evidence". Divide them into evidence types, evidence nature (see p.66) and evidence examples:

### Keep in mind!

The word **evidence** is an **uncountable noun** and **is not used in the plural**. So, "evidence" is always followed by a singular verb:

E.g. All the evidence **was** properly collected.

When talking about one fact, sign, object, or their large number, use:

- an item / items of evidence;
- a piece / pieces of evidence;
- a clue / clues from a crime scene.

E.g. Easily lost pieces of evidence **were** collected first.

### Be attentive!

direct [dɪ'rekt], [daɪ-] (adj)

indirect [ɪn'dɪ'rekt], [-daɪ-] (adj)

circumstance ['sɜ:kəmstəns] (n)

circumstantial

[,sɜ:kəm'stænʃ(ə)l] (adj)

### What about you?

After **your** professional training **you** will be allowed to make expertise of some kinds of evidence.

Do **you** have any idea what they are?

- |                               |                          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. DNA evidence               | 12. fingerprint evidence |
| 2. liquid evidence            | 13. ballistics evidence  |
| 3. handwriting evidence       | 14. fragile evidence     |
| 4. easily lost evidence       | 15. transient evidence   |
| 5. living biological evidence | 16. individual evidence  |
| 6. circumstantial evidence    | 17. wet evidence         |
| 7. class evidence             | 18. blood evidence       |
| 8. footwear evidence          | 19. moist evidence       |
| 9. drug evidence              | 20. direct evidence      |
| 10. solid evidence            | 21. trace evidence       |
| 11. dispute document evidence | 22. saliva evidence      |

TYPES OF EVIDENCE	EVIDENCE NATURE	EVIDENCE KINDS / EXAMPLES
1.	1.	1.
2.	2.	2.
3.	3.	3.
4.	4.	4.
	5.	5.
	6.	6.
	7.	7.
	...	...

3. Analyse the given information, then fill in the gaps in the following statements :

1. A lot of \_\_\_\_\_ were left by a perpetrator at a crime scene.
2. All the \_\_\_\_\_ was marked with \_\_\_\_\_ flags.
3. Each \_\_\_\_\_ should be documented.
4. All found \_\_\_\_\_ can prove the guilt or the innocence of a suspect.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ links a criminal with a crime.
6. These \_\_\_\_\_ are considered as circumstantial \_\_\_\_\_.
7. You must use individual container for each \_\_\_\_\_.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ is a link chain between a victim, a perpetrator and a crime scene.
9. A criminal left no visible \_\_\_\_\_ at a crime scene.
10. The \_\_\_\_\_ points to her as the prime suspect.

EVIDENCE

ITEM / PIECE OF EVIDENCE

ITEMS / PIECES OF EVIDENCE



4. Skim the information about E. Locard and his developed exchange principle.

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How does this principle sound like?

\_\_\_\_\_

Write down the main idea of Locard's exchange principle:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Make a conclusion. What is the role of evidence, no matter how tiny it is?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Study the evidence linkage triangle based on the E. Locard's principle of exchange:



What and who does evidence link?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How does understanding this evidence linkage triangle help in proving a suspect's guilt or innocence? Complete the statements given below:

1. Establishing strong interrelationships between a crime scene, a perpetrator and a victim proves the criminal's \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Any reasonable doubt in interrelationships between a crime scene, a perpetrator and a victim can prove the criminal's \_\_\_\_\_.

## Did you know?

**EDMOND LOCARD (1877-1966)**  
Contact exchange principle

**Edmond Locard** is one of the most important figures in the history of forensic science.

He worked as a medical examiner during World War I and was able to identify causes and locations of death by looking at stains or dirt left on soldiers' uniforms.



Fig.129. E. Locard



Fig.130. E. Locard

In 1910 he opened the world's first police laboratory in Lyon, France.

He was compared with **Sherlock Holmes** as like Doyle's fiction character he worked with a great faith in analytical thought, objectivity, logic and scientific fact.

He developed what would become known as **Locard's exchange principle**: "Every contact leaves a trace".

He believed that every criminal can be linked to a crime by tiny particles either carried from the scene or left there. The task of criminalists is only to detect them.

Locard's exchange principle "Every contact leaves a trace" marked a new era in the history of forensics.

From there on, police believed **every criminal can be caught, the only task is to detect his traces** left at a crime scene or carried from it.

# UNIT 6



## Types of evidence

### Evidence definition

1. Make up the fullest definition of evidence using the variants given below:



is a clue from a crime scene
can link a crime scene, a perpetrator and a victim
can prove the guilt or the innocence of a suspect
ultimately assists the police in their investigation
can considerably narrow the list of the suspects

### Did you know?

The term **evidence** is derived from the Latin term **evidere** that means **to show clearly, to discover, to ascertain or to prove**.

Evidence is a means of proof.

Evidence (is) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### Did you know?

PAUL L. KIRK  
(1902-1970)



Fig.131. P.L.Kirk

Paul L. Kirk was an American chemist, a forensic scientist specialised in microscopy.

He published more than 250 articles in multiple forensic fields.

Being an ardent advocate of the **Lo-card's principle** (do you remember it?), he believed in the power of evidence.

2. Read the statement of P.L. Kirk about evidence:

"Wherever he steps, wherever he touches, whatever he leaves, even without consciousness, will serve as a **silent witness against him**.

Not only his fingerprints or his footprints, but his hair, the fibres from his clothes, the glass he breaks, the tool mark he leaves, the paint he scratches, the blood or semen he deposits or collects. **All of these and more, bear mute witness against him.**

This is evidence that **does not forget. It is not confused by the excitement of the moment. It is not absent because human witnesses are. It is factual evidence. Physical evidence cannot be wrong, it cannot perjure itself, it cannot be wholly absent. Only human failure to find it, study and understand it, can diminish its value.**"

P.L. Kirk

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text



Complete your definition of the evidence (from ex.1, p.96) with the eloquent and metaphorical ideas of P. L. Kirk:

Evidence (is) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

### Look it up!

4. Write down all possible synonyms for the term "EVIDENCE":

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



## 1. DIRECT or INDIRECT?

Study the common global classification of the evidence:



Fig.132. Oral testimonies

Evidence is divided into 2 global groups: direct evidence and indirect (circumstantial) evidence.

**Direct evidence** is evidence that establishes a fact of a crime (an eyewitness's or victim's firsthand testimony; confessions, audio or visual recording of the act of a crime).

**Indirect (circumstantial) evidence** doesn't prove directly the guilt of an offender, but can link him to a crime scene (fingerprints or hair found at a crime scene, dirt on the boots sole, fired bullets, bloodstains, etc.).



Fig.133. Indirect evidence

## Evidence classifications



Fig.134. Video record of a crime



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## 2. Determine the type of the following evidence:

DIRECT EVIDENCE	
INDIRECT EVIDENCE	1,

- Ash in the car ashtray.
- Lipstick print on the glass of wine.
- Audio record of a crime.
- Explosive device fragments.
- A pistol with a suspect's fingerprints.
- A suspect's confession in the crime committing.
- A victim's wound.
- Skeletal remains found in the forest.
- Eyewitnesses' testimonies of the crime committing.
- John testifies that he saw Tom raise a gun and fire it at Ann and that Ann then fell to the ground.
- John testifies that he saw Tom and Ann go into another room and that he heard Tom say to Ann that he was going to shoot her, heard a shot, and saw Tom leave the room with a smoking gun.

## 3. Look at the perpetrator identifying scene and read the eyewitness testimony:

What type of evidence is it - direct or indirect?

Is the testimony credible and objective? Why?

I SAW A PERPETRATOR COMMITTING A CRIME... I REMEMBER ALL THE DETAILS! I'M NOT SURE ABOUT HIS HEIGHT... AND WEIGHT... AND AGE... BUT IT WAS AN ABSOLUTELY CRIMINALLY-LOOKING MAN..



Fig.135. Perpetrator identifying

## Be aware!

**"Direct" does not mean better!**

**Indirect evidence is more objective, while direct one is subjective.**

Moreover, in general, direct evidence is not always credible:

- Eye-witnesses can be mistaken when identifying perpetrators or remembering certain events.
- Flawed questioning techniques can lead to false testimony and confessions.
- The age of the eyewitness and the passing of time since the event can also lead to faulty testimony.

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## Types of evidence

### Let's discuss!

Why does **documentary evidence** refer to **direct** and **indirect evidence** at the same time?

Give some examples of direct documentary evidence and indirect documentary evidence.

4. Study one of numerous **EVIDENCE** detailed classifications. Match the different types of evidence (given in the table) with their descriptions:

<b>DIRECT EVIDENCE</b>	Oral (testimonial) evidence	
	Documentary evidence	
	Material (physical) evidence	
	Biological evidence	
	Chemical evidence	
	Trace evidence	
<b>INDIRECT (CIRCUMSTANTIAL) EVIDENCE</b>		

a)



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This kind of evidence is anything relating to **living beings** - it may consist of **body fluids** (blood, saliva, semen, body oil, sweat), **body parts** (fingers, nails, hair, eyelashes, teeth, etc.), **bones fragments** and **skeletal remains**, skin, DNA, dandruff, ear wax, etc.

b)



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This kind of evidence is **personal testimony**. Police interview witnesses and victims, interrogate suspects and fill in the report fixing everything they remember.

This evidence, if true and credible, can help **establish the motive** and **corroborate the alibi**.

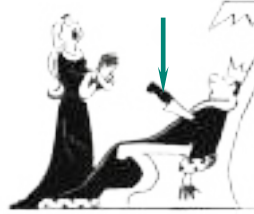
c)



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This kind of evidence includes chemical **toxic** and **poisonous** substances (poison, gas) and **drug items** which are divided into **medicines** and **narcotics**. **Syringes, needles, pipes, plastic bags** are considered as this type of evidence if they contain some amount of drug.

d)



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This type of evidence can include **large items** such as damaged cars, smashed doors or even metro station, and **items minuscule in size** such as broken glass, clothing fibres. Field scientists may also collect **weapons** (knives or guns) or **fired bullets** and **spent casings**.

e)



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This evidence covers **very small** items found only by means of a **microscope** or **ultraviolet light** (some stains, trace amount of dirt, paint chips, pollen, wood splinters) and all kinds of **prints** (finger-, foot-, palm-, lipstick prints) and **impressions** (tire tracks, bite or tool marks).

f)



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This type of evidence might include a **video**, a **photo** or an **audio** of a crime scene. Also all kinds of **documents** - **typed** (such as e-mails, wills, messages, a printout of calls) or **handwritten** (a suicide's note, letters, a diary) can be found in this evidence list.

Fig.136. Different types of evidence



5. Determine the type of the evidence given below:

Examples	Oral (testimonial) evidence	Documentary evidence	Physical evidence	Biological evidence	Chemical evidence	Trace evidence
1. some paint chips						
2. 10 grams of white powder on the table						
3. a suicide's note						
4. some amount of skin under the victim's nails						
5. dirt on the victim's skirt						
6. the eye-witnesses' testimonies						
7. fabric samples with bloodstains						
8. tire tracks of a suspect's vehicle						
9. hair on the victim's bed						
10. a syringe with some substance						
11. a cup with fingerprints						
12. a will of the victim						
13. a printout of phone calls						
14. pills in the victim's pocket						
15. a video record of the crime						
16. saliva for DNA testing						
17. some stains on the wall						
18. an undetonated bomb						
19. broken glass next to the dead body						

**Be attentive!**

sweat [swet] (n)

wax [wæks] (n)

syringe [sɪrɪndʒ] (n)

ultraviolet [ˌʌltrəˈvaɪələt] (n)

alibi [ˈælibaɪ] (n)

## Types of evidence

Look up and add  
your own variants.

6. Look through the pages and write down all the mentioned pieces of evidence. Divide them into 4 types (according to the evidence classification):

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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## Types of evidence

### 7. CLASS versus INDIVIDUAL evidence. What is the difference?

All evidence bears class characteristics. Individual characteristics may or may not be present.

#### Keep in mind!

In the analysis of individual evidence the verb **to individualise** is often used.

It means **to match, to associate with a person / an object**.

E.g. A fired bullet can be individualised to a weapon (uniquely associated with it).

The best evidence is anything that **can be linked to a unique, single specific source** (person or object). This is called **individual evidence**. Examples are fingerprints, voiceprints, handwriting, DNA patterns of a person; fired bullets, a piece of broken glass which fits exactly to another, like a jigsaw puzzle piece, etc.

Unfortunately, most evidence is **class evidence**. This means that the object has characteristics **common to a group of similar objects**, but **not to one single object**. Examples are fibres, blood type, car model, shoe size, etc. This type of evidence can not indicate a particular criminal, but it can narrow down a list of possible suspects.



Fig.137. Footprints:

**Class evidence:** Nike running shoes, men's, 42 size.

**Individual evidence:** Nike running shoes, men's, 42 size; unique wear and cuts in sole of shoes.

Audio text



### 8. Agree or disagree. If the statement is false, make it correct:

1. All evidence bears individual characteristics. (T/F)
2. "To individualise" means "to narrow down a list of possible suspects". (T/F)
3. Individual evidence can link a crime scene and a victim with a particular criminal. (T/F)
4. Evidence with characteristics common to a group of similar objects are class evidence. (T/F)
5. Individual evidence helps identify a person. It can be a fingerprint, a voiceprint, a DNA pattern, a person's handwriting, and his blood type. (T/F)

### 9. Determine the type of the evidence:

INDIVIDUAL EVIDENCE

CLASS EVIDENCE

1,

1. Shoeprints without specific wear patterns.
2. A synthetic fibre.
3. Hair with no root (no follicle).
4. Hair with a follicle.
5. Shoeprints with unusual cuts in soles.
6. Tracks of new tires.
7. A handwritten letter.
8. Saliva at a crime scene.
9. Fired bullets.
10. Manufactured bullets in a transportation box.
11. DNA extracted from blood samples.
12. Shoe prints without individual wear pattern.
13. Identical matches found at the scene of an arson and in the pocket of a suspect.
14. A unique key from the safe.
15. A cut piece of white paper.
16. A torn piece of a photo.
17. Blood type.

#### Let's discuss!

Analyse the got list of class evidence.

Can **you** imagine and offer the circumstances under which all of the stated pieces of evidence could be individualised?

#### Be attentive!

individualise

[,ɪndɪˈvɪdʒʊəlaɪz] (v)

associate [əˈsəʊʃieɪt] (v)

unique [juːˈniːk] (adj)

follicle [ˈfɒlɪkl] (n)



10. Analyse the situations and the pieces of evidence given below. Can the clues be individualised?

1. Some blond hairs were found on the gloves of a suspected kidnapper who has brown hair. Would they be considered class or individual evidence?

4. A cigarette butt was found at the scene of a crime. Can it be uniquely associated with a cigarette package? And with the person who smoked it?

2. Some powder was found in a plastic bag in a suspect's pocket. Some similar powder was found on the victim. Can the first powder be individualised to the second powder?



5. Pieces of a broken bottle were found at the scene of a crime. The bottom of a bottle was found in a suspect's car. Can the pieces of the bottle be individualised with what was found in the suspect's car?



3. A bloody knife has been found in the backyard of a murder suspect. Is it a class evidence? Under what circumstances could it be individualised?



6. A pair of latex gloves was found at the scene of a robbery. A box of the same brand of latex gloves was found at a suspect's home. Can the gloves be individualised to the box?



Fig.138-141. Class or individual pieces of evidence

11. Video "TYPES OF EVIDENCE".

a) Fill in the table with the information from the video:

TYPES OF EVIDENCE	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLES
Physical		
Non-physical		
Real		
Demonstrative		
Known		
Unknown		
Class		
Individual		

Fig.142. Amy Garrett, Forensics instructor in North Carolina School of Science and Maths

Video study!



b) Analyse the concept "physical evidence" given in the video.

Have you caught the difference between its meaning from the studied classification (p.98) and this one? Try to explain it.

What about you?

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## Types of evidence



Fig.143. Benedict Cumberbatch as Sherlock Holmes

### Case study!



12. Watch a short fragment from the BBC series about Sherlock Holmes "A study in pink".

A woman in pink lies dead in a derelict house. She is the fourth in a series of seemingly impossible suicides. Detective Inspector Lestrade knows that there's only one man who can help...

a) Analyse the crime scene and answer the questions:

1. Where was the crime committed - indoors or outdoors?
2. Is the integrity of the scene preserved?
3. Can you imagine the area perimeter - how big the crime scene is?
4. Who is the victim? Is the victim alive or dead?
5. What about people at the crime scene - Sherlock Holmes, Dr. John Watson and Inspector Lestrade? Are they all wearing full crime scene suits?
6. What pieces of protective clothes is each of them wearing?



Fig.144. Video freeze-frame

b) Look at the video freeze-frames, name all the evidence you have caught, determine the type of each clue. There can be several pieces of evidence in one photo:

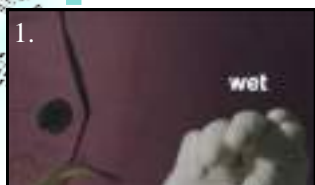


Fig.145-151. Video freeze-frames

EVIDENCE (photo #)	TYPE OF EVIDENCE (according to the known classifications)
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
7.	

c) What other pieces of evidence have you seen in the video? Determine their type:

d) Do you remember the solution of this crime puzzle? What is the cause of all the victims' death? What type of evidence is it?



### 13. Try to be Sherlock Holmes yourself.

Watch the short videos “DETECTIVE RIDDLES” and try to solve them.

Analyse the plot of each riddle and determine:

- the crime scene perimeter(s),
- the cause of the victim’s death,
- the pieces of evidence & their type according to all the known classification.

#### a) A video detective riddle “ICE TEA”:

Two young ladies were having dinner together. They both ordered ice tea. One of them was very thirsty and drank very fast. She had five glasses during the time the other drank only one.

Tragically, the girl who was nursing her drink and drinking slowly died. The other stayed alive. But it turned out that all the drinks they had been served contained poison.

**How is it possible that the girl who drank more survived?**

(Answer: In fact, the poison was contained in the ice. The ice in the tea of the girl who drank fast didn't have time to melt. But the ice cubes in the other girl's drink, melting, released the poison)



Fig.152. Video freeze-frame



Video riddle

#### b) A video detective riddle “CRIME SCENE”:

A man killed his wife in their car. He used a knife which he later threw away into an abyss where nobody was going to find it. His wife's body he took out of the car. He was very careful and left no fingerprints. After that, he headed home. In a couple of hours, he got a call from the police.

They informed him that his wife had been killed, and he had to arrive at the crime scene right away.

As soon as he got there, however, he was suspended for the murder.

**How did the police realise it had been him who was guilty?**

(Answer: The husband wasn't informed of the definite location of the crime scene. Despite that, he came to the right place).



Fig.153. Video freeze-frame



Video riddle

#### c) A video detective riddle “SUICIDE OR MURDER”:

A detective comes to a crime scene. A man is said to jump out of a window of an abandoned building and commit suicide. The detective goes inside the building to the first floor, to the room at the front.

He lights a cigarette, goes up to the window which faces the dead man, opens it and throws the cigarette out. Then he goes to the second floor and does the same. He continues until he has visited all the floors and repeated the action again and again. Then he returns to his team and says that it was no means a suicide, but a murder.

**How did he find it out?**

(Answer: When a person commits suicide jumping from a high floor, he doesn't tend to close the window behind him. But in this case none of the windows which faced the dead man were left open. It means that there was somebody who closed them after the man had died.)



Fig.154. Video freeze-frame



Video riddle

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## Types of evidence

### Check yourself!

1. Give the definition of the term "evidence". Use the words and word combinations given below:

Evidence (is) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

### What about you?

Study the poster.  
 How do **you** understand its message? Give some arguments to support **your** ideas.



Fig.155. Poster on evidence

- a mute witness
- a silent witness
- never perjures itself
- never forgets
- never lies
- narrow the list of the suspects
- prove the guilt or the innocence
- can link the criminal with the crime scene and the victim
- clue from a crime scene

2. Give all possible synonyms for the term "evidence":

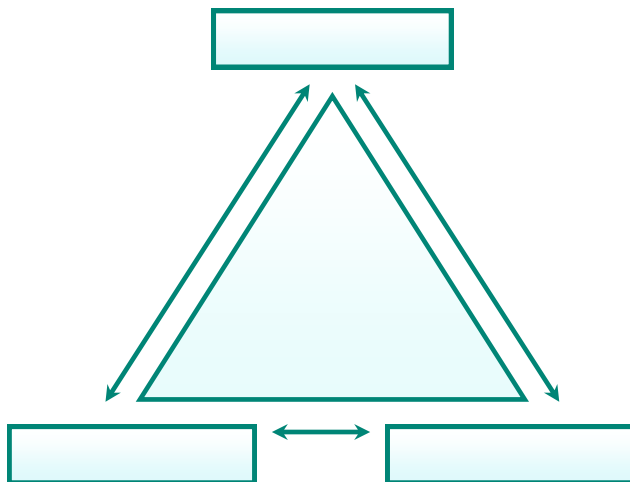
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3. Locard's exchange principle. What does it sound like?

What is its main idea?

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

4. Fill in the elements of the evidence linkage triangle:



Describe the interrelationships of the elements and the role of evidence:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Fill in the table with the missed elements of the studied evidence classifications.

DIRECT EVIDENCE	... EVIDENCE	CLASS EVIDENCE	... EVIDENCE	KNOWN EVIDENCE	... EVIDENCE	REAL EVIDENCE	... EVIDENCE
Type description							
...	evidence that doesn't prove directly the guilt of a criminal, but can link him to a crime scene	...	anything that can be linked to a unique, single specific source (person or object).	...	evidence the source of which can not be determined without performing laboratory testing	...	any kind of things created for presentation of the event of a crime in a courtroom
Examples							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an eyewitness's or victim's firsthand testimony,</li> <li>confessions,</li> <li>audio recording of the act of crime,</li> <li>audio recording of the act of crime</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a ransom note,</li> <li>skeletal remains,</li> <li>bite marks,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>synthetic fibres,</li> <li>blood type,</li> <li>tire tracks,</li> <li>shoeprint without specific wear patterns,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DNA pattern,</li> <li>handwriting,</li> <li>fingerprints,</li> <li>fired bullets,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>blood of a victim taken at a crime scene,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>blood stain found at a crime scene,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a crime weapon,</li> <li>casings,</li> <li>footprints,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>photos,</li> <li>diagrams,</li> <li>x-rays,</li> <li>models,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...,</li> <li>...</li> </ul>

6. Divide the pieces of evidence into 4 types - physical, chemical, biological and trace:

Saliva of a victim (1), some bottle with a suspicious substance (2), torn pieces of currency (3), a knife (4) with blood stains (5), palm prints (6), a detonated explosive device (7), a syringe with a liquid drug (8), a dead body (9), poison (10) in a victim's cup of tea with latent fingerprints (11), skeletal remains (12), casings from fired bullets (13), broken glass (14), tire tracks (15), some keys (16), dirt under the victim's nails (17), teeth fragments (18), a pistol (19), a mobile phone (20).

Test on-line!

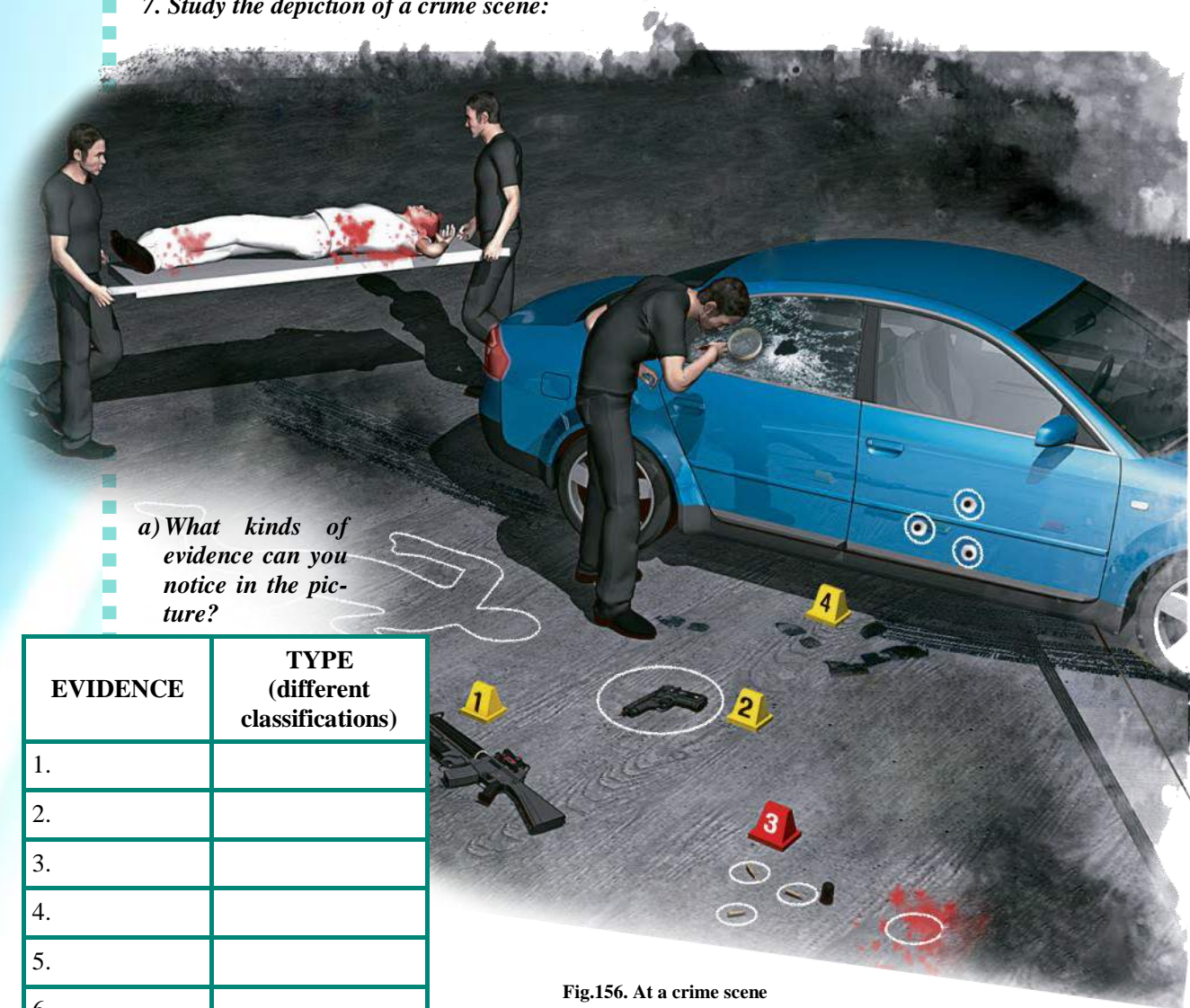


# UNIT 6



## Types of evidence

7. Study the depiction of a crime scene:



a) What kinds of evidence can you notice in the picture?

EVIDENCE	TYPE (different classifications)
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6. ...	

Fig.156. At a crime scene

b) Answer the questions:

1. Is the crime scene secured?
2. Are the field analysts wearing the right crime scene suit? What must they wear?
3. Is the integrity of the crime scene preserved?
4. What kind of evidence search methods could be applied? Why?
5. What is used to mark the found pieces of evidence?
6. Is the victim alive?
7. What are your ideas about what could happen according to the visible evidence?

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# UNIT



## Forensic EVIDENCE EXPERTISE

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### Glossary

**Criminal identification (n)** - the cataloging of the characteristics of a person who has committed a crime for the first time or using those characteristics to **identify** a repeat offender

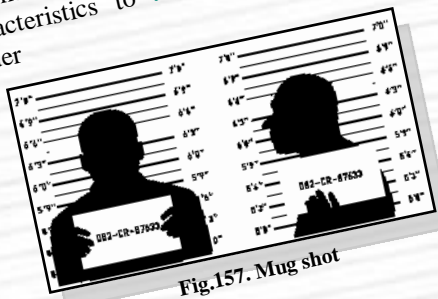


Fig.157. Mug shot

**Anthropometry analysis (n)** - the first forensic method of criminal **identification** which refers to the measurements of the human individual such as his height, head width, length of a torso, size of different parts of a body in order to reveal a recidivist

**Fingerprinting (n)** - the act of taking impressions of a person's fingerprints which can be used for **identification** purposes

**Blood patterns analysis (BPA) (n)** - the examination of bloodstain size, shapes, locations at a crime scene in order to recreate the actions that caused the bloodshed

**Voice analysis (n)** - the study of speech sounds for purposes other than linguistic content, as voice patterns are considered as proven human **identifiers**

**Forensic document examination (n)** - the scientific analysis of disputed documents in legal investigations (suicide notes, ransom letters, contracts, etc)

**Ballistics (n)** - the examination of evidence relating to firearms at a crime scene, including the effects and behaviour of projectiles and explosive devices

**Trace evidence analysis (n)** - the examination of microscopic substances from a crime scene with unique and **identifying** features



# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

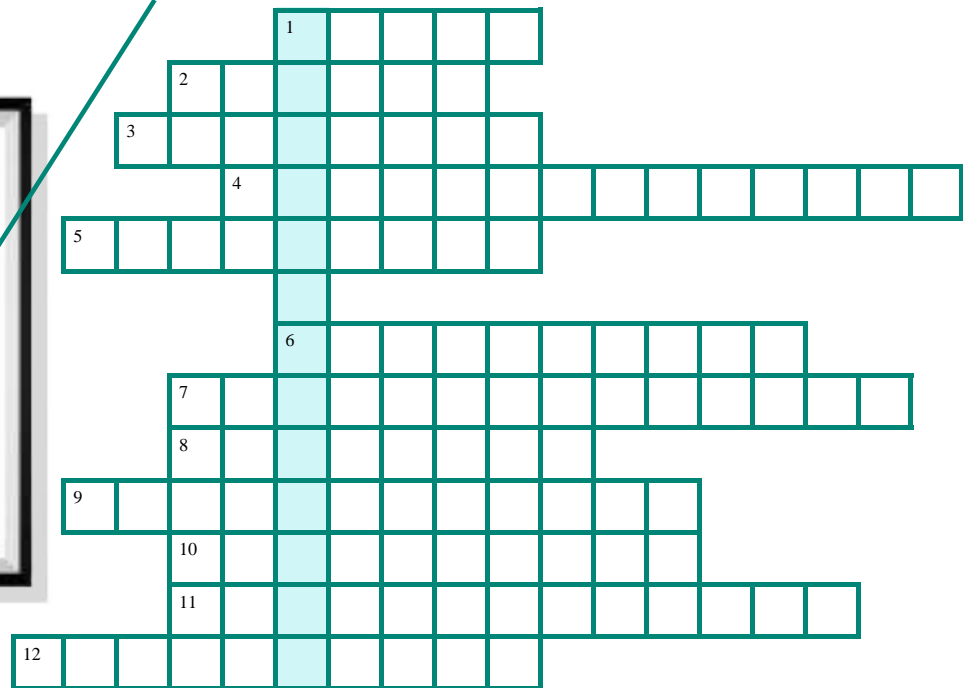
### Word bank!

1. Skim the glossary and do the crossword.  
Then complete the motto of forensic lab analysts with the key notion:

Only  
our

solve  
the case!

Fig.163. Forensic scientists' motto



### What about you?

How do **you** understand such a motto of forensic lab analysts?

Why is the **key notion** so important in crime investigation?

### Let's discuss!

Come up with **your** own motto reflecting the main idea of forensic labs activities.

1. Speech sounds of a person considered as his identifier.
2. Microscopic substances with unique and identifying features.
3. "Examination" in other words.
4. The act of taking a person's fingerprints.
5. Spilling blood in a violent crime.
6. A repeat offender.
7. Recognition of the person's identity.
8. A questioned document = a \_\_\_\_\_ document.
9. Determining physical quantitative characteristics like height, length, width, size = physical \_\_\_\_\_.
10. A forensic examination of firearms, explosive devices and projectiles behaviour.
11. A forensic method of a criminal's identification through his physical measurements.
12. A print taken from a soft surface.

2. Study the glossary of typical kinds of forensic evidence expertise.

Read the chains of the words and odd one out. Explain your choice:

1. Lab expertise - lab examination - lab analyst - lab test - lab investigation.
2. Fingerprints - voice prints - palmprints - handprints - impressions.
3. Height - width - age - length - size.
4. Bloodstain - blood pattern - blood sample - cold-blooded offender.
5. Bullets - projectiles - firearms - poisonous substance - explosive devices.
6. Hair - document in dispute - fibres - minute particles of broken glass - paint chips.
7. To collect - to identify - to recognise - to determine the identity.



3. Analyse the glossary. Why are the highlighted words of the same root “identify”, “identifier”, “identifying”, “identification” mentioned so often in the different expertise definitions? ←

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*What about you?*

Think & answer.

4. Study the pieces of evidence given below. What kinds of forensic expertise could be made?

an audio message	a broken glass	a handwritten letter
a typed ransom note	blood on a knife	a fired bullet
a teeth fragment	poison in a wine glass	a paint chip of a car
some fibres	a fingerprint on a cup	a blood type
decomposing remains	a personal signature	a footprint
a cut ear	a hair with a follicle	a shoe wear pattern
semen traces	some hair	a torn piece of a bill

*Be attentive!*

identify [**ai**'dentɪfai] (v)  
 identified [**ai**'dentɪfaɪd] (p.p.)  
 identifier [**ai**'dentɪfaɪə] (n)  
 identification  
 [**ai**,dentɪfɪ'keɪʃ(ə)n] (n)

*What about you?*

Have **you** got any idea which pieces of evidence can identify a person or an object?

Which ones can only indicate some class? (see p.102 for your help)

5. Analyse the cartoon and the objects on the work table of the lab analyst. What kinds of forensic expertise are demonstrated in the picture? More than one variant is possible.  
 Who or what is the forensic scientist trying to identify?

OBJECTS	EXPERTISE
1. a high boot	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a boot size → anthropometry analysis (identification of a criminal's height, probable age)</li> <li>soil on the sole → geology expertise (...)</li> <li>revealed fingerprints → fingerprinting (...)</li> <li>some stain on the side → chemical examination (...)</li> <li>...</li> </ul>
2. a blood sample	
3. some liquids	
4. ...	
...	

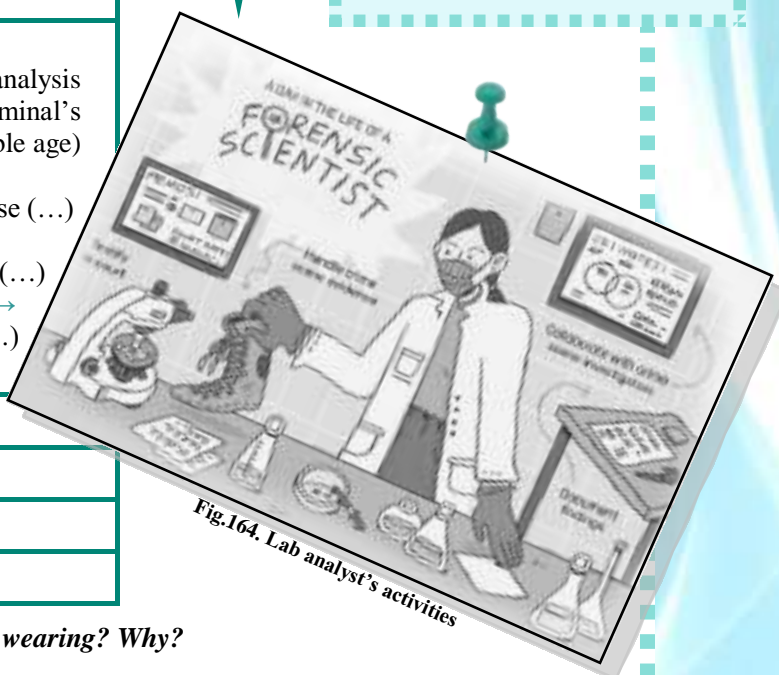


Fig.164. Lab analyst's activities

What protective clothes is the forensic scientist wearing? Why?

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## Anthropometry expertise

1. Study the information on the anthropometry method of identification:

**Anthropometry expertise** is the first forensic method of criminal identification which refers to the measurements of a human individual such as height, head width, length of a torso, size of different parts of a body in order to reveal a recidivist.

### Be attentive!

height [haɪt] (n)  
length [leŋθ] (n)  
width [wɪð], [wɪdθ] (n)  
forearm ['fɔ:(r)ɑ:m] (n)

**Anthropometry system** was developed by \_\_\_\_\_ (?) who is considered by many to be the first forensic expert. He was a French criminologist and anthropologist who created the first system of **physical measurements**, full face and profile photography (**mug shot**), and perfectly **structured record-keeping** that police could use to identify repeat offenders.



Fig.165. Father of forensic anthropology and criminal identification

Before \_\_\_\_\_ (?), suspects could only be identified through eyewitness testimonies and unorganised files of photographs. Nowadays **anthropometry** ideas are realised in **biometric** identification.

Audio  
text



### Look it up!

Who is this forensics pioneer? \_\_\_\_\_

### What about you?

What do **you** consider as the most important Bertillon's heritage: anthropometry measurements, a mug shot method or record-keeping? Why?

2. Compare the highlighted notions "anthropometry" and "biometrics". What do they mean? Are they identical or different?

Anthropometry is \_\_\_\_\_

Biometrics is \_\_\_\_\_

So we can conclude that \_\_\_\_\_

3. Look at the visual instruction \_\_\_\_\_ for a forensic anthropometrist.  
Choose the body parts or characteristics to be measured to identify a recidivist:

reach	forearm	face	neck
length of a head	ear	width of a head	finger
foot	height	hand	palm
arm	nose	cheeks	waist
knee	leg	chin	toe



Fig.166. Human being's measuring



## 4. Match the anthropometry measurements with their depictions:

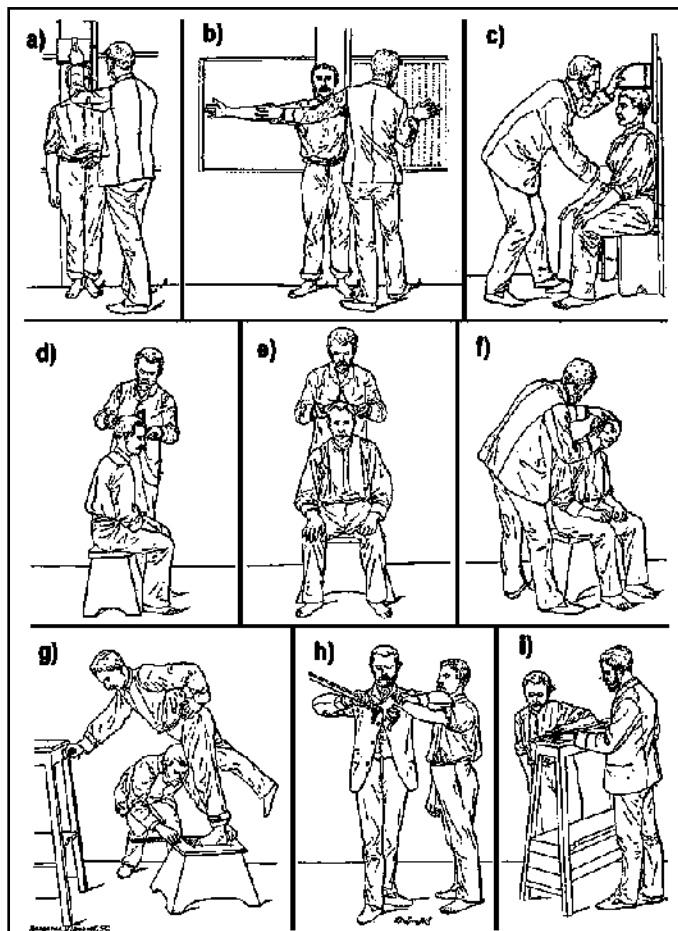


Fig.167. Human being's measurements according to A. Bertillon system

## 5. Make your self-portrait as a mug shot, take your own anthropometry measurements and complete your identification card:

PROFILE	FULLFACE
<p>1. Name: _____</p> <p>2. Surname: _____</p> <p>3. Sex: _____</p> <p>4. Age: _____</p> <p>5. Apparent age: _____</p> <p>6. Nativity: _____</p> <p>7. Eyes colour: _____</p> <p>8. Hair colour: _____</p> <p>9. Weight: _____</p> <p>10. Height: _____</p> <p>11. Trunk: _____</p> <p>12. Reach: _____</p> <p>13. Width of head: _____</p> <p>14. Length of head: _____</p> <p>15. Right ear: _____</p> <p>16. Left foot: _____</p> <p>17. Left forearm: _____</p> <p>18. Left middle finger: _____</p>	

## Did you know?

The history keeps the names of two criminals: *Will West* and *William West*.

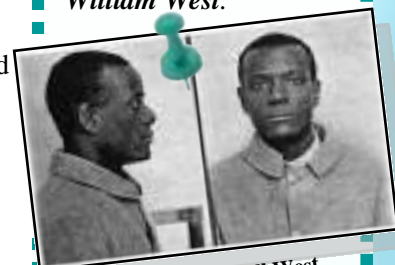


Fig.168. Will West

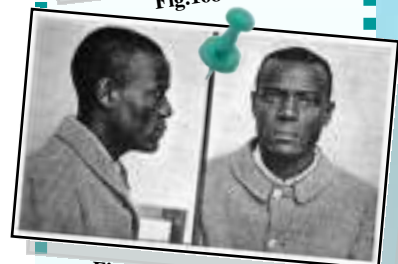


Fig.169. William West

They had almost the same names, almost the identical appearance and body measurements (according to Bertillon's system), but they were **absolutely** different people - **forensic anthropometry failed** and was replaced by **fingerprinting**.



## Fingerprinting

### 1. Study the information on fingerprinting:

**Fingerprinting** is the method where impressions of the minute skin ridge patterns found on the fingertips of a person are used for **identification**.



**Fingerprints**

A fingerprint is the impression left by the friction ridges of a human finger, mostly from the fingertips, and is often used for identification purposes.

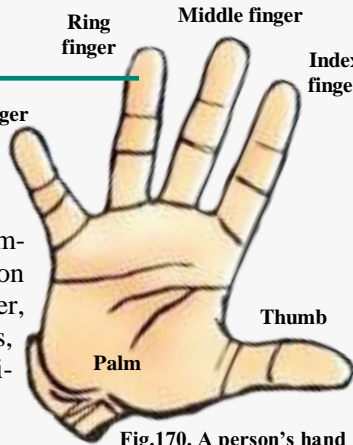


Fig.170. A person's hand

### Fingerprint types

Everyone has a least one or more of the following prints patterns:



Arch  
(5% of people)



Loop  
(65%)



Whorl  
(30%)

## Did you know?

**Adermatoglyphia** is a disease where people are born without fingerprints. It is exceedingly rare, affecting only five known families worldwide.

- There are **two proven statements** in fingerprinting:
1. **No two people** (even identical twins) have the same fingerprints.
  2. Fingerprints remain **constant**: ridges form before a baby is born and maintain their pattern throughout life.



Audio text

A person leaves fingerprints on every thing he touches with any pressure. There are two types of fingerprints - **latent** and **visible**.

Latent fingerprints are **invisible to naked eyes**. They can be left on almost any surface, including human skin. Many different methods are used to make latent prints visible. These include:

- lasers,
- alternate light sources,
- a process known as **glue fuming** (in a fuming chamber),
- coloured powders / dust for fingerprinting

Fingerprints are usually visible if the fingers are dirty or excessively oily.

## Be attentive!

arch [ɑ:tʃ] (n)  
whorl [wɜ:l] (n)

## To see more!

"FUMING CHAMBER"



Fig.171. Fingerprinting with a special powder

Fingerprints from the victims, as well as suspects, are usually taken with **ink pad** and **paper** ... or ideally with **wireless scanners**, which send data to **Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS)** - a database of fingerprints and criminal records.

### Fingerprints analysis



An examiner compares file prints and crime scene prints **looking for matches**. Results depend on the quality of the print. Prints scanned into a computer are quickly analysed by special programs.

Fig.172. Fingerprints analysis



Fig.173. Fingerprints revealing

## 9. Video “HOW TO LIFT LATENT FINGERPRINTS”.

a) Before watching choose some forensic tools you think latent fingerprints revealing and taking deal with:

flashlight	sticky tape	scissors	plaster
tweezers	mirror	chalk	ultraviolet light
laser	magnifying glass	cotton swabs	chemical reagents
brushes	dusting powder	glass slide	fuming chamber

What tools do you need to reveal and lift latent fingerprints?

Try to describe the process.

b) Watch the video.

Tick ✓ the actions which are involved in latent fingerprints lifting from a smooth, non porous surface, and from a not smooth, textured one.

SMOOTH, NON POROUS surface	NOT SMOOTH, TEXTURED surface	ACTIONS of PRINTING EXPERTS
✓	✓	1. Consider the surface itself.
		2. Prepare fingerprint powder and brushes.
		3. Coat the brush with powder.
		4. Spin off the excess powder.
		5. Colour (dust) the surface with a powder to see a fingerprint pattern.
		6. Prepare casting mass with a silicone component and apply it to the surface (spread it over).
		7. Wait for 15-20 minutes to let it dry.
		8. Use an oblique lighting to see a developed fingerprint.
		9. Use a special tape to lift a fingerprint and stick to a glass slide.
		10. Take the cast from the surface and put it into a small box not to destroy it.

c) Set the guidelines for revealing and taking latent fingerprints considering different kinds of surfaces (use ex. 9(b), p.115).

d) Think & answer:

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Video study!



To see more!

“LATENT PRINTS  
UNIT”



What about you?

What new information did you learn from the video?



## 2. Match the terms and their definitions:

1.		1. adermatoglyphia	a) the most common pattern of the human fingerprints
2.		2. fingerprint	b) the forensic analysis and comparison of fingerprints as a means of identification of individuals
3.		3. fingertip	c) one of the unique characteristics of a human body; a skin ridge pattern on a surface by a person's fingertip
4.		4. dactyloscopy	d) one of the basic patterns of the human fingerprint, formed by several curved ridges one above the other
5.		5. loop	e) a disease of people when they are born without fingerprints
6.		6. whorl	f) the end of a finger
7.		7. arch	g) one of the fingerprints that forms at least one complete circle

## Who is who?

Try to guess who is described with fewer clues.

1. This is a scientist of the late XIX<sup>th</sup> century.

2. He is an anthropologist by training.

3. He studied fingerprints to seek out hereditary traits.

4. He proved that no two fingerprints are exactly alike.

5. He proved that fingerprints remain constant throughout an individual's lifetime.

6. He found out the three most common fingerprint types: loop, whorl, and arch.

7. He wrote a book very creatively named "Finger prints".

8. He is a cousin of Charles Darwin.

9. He is considered as the Father of fingerprinting. →



Fig.175. Father of fingerprinting

Who is he? \_\_\_\_\_.

## What about you?

How many clues (hints) did you need to guess this scientist?

## 3. What are the types of the fingerprints given below:

- Whorl
- Simple loop
- Double loop
- Arch

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	



Fig.174. Different fingerprint patterns

## 4. Determine the types of the real fingerprints:





5. Read the information on fingerprint ridge details and determine the type of the ridges below:

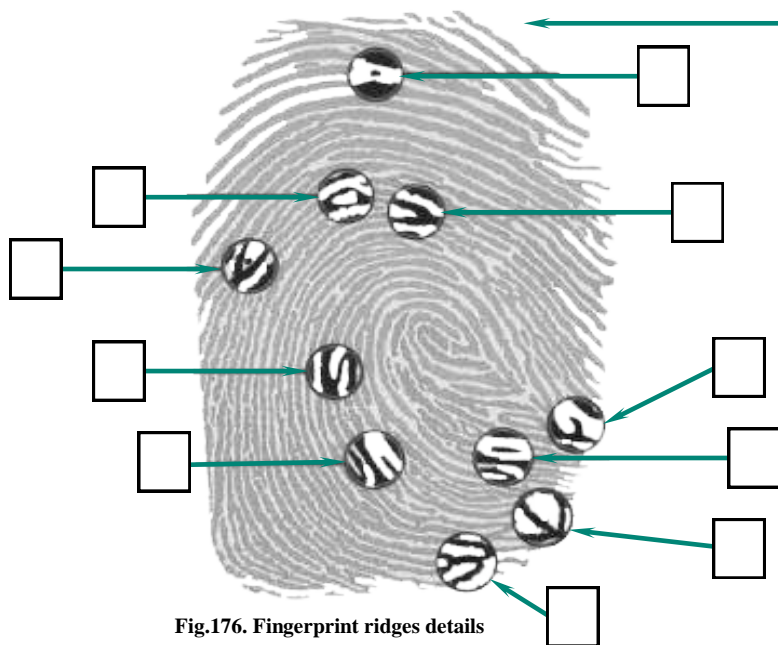


Fig.176. Fingerprint ridges details

## Keep in mind!

Fingerprints differ from person to person based upon distinctive patterns of ridges. There are ten **common fingerprint ridge details**. They are shown here in order of frequency - the ending ridge is the most frequent; the triple fork is the least frequent:

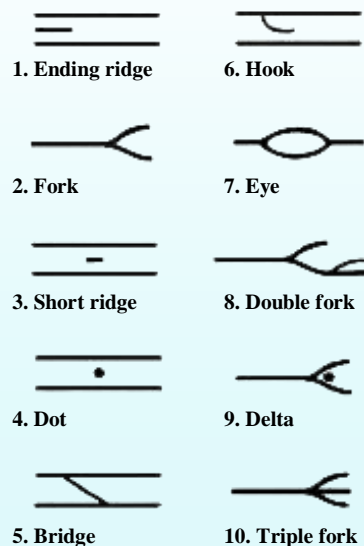


Fig.177. Common fingerprint ridge details

6. Is there a positive matching? Are these fingerprints identical?



*Study the fingerprints ridge details. Use a magnifying glass if needed.*

*Make a conclusion. Give some arguments to prove your expert opinion.*

7. Copy down and make your own dactylocard and examine your own fingerprints. What is (are) your fingerprint type(s)? What ridge details do your fingerprints have?

RIGHT HAND	Thumb	Index finger	Middle finger	Ring finger	Little finger
LEFT HAND	Thumb	Index finger	Middle finger	Ring finger	Little finger

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### 8. Study the information on correct fingerprints taking:

There are **two types of impressions** involved in the process of taking fingerprints.

The upper 10 prints are taken **individually** - thumb, index, middle, ring, and little fingers of each

hand in the order named. These are called "**rolled**" impressions, the fingers being rolled from one side of the fingernail to the other in order to obtain all available ridge detail.

The smaller impressions at the bottom of the card are taken by **simultaneously** printing all of the fingers of each hand and then the thumb without rolling. These are called "**plain**" or "**fixed**" impressions and are used as a check upon the sequence and accuracy of the rolled impressions.



Audio text

### Answer the questions:

1. Why do fingerprint experts need two types of impressions?

2. Why do rolled impressions look like much bigger than plain ones?

*Scan the information about the fingerprinted person and check his description. Correct it if needed:*

A fingerprinted person is a 30-years white woman 1942 year of birth by surname Richard. She was born in Omaha, Nebraska, then moved to the west of the USA, in Chicago, Illinois. She is a blue-eyed brunette, of average height, and really over weight (170 kg). She has a scar on her back after a car accident.

*Study the fingerprints. What types of fingerprints can you reveal?*

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PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION		Roe Richard Randolph		Sex	Male
FINGERPRINTS SUBMITTED BY		LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME	SEX
FINGERPRINTED BY		SIGNATURE OF PERSON FINGERPRINTED			WEIGHT (WT)
PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY		1655 Grant Avenue			71 170
NAME Thomas L. Roe		Chicago, Illinois			DATE OF BIRTH
ADDRESS 1655 Grant Avenue		8/6/42			HAIR
Chicago, Illinois		EYES			Br Br
See Reverse Side for Further Instructions		DATE FINGERPRINTED		LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK	
		8/12/62			
		PLACE OF BIRTH			
		Omaha, Neb.			
		CITIZENSHIP			
		American			
		SCARS AND MARKS			
		Appendectomy			
		1. RIGHT THUMB		4. RIGHT RING	
		2. RIGHT INDEX		5. RIGHT MIDDLE	
		3. RIGHT MIDDLE		6. LEFT THUMB	
		4. LEFT INDEX		7. LEFT INDEX	
		5. LEFT MIDDLE		8. LEFT MIDDLE	
		6. LEFT RING		9. LEFT RING	
		7. LEFT LITTLE		10. LEFT LITTLE	
		LEFT FOUR FINGERS TAKEN SIMULTANEOUSLY		RIGHT FOUR FINGERS TAKEN SIMULTANEOUSLY	
		LEFT THUMB		RIGHT THUMB	
		LEFT FOUR FINGERS TAKEN SIMULTANEOUSLY		RIGHT FOUR FINGERS TAKEN SIMULTANEOUSLY	

Fig.178. A real fingerprints card (from the FBI database)

*Look it up!*

Does a dactylocard in Russia look like this one?

*What about you?*

Why do **you** think a dactylocard is named "personal identification card"?



10. Skim the information of the FBI wanted person card:

*Case study!*

**FRED WILLIAM BOWERMAN,**  
with aliases: FRED BOONE, FRED BOOTH

Fig.179. The FBI wanted person card

FBI No. \_\_\_\_\_

**BANK ROBBERY**


*Fred W Bowerman*

Photographs taken November 5, 1950

**DESCRIPTION**  
Age 59, born January 8, 1893, Pipestone Township, Berrien County, Michigan; Height, 5'5  
ft; Weight, 147 pounds; Build, medium; Hair, gray; Eyes, blue - gray, may wear glasses;  
Complexion, sallow; Race, white; Nationality, American; Occupation, machinist, toolmaker;  
Scars and marks, 11 cut scar lower right cheek and jaw, tattoos on arms including  
horseshoe, butterfly, shield, tattoo of bracelet on left wrist.

**CRIMINAL RECORD**  
Bowerman has been convicted for armed robbery.

**CAUTION**  
BOWERMAN SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

a) All the statements are false. Correct them:

1. Fred Bowerman is an Australian dangerous offender. (T/F)
2. His personal identification card was created by the FBI in 1953. (T/F)
3. The card presents the rolled and plain impressions of the criminal's fingers. (T/F)
4. The upper fingers impressions are of the left hand; the lower - of the right hand. (T/F)
5. Bowerman robbed a bank on November 5, 1950. (T/F)
6. While committing the crime, Bowerman had two accomplices - Fred Boone and Fred Booth. (T/F)
7. A Bowerman's mugshot standardly gives the depiction of his full face and left profile. (T/F)
8. Bowerman has a cut scar on his face and five tattoos on the left wrist. (T/F)

b) What kind of fingerprints taking methods is presented here: a traditional ink method or a digital one? Prove your opinion.

c) Try to determine the types of all Bowerman's fingerprints.

d) Look up 5-7 interesting facts on this one of the FBI's most wanted people.

*Interesting facts!*

- A 73-year-old woman Teri Horton bought a painting from a thrift store for \$5 only to later discover that **thanks to a fingerprint** on the canvas, it was actually an unsigned Jackson Pollock worth millions of dollars.



Fig.180. Unsigned painting of J. Pollock

- Cops "mark" a driver's side tail light or trunk **with their fingerprints** when they pull over the car, just in case something goes bad for them.



## Blood patterns analysis

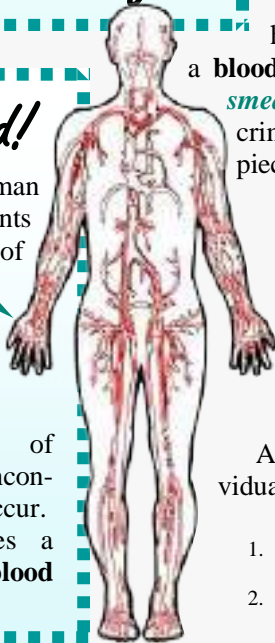
### Keep in mind!

In the human body blood accounts for roughly **8 %** of body weight.

Male: 5-6 litres  
Female: 4-5 litres

If **1,5 litres** of blood are lost, unconsciousness may occur.

Death becomes a risk at **40% blood loss**.



### 1. Study the information on what *bloodstains* can tell about:

When a crime results in *bloodshed*, the *blood spots* left behind functions as evidence for crime scene investigators. However, a **bloodstain patterns analyst (BPA)** can't simply glance at *drips* and *smears of blood* and immediately tell the who, what and when of a crime scene. *Blood spatter* analysis takes time and provides only a few pieces of the total crime puzzle.

BPA's can determine:

- date and time of death, and whether death was immediate, or delayed;
- type of weapon;
- if the criminal was left or right handed;
- types of injuries;
- movements / positions of those involved.

Analysing blood spatters, forensic analysts look at the shape of individual *droplets* to mathematically determine their point of origin:

1. Though blood droplets form at the edge of a surface as teardrops, they travel as spheres.
2. The diameter of a blood stain increases with the height from which it was dropped.

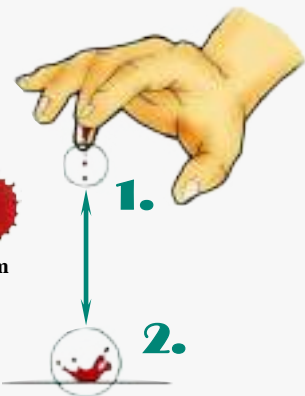
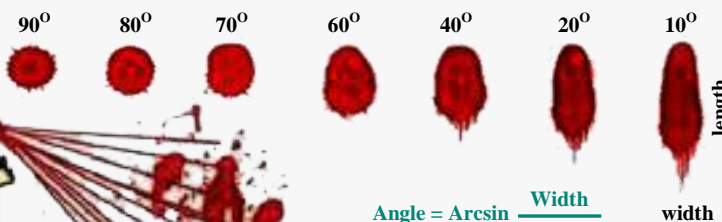


Fig.181. A blood system in the human body



The shape of a droplet also changes with the angle at which it strikes the surface. **The sharper the angle, the longer the tail!**



$$\text{Angle} = \text{Arcsin} \frac{\text{Width}}{\text{Length}}$$

Analysts can use the dimensions of the *blood splash* to determine the angle at which it hits the surface by **dividing** its **width** by its **length**, then taking the **arcsin** of that number.

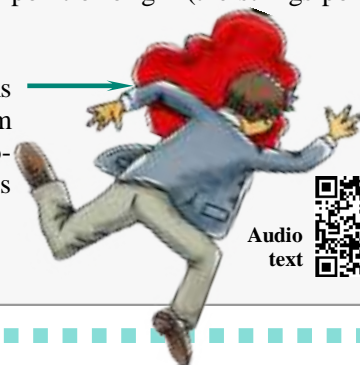
Crime scene investigators then employ "**stringing**" - using strings to chart the trajectories of all blood droplets through the air - to determine the blood point of origin (the strings point of convergence).



### Look it up!

Look up what methods CSIs use to find **hidden blood spots**.

At a crime scene BPAs can deal also with *blood pools* which form under different kinds of wounds near immobile but still alive victims (as death stops *bleeding*).



Audio text



Fig.182-184. Bloodstain pattern analysis



2. Translate the highlighted blood words and word expressions. Keep in mind the difference in their using. Which ones can be used as synonyms?

- "Bloodstain" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Bloodshed" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood spot" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood drip" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Smear of blood" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood spatter" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood droplet" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood splash" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Blood pool" - \_\_\_\_\_
- "Bleeding" - \_\_\_\_\_

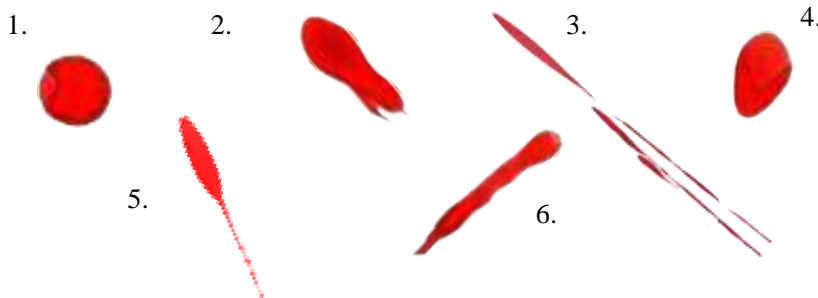
3. Tell if the statements given below are true or false. Correct the false ones:

1. A man lost 4 litres of blood, but managed to survive. (T/F)
2. All BPAs are forensic analysts, but not all forensic analysts are BPAs. (T/F)
3. Smears occur when a bleeding dead body is moved on a solid surface. (T/F)
4. Bloodstain patterns analysis can determine the blood point of origin. (T/F)
5. There is a rule for analysis of blood droplets shape on a surface at which it strikes: the sharper the angle, the shorter the tail. (T/F)
6. Blood tails indicate the direction of blood droplets travelling start. (T/F)
7. The diameter of a blood stain decreases with the height from which it was dropped. (T/F)
8. BPAs use a mathematic method for calculating the angle of travelling of blood splash. (T/F)
9. A stringing method is a method to chart the trajectories of al blood droplets to find their origin point.
10. CSIs determine the angle at which a blood drip hits a surface by dividing its length by its width, then taking the arcsin of that number. (T/F)

4. Study the different formulas to determine the angle at which a blood droplet strikes the surface:

$$\text{ANGLE} = \text{ARCSIN} \frac{\text{WIDTH}}{\text{LENGTH}} \quad \text{or} \quad \text{SIN (ANGLE)} = \frac{\text{WIDTH}}{\text{LENGTH}}$$

Using the dimensions of the depicted blood droplets, calculate the angles at which they could strike the surface:



To read more!



Look it up!

What component in **blood** makes it **red**?

What is the meaning of **blue blood** in idioms?

Are there any living beings who really have blue blood? Who are they? Why do they have such blood?

Look it up!

Look up an **online arc-sin** (or **sin**) **calculator** to deal with bloodstain patterns analysis.

Join in!

Can **you** check the validity of such calculations?

Work in groups.

Make an experiment: splash some drops of paint on a white sheet of paper. Make all kinds of calculations. Make a conclusion if **your** mathematically obtained results are true or not.

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### Video study!

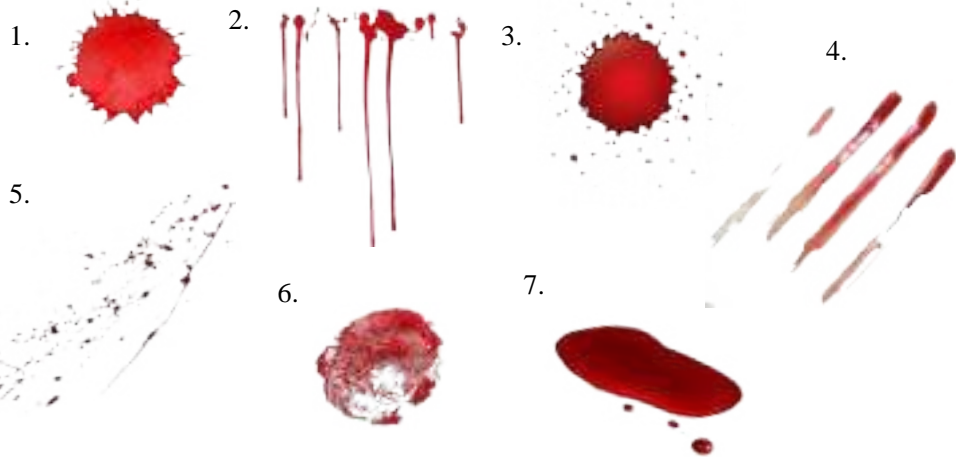


### Keep in mind!

Various surfaces react **differently** to bloodstains dropped by **similar physical mechanisms**.

#### 5. Video “BLOODSTAIN PATTERNS ANALYSIS PART I”.

a) Watch the video, then study the bloodstains depicted below. Analyse their shape, mode of the contact with the surface, the texture of the surface:



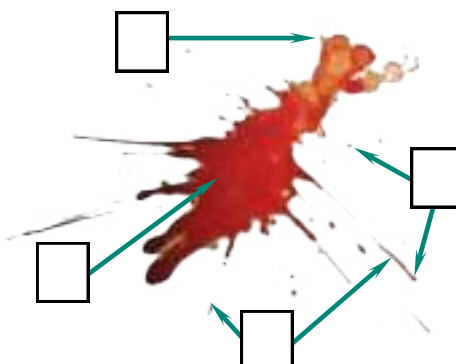
Describe the bloodstains with the given characteristics (taken from the video):

uniform shape (edge)	drops absorbed into some porous surface	impact spatters with long/ short tails	drops not absorbed into a surface
pooling stain	flow stain	even shape (edge)	transfer stain
parent stain	spiny shape (edge)	satellite stain	scalloped shape (edge)
passive stain	smooth stain	drag effect	feathering effect

E.g. A blood drop (1) is a passive stain with spiny, scalloped edges, inherent in drops absorbed into some porous surface.

Did you know all these words and word combinations?  
Highlight the most difficult ones and try to remember them.

b) Study the depiction of a bloodstain. Match its elements with their names:



1.	Parent stain
2.	Satellite stain
3.	Bloodstain spine
4.	Bloodstain tail

c) How can you explain so metaphoric names (“parent”, “satellite”, “spine”, “tail”, “feathering”) for bloodstain and its element description?

Fig.185. Matthew Steiner  
Certified Senior CSI,  
Veteran Investigator

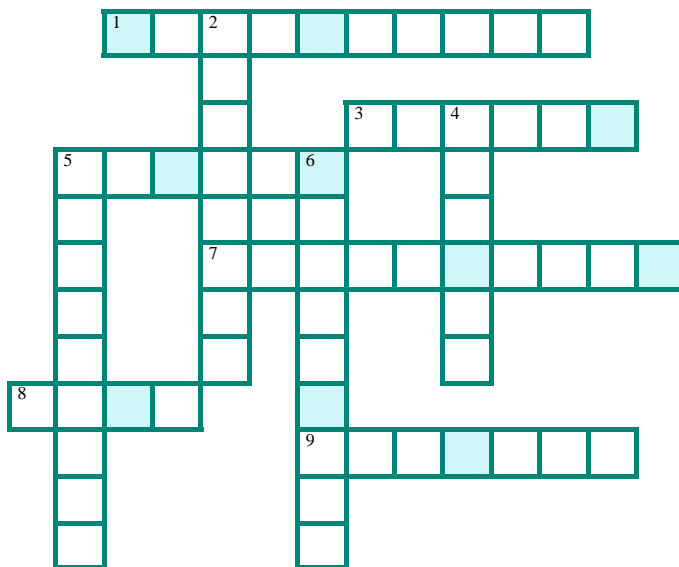
### What about you?

In the full version of the video (“Forensics Expert Explains How to Analyze Bloodstain Patterns | WIRED”) Matthew Steiner underlines: “At a crime scene, we wear **multiple layers** of gloves”.

How can **you** explain so strict protection measures in handling blood evidence?



d) Do the crossword about blood patterns:



**Across:**

1. Accumulation of blood caused by bleeding and typically absorbed into a porous surface (like a bed, a carpet, etc).
2. This kind of pattern is caused with some sort of external force on an open source of blood.
5. Pointed edges of a stain that radiate out.
7. The effect of movement on blood which get lighter and lighter with moving along.
8. This kind of blood passes vertically being affected by gravity.
9. Accumulation of blood caused by bleeding, not absorbed into a surface.

**Down:**

2. This passive blood pattern occurs where bloody surface comes in contact with another surface.
4. The droplet from which a satellite spatter originates.
5. Small drops of blood that break off from the parent spatter when the blood droplet hits a surface.
6. "Spiny" in an other word.

Write down the highlighted letters: \_\_\_\_\_.

Made up a key-concept:

A BPA is a CSI handling blood patterns at a crime scene.

A scientist who works with blood evidence in a lab is

a

e) Try to describe what kinds of bloodstain patterns could you deal at the following crime situations:

1. On Friday, May 3, around 6 a.m., in the Central Park a man's body was found shot in the head.
2. A criminal walked around the crime scene, leaving the bloodstains all over the apartment.
3. An accidental shooting in southwest Houston left a 17-year-old dead.
4. The victim was trying to escape - everywhere there are her bloody hand-prints on the walls.
5. A perpetrator stabbed the woman as an unnecessary victim.
6. A bleeding victim was suspended in the garage.
7. Wounded with a knife, the victim was dragged to the pond for disposal.
8. The offender jacket was stained with the blood of the victim.

f) Do you agree that bloodstain patterns analysis can help in crime reconstruction? Give some examples to prove your point of view.

*Be attentive!*

surface ['sɜ:fi:s] (n)

texture ['tekstʃə] (n)

edge [edʒ] (n)

satellite ['sæt(ə)laɪt] (n), (adj)

scalloped ['skɒləpt] (adj)

feathering ['feð(ə)rɪŋ] (n)

*Let's discuss!*

How do **you** understand the statement in the context of blood speaking:

**"THE TAIL TELLS THE TALE"?**

Give some arguments to support **your** ideas.

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### 6. Video “BLOODSTAIN PATTERNS ANALYSIS\_PART II”.

#### Video study!



a) Watch the video, then tick ✓ the information mentioned in it:

This video gives the information about:

- ☐ how to determine if death was immediate or delayed
- ☐ how to analyse bloodstains in two-dimensional space
- ☐ how to mathematically determine the area of convergence
- ☐ what kinds of bloodstains could be found at a crime scene
- ☐ where you can use in practice formulas with arcsin and tangent
- ☐ how to determine if the criminal was left or right handed
- ☐ how to find the point of bloodstains origin in three-dimensional space
- ☐ where a digital caliper and a regular ruler can be used as forensic tools

b) Put the steps in finding the area of origin in the logical order:

STEP number	STEP description
	Find the area of convergence of the bloodstains in the two-dimensional space.
	Draw a line through the long axis of one of stains.
	Find the angle of the impact stains by measuring the chosen bloodstains width and length. Divide them, then take the arcsin of the numbers.
	Select elliptical stains (elongated, oval-shaped).
	Find the area of the bloodstains origin in the three-dimensional space using the formula with tangent.
	Draw lines through multiple stains to get lines of convergence.

c) What kinds of processes are depicted below? Can you describe the BPAs actions in details?

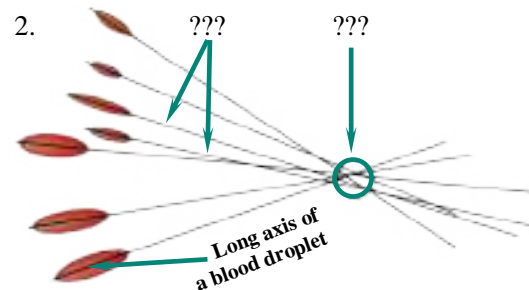
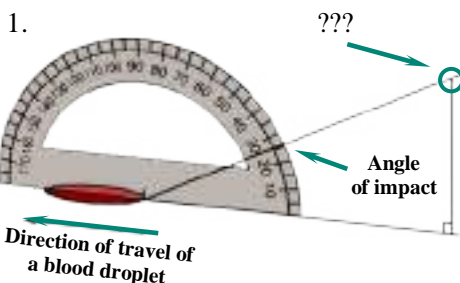


Fig.186-187. BPA's measuring & calculating at a crime scene

What elements in bloodstains analysis are marked with the question sings?

d) Check the formula. Is it correct?

$$\text{TANGENT (angle of impact)} * \text{LENGTH ( line of convergence)} = \text{HEIGHT of the point of bloodstains origin}$$

e) Try to apply all your knowledge in practice analysing paint splashes.

#### Be attentive!

convergence

[kən'vɜːdʒ(ə)n(t)s] (n)

axis ['æksɪs] (n)

dimension [daɪ'men(t)ʃn] (n)


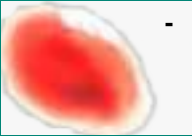

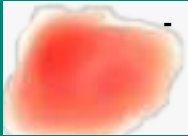
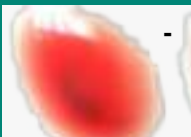



tangent ['tændʒ(ə)nt] (n)



## 7. Study the information on AB0 blood types analysis:

The classification of **AB0 blood types** is an important tool in forensic science as it helps significantly narrow down the list of suspects.

Analysing **reactions of blood agglutination (clumping)**, forensic scientists can definitively compare the blood type of a blood evidence left at a crime scene to the blood type of a suspect.





Blood type A	Blood type B	Blood type AB	Blood type 0
Reaction with anti-A antibody			
			
Reaction with anti-B antibody			
			

Blood type is that where there is a **clumping reaction** (granular presence). **Different reactions of agglutination mean different blood types!**

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## 8. Test yourselves. Try to determine the blood group:

1.			2.		
	Anti-B antibody	Anti-A antibody		Anti-B antibody	Anti-A antibody

- This blood type doesn't react with anti-A antibody.
- The cells in this blood type don't agglutinate with anti-A or anti-B antibodies.
- This type has antigens A and B.
- This blood type has antigen A and doesn't react with anti-B antibody.

## 9. Case study. Read the crime story and work with the blood type test:

In 2019, a police man followed a man that stole a van. It resulted in a shootout and the only thing left on the scene was a policeman's dead body and some amount of blood evidence. Having tested the blood patterns forensic serologists concluded: there were 2 blood types - in the first (police officer's pattern) there was no reaction with anti-B antibody and in the second one (a suspect's pattern) there was an agglutination reaction with both anti-A antibody and anti-B antibody.

Police had 3 suspects - Roger Williams (blood type A), Chester Turner (blood type AB) and John Lewis (blood type 0).

**What blood type did the policeman have? And a suspect?**

**Did a blood type testing narrow the suspects' list? Who can be excluded?**

## Blood type test

## Did you know?

**Blood type A** has antigen A which is recognised by anti-A antibody to cause agglutination and doesn't react with anti-B antibody.

**Blood type B** has antigen B which is recognised by anti-B antibody to cause agglutination and doesn't react with anti-A antibody.

**Blood type AB** has two antigens and two reactions.

**Blood type 0** has no antigens and no reactions.

## Be attentive!

anti- ['æntɪ-]  
antigen ['æntɪdʒən] (n)  
antibody ['æntɪbɒdɪ] (n)  
agglutination  
[ə,ɡlu:tɪneɪʃ(ə)n] (n)  
clumping [klʌmpɪŋ] (n)  
cell [sel] (n)  
granular  
['grænjələ], [-nju-] (n)

## Who is who?

He is considered as the Father of serology, as he developed the classification of blood types.



Fig.188. Father of serology

Who is he?



## DNA fingerprinting

### Keep in mind!

**DNA fingerprinting**, also known as **DNA profiling** or **DNA testing**, is a technique used to identify people based on their genetic materials.

The best sources for DNA analysis are: semen, muscle tissue, bones, blood, saliva, skin cells, hair.

### Be attentive!

hereditary

[hɪ'redət(ə)rɪ] (adj)

molecule ['mɒlɪkju:l] (n)

genetic [dʒɪ'netɪk] (adj)

tissue ['tɪʃu:] (n)

technique [tek'ni:k] (n)

### Who is who?

10 September 1984... He was working in his laboratory at the University of Leicester when he discovered DNA fingerprinting.

"It was a real eureka moment. Thirty seconds which literally changed my life," he remembers. No doubt, that moment changed the whole world in general.

Who is he? \_\_\_\_\_.



Fig.190. Father of DNA fingerprinting

1. Study all the information on DNA fingerprinting - one of the greatest discoveries of the XX<sup>th</sup> century:

**Deoxyribonucleic acid** or **DNA** is the hereditary material, a molecule with the **unique genetic code**, which is contained in every cell of a person's body.

Like fingerprints DNA can connect a suspect to a crime scene (it is found in all body tissues) as everyone (except identical twins) has unique DNA.

DNA testing in crime investigation looks like that:

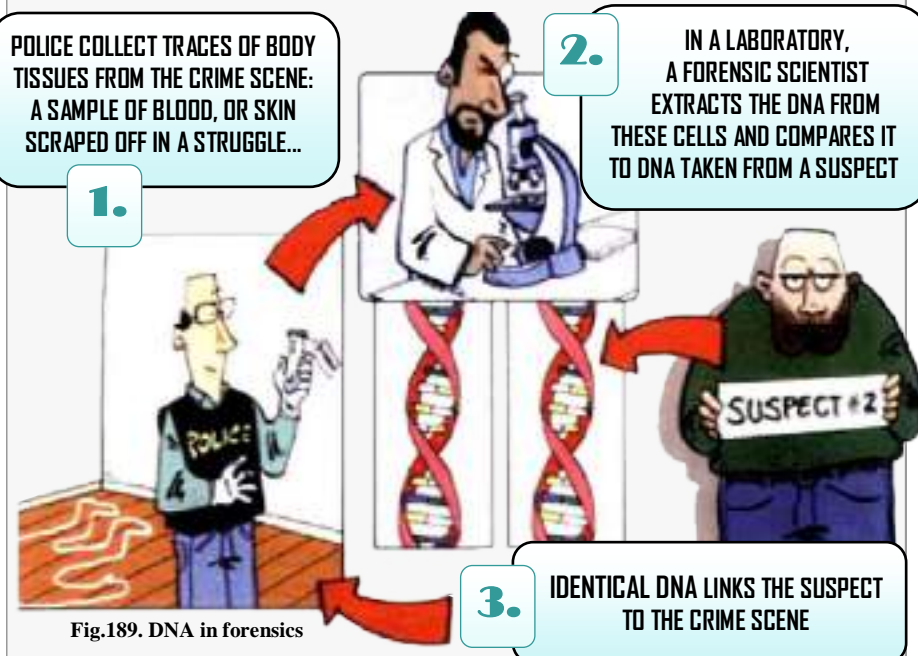


Fig.189. DNA in forensics

DNA testing has not only a crucial impact on determining the guilt or the innocence of a suspect, it also helps in solving **immigration** and **paternity** cases:

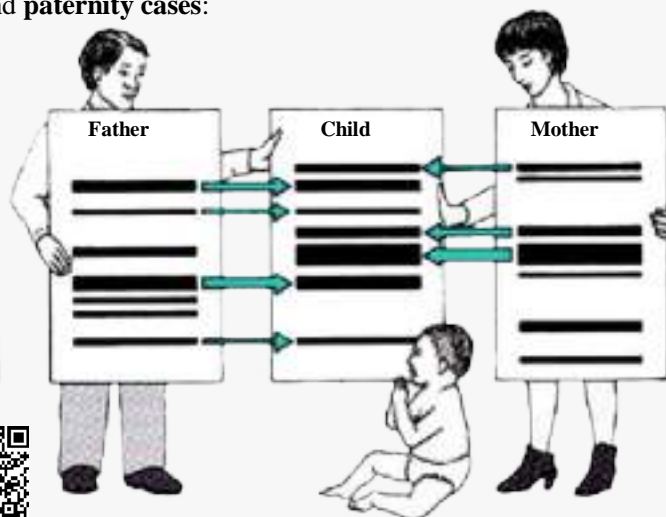


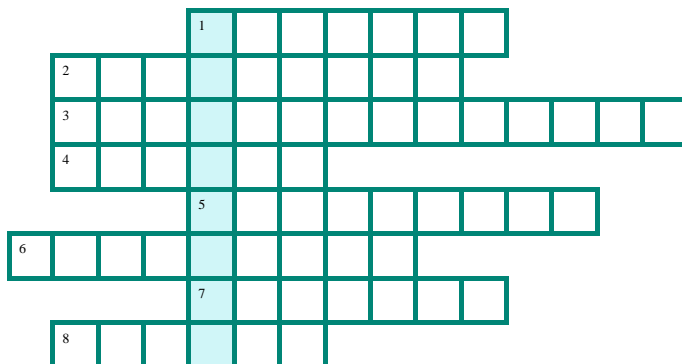
Fig.191. A simplified DNA chart in a paternity case



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## 2. Find the synonyms in the thematic material:



1. hereditary
2. family link
3. ID recognition
4. discovery
5. method
6. DNA testing =  
= DNA ...
7. to link = to ...
8. ≈ material

## Keep in mind!

DNA evidence must be stored in paper bags or envelopes. **Plastic is never used**, as it retains moisture and can damage DNA samples.

What is the key-word? How is it connected with DNA testing?

## 3. Agree or disagree with the statements given below:

1. DNA fingerprinting was discovered just after World War II. (T/F)
2. DNA contains hereditary material that's why it is used in solving paternity cases. (T/F)
3. DNA fingerprinting discovery had the most important impact on immigration cases solving. (T/F)
4. DNA fingerprinting helps to establish the guilt or the innocence of a suspect. (T/F)
5. DNA profiling is also known as DNA testing or DNA footprinting. (T/F)
6. DNA testing can be taken from hair, skin, saliva, blood, fingernails, or any body fluid. (T/F)
7. Every person has his own unique DNA. (T/F)
8. DNA can be compared with a fingerprint as it can link a suspect with a crime scene. (T/F)

## Interesting fact!

Anna Anderson claimed to be Russia's Grand Duchess Anastasia from the 1920s until her death in 1984.

DNA fingerprinting showed that her DNA **did not match** the patterns of the living relatives of the Romanov royal family.

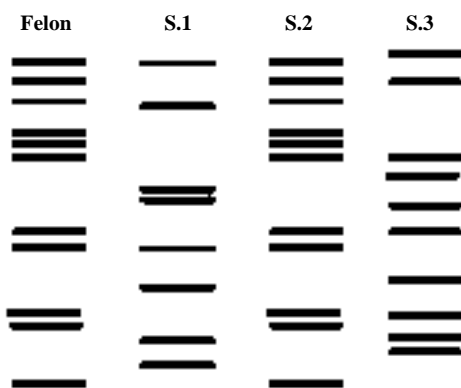
## Look it up!

Look up other examples of the DNA testing role in a case solution.

## 4. Try to solve DNA cases:

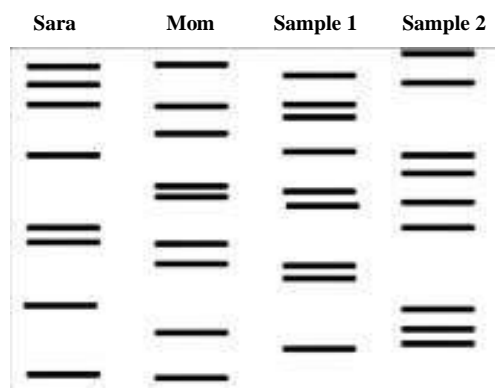
### a) Criminal case

Police are investigating a murder scene. The felon was scratched by the victim and some of his skin cells were found under the victim's fingernails. A DNA test is performed. Which of the suspects is the murderer?



### b) Paternity case

Sara's father died in a light aircraft crash. He was one of 2 passengers whose bodies were unrecognisable after the disaster. A paternity test is done. Which of two men is Sara's father?





## Voice analysis

### Did you know?

Voice analysis was first used in World War II for military intelligence purposes.

With the war's end the urgency for this technology diminished and showed up later, in 1960s at the request of New York City Police Department investigating numerous bomb threats by phone against major airlines.

### 1. Study the information on voice printing:

Voice analysis in forensic investigation relies on the fact that each person's voice is unique and can be used as a person's identifier, like a fingerprint.

Each person's voice is different because the **anatomy** of the **vocal cords**, **oral** and **nasal cavities** are specific to the individual.

Added to that, each person coordinates the muscles of the **lips**, **tongue**, **soft palate**, and **jaw** differently to produce words. The **teeth** also have an impact in the way speech is formed. The **body's voice-producing apparatus** is like an organ pipe producing notes, a tube in which sound waves vibrate, producing sounds which can be recorded.

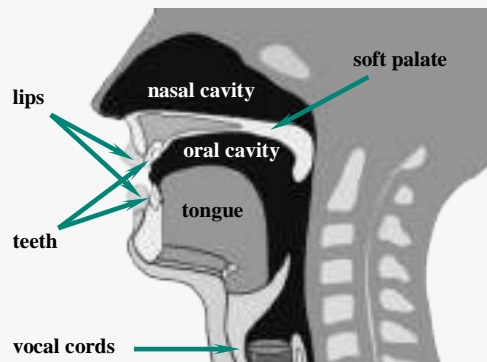


Fig.192. A body's voice-producing apparatus

In voiceprint examination analysts use a two-step process, first the aural or listening stage, then the visual stage, which involves looking over the spectrograms (visual records of voice patterns based on **frequency**, **intensity**, and **time**) produced with a **sound spectrograph**.

Spectrographic analysis makes it possible to match a suspect voiceprint to an incriminating sample - a threatening phone call, voice mail, audio message recorded in an answering machine.

Forensic voice analysis is used in a wide range of criminal cases such as murder, rape, drug dealing, bomb threats, and terrorism.

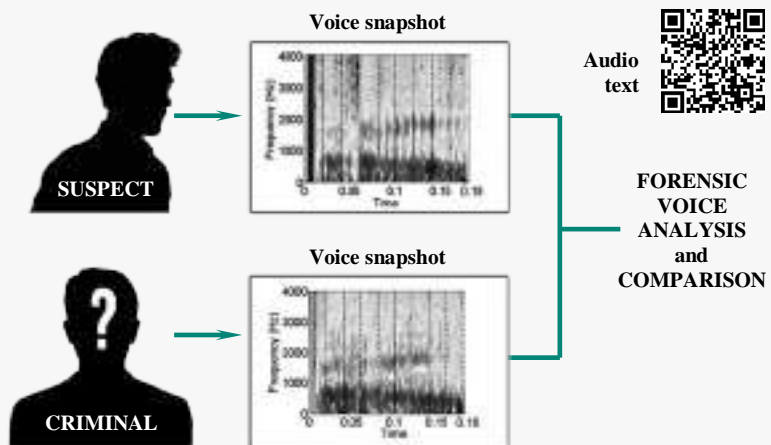


Fig.193. A comparison spectrographic analysis

### Be attentive!

- cavity ['kævəti] (n)
- palate ['pælət] (n)
- tongue [tʌŋ] (n)
- frequency ['fri:kwən(t)si] (n)
- record [rɪ'kɔ:d] (v)
- record ['rekɔ:d] (n)
- threaten ['θret(ə)n] (v)
- threat [θret] (n)

### 2. Skim the information. Write down the basic lexis of the theme:

Voice analysis, vocal cords, ...

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### 3. Match the terms and their definitions:

1. spectrograph	a) a crime lab employee who compares aural and visual samples of a suspect and an offender and gives his professional expert opinion about their identity
2. voiceprint	b) listening to a suspect's voice pattern and a criminal's speech comparing accent, speech habits, breath patterns, and inflection
3. aural comparison	c) analysing the spectrograph voice snapshots of a suspect and a criminal to see if they match up
4. visual comparison	d) one of biometric characteristics of a human being that can uniquely identify him
5. voice analyst	e) a laboratory machine that can map a voice into a graph

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

### 4. Choose the voice evidence. Add your own variants:

poisoned tea	a print out of telephone call	saliva
voice harassment	a telephone call record	a palmprint
an audio message	a ransom note	sweat
threats of kidnappers	a cockpit voice recorder	a blood stain
graffiti on a wall	hostage-takers' demands	a knife
a audio record of a crime	a DNA sample	a song

### 5. Read the statements given below. How do you understand them? Focus your answers on the highlighted key-concepts:

- At the aural stage in forensic audio analysis an expert needs to apply **critical listening**.

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- Voice analysis deals with **voice biometrics** which is a way of translating a voice into **a visual fingerprint**.

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Fig.194. A digital depiction of voice biometrics

### What about you?

Can **you** be called a voice analyst as **you** can recognise the audio patterns of **your** relatives, favourite actors, singers?

Prove **your** ideas with some arguments.

### Did you know?

A person's voice changes with age, but the voiceprint **remains distinctive**.

### Keep in mind!

Spectrographic analysis remains **controversial**. In the USA it is permissible as evidence in 35 of 50 states.

### Look it up!

Look up if spectrographic analysis results are permissible as evidence in Russian courts of law.

# UNIT 7



# Forensic evidence expertise

## Document examination

### Be attentive!

authentic [ɔ:'θentɪk] (n)  
 authenticity [ˌɔ:'θen'tɪsəti] (n)  
 authorship ['ɔ:'θəʃɪp] (n)  
 sign [saɪn] (v)  
 signature ['sɪɡnəʃə] (n)  
 genuine ['dʒenjʊm] (adj)

## Handwriting

Fig.197. Handwriting sample



### Keep in mind!

A situation when a person **simulates** someone's handwriting or **disguises** his own one (to evade justice) is a difficult problem in handwriting analysis.

In this case a forensic document examiner may dictate some phrases to a potential suspect slowly then faster so that he has less chance of masking his handwriting.

### Look it up!

Look up other synonyms for the given key-words.

### 1. Study the information on forensic document examination:

Since documents are part of daily life, forensic document examiners deal with a wide variety of cases. They are called to investigate the **authenticity of documents** in situations such as:

- forgery,
- counterfeiting,
- identity theft,
- fraud,
- extortion, etc.

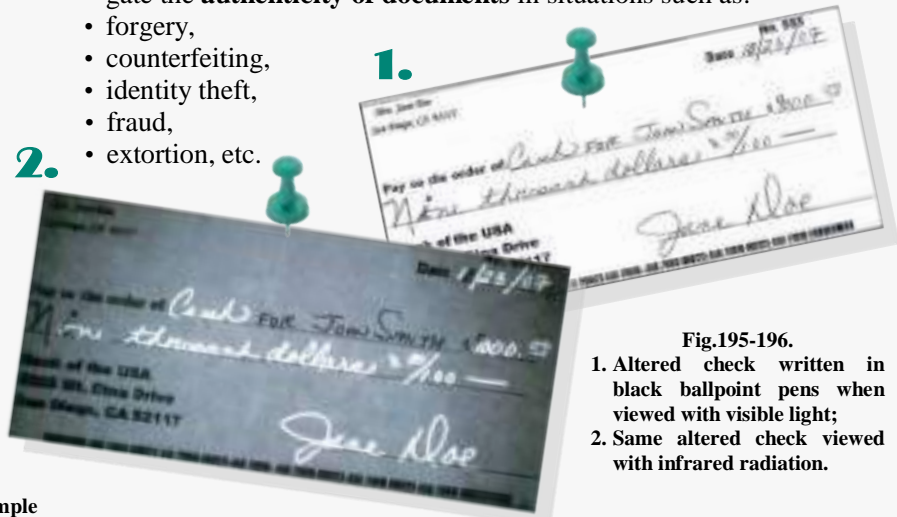


Fig.195-196.

1. Altered check written in black ballpoint pens when viewed with visible light;
2. Same altered check viewed with infrared radiation.

Forensic document examiners are frequently asked to resolve questions of **authorship**, as **individual writing features are unique**. A suicide note found next to a dead body - is it actually written by a deceased or by a killer trying to cover up his crime? Who wrote the anonymous letter? Is the signature on the mortgage loan genuine? Is the signature on the will original?..

By comparing **questioned documents** (documents in dispute) and **known writing samples**, the experts can help include or exclude suspects from the investigation:

For handwriting, the forensic document examiners observe various features: letter size, formation, relative proportions, letter slant, spacing, pressure, line quality, connecting strokes, etc.

The experts focus also on the investigation of the so-called document history: the writing instrument (pen and ink, pencil, typewriter, etc), and the writing surface (characteristics of paper).

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Known writing sample

Questioned writing sample

### 2. Translate the topic key-words and match them with their synonyms:

1. Authentic
2. Fake

altered	original	false
counterfeit	forged	true
real	genuine	fraudulent



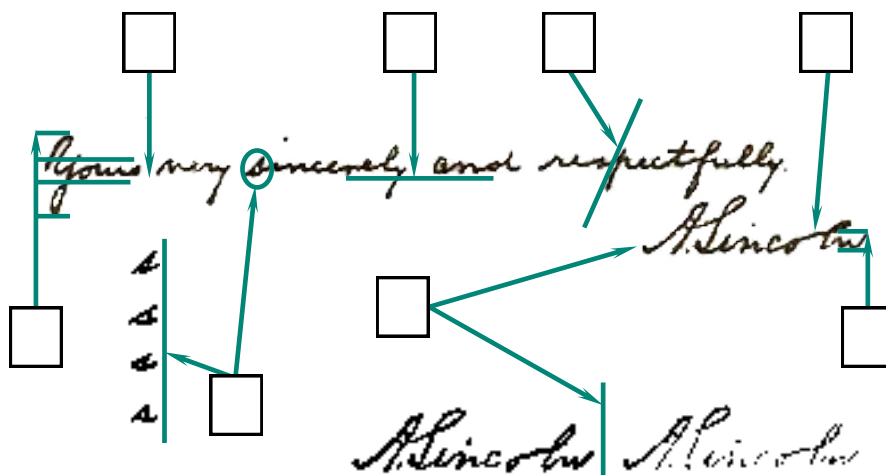
### 3. Study the payment check at page 130. Answer the questions:

1. What is the name of the person who wrote the authentic check? \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Who was the false check written to? \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Who was the original check written to? \_\_\_\_\_.
4. What is the genuine date of the check writing? \_\_\_\_\_.
5. What is the fake date? \_\_\_\_\_.
6. What is the real money amount in the check? \_\_\_\_\_.
7. What is the forged amount? \_\_\_\_\_.
8. How many elements were altered in the check? What are they? \_\_\_\_\_.
9. What forensic method helped discover the forgery? \_\_\_\_\_.

### What about you?

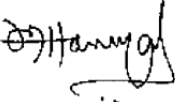
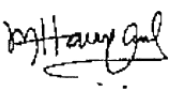
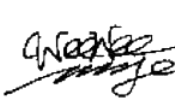


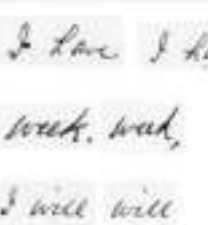
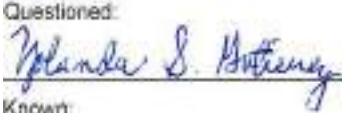
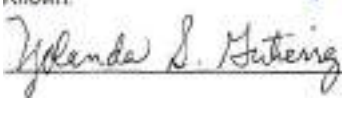
Was there any situation when **you** faced with the falsification of documents? Tell the story.

### 4. Find all kinds of features in A. Lincoln's handwriting:



1.	Letter size
2.	Letter formation
3.	Letter slant
4.	Spacing
5.	Pressure
6.	Line quality
7.	Connecting strokes
8.	Relative proportions

### 5. Compare the samples in disputes with the known standards. Are they the same or different? Prove your ideas analysing the handwriting features.

1.   2.    
Questioned Known Questioned Known
3.    
Questioned Known
4.    
Questioned Known

### Who is who?

He is the Founding President of the American Society of Questioned Document Examiners. He wrote a lot of books where he proved the uniqueness of an adult person's handwriting.



Fig.198. American Father of Document Examination

Who is he?

Make a conclusion.  
Which samples are authentic?  
Which ones are fake?

AUTHENTIC	1(?), ...
FAKE	1(?), ...

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## Forensic evidence expertise

6. Forensic handwriting examination or graphology? Read the information and check it out:

### Be aware!

The term “handwriting analysis” is not to be confused with “graphology”.

**Graphology** is the process of determining *the psychological state of a writer* through analysis of his or her handwriting.

### What about you?

Which method of handwriting examination do **you** think is more scientific and objective - graphology or forensic handwriting analysis? Why?

### Let's discuss!

Do **you** believe that analysis of an individual's handwriting can really produce a personality profile of the writer? And help in some cases in crime investigation?

### To read more!



*What does your handwriting say about you?*

**[size]**

you are detailed, studious, shy, concentrated.      you are well adjusted and adaptable

small letters      large letters      average letters

**[slant]**

no slant: you tend to be practical and logical  
*slants to the right: you are open, caring, and warm*  
*slants to the left: you keep to yourself & conceal your emotions*

**[shape]**

*a* rounded letters: you are creative & artistic  
**A** POINTED LETTERS: YOU ARE INTENSE, CURIOUS, & CAN BE AGGRESSIVE  
*er* connected letters: you are logical and make decisions carefully

**[spacing]**

wide spaces between words: you are more comfortable alone      narrow spaces between words: you are very social

**[looping]**

narrow "L" loops: you may be restricting yourself or feel tense      narrow "e" loops: you tend to be skeptical of others

wide "L" loops: you are relaxed & spontaneous      wide "e" loops: you are open and like trying new experiences

Fig.199. Simplified graphology analysis



7. Study the real handwritten bank-robbery notes given below:

1.

THIS IS A STICK-UP !!!  
GIVE ME ALL YOUR MONEY  
IN SMALL BILLS & NO ONE  
GETS HURT!  
NO ALARMS! NO DYE PACKS!

2.

This is a holdup  
I have gun All the bills  
No dye packs or alarms  
Fast

Fig.200-201. Bank-robbery notes

Do you understand the expressions from the notes:

- A stick-up - \_\_\_\_\_  
A hold up - \_\_\_\_\_  
Bills - \_\_\_\_\_  
Dye packs - \_\_\_\_\_

*Look it up!*

Look up these word combinations in **English-English** dictionaries.

Use the graphology analysis guidelines and try to determine some personal traits of criminals:

1. The first criminal seems to be \_\_\_\_\_  
2. The second criminal seems to be \_\_\_\_\_

Are these personality profiles similar?

8. Copy the text given below, analyse your own handwriting and try to make your simplified personality profile.

"I am writing this message to have a sample for graphology analysis. I will investigate my handwriting letters size, slant, shape; spacing between words and looping to make my personality profile".

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- My letters size says that I'm \_\_\_\_\_  
My letters slant says that \_\_\_\_\_  
My letters shape says \_\_\_\_\_  
Spacing between the words shows \_\_\_\_\_  
My 'l' loops demonstrate that \_\_\_\_\_  
My 'e' loops illustrate \_\_\_\_\_

Are your findings true?

*Just for fun*

*Let's discuss!*



## Biometrics in forensics



Fig.202. Unique facial data

### 1. Skim the information about the biometrics role in forensics:

One of the main ideas in forensic examination is a \_\_\_\_\_ (?).

Nowadays **biometrics** is a commonplace technology of identifying an individual through his own unique anatomical, chemical or behavioural characteristics. We can differ our family, relatives or friends by their face or voice. In case of biometrics, this ability is given to electronic equipment to identify us without the help of any human assistance.

Some human **physiological characteristics** like fingerprints, DNA structure, iris pattern, retina pattern, patterns of blood vessels, ear shape, face geometry, hand geometry, heartbeat, etc. are considered to be unique for an individual. So these characteristics are taken as biometric identifiers.



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Along with these physiological characteristics, there are **behavioural characteristics** like gait, keystroke, handwriting, voice, etc. that are also considered as individual characteristics and can be leveraged for biometric identification.

## Be attentive!

biometrics

[,baɪəʊ'metrɪks] (n)

iris ['aɪərɪs] (n)

retina ['retɪnə] (n)

vessel ['ves(ə)l] (n)

gait [geɪt] (n)

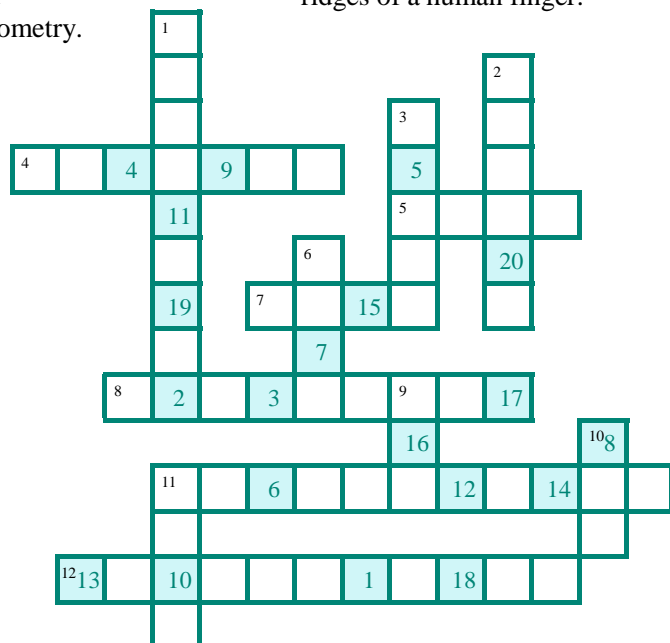
### 2. Do the crossword:

#### Across:

4. The arrangement of veins in fingers and hands - blood \_\_\_\_\_ patterns.
5. Coloured circular segment at the front of the eye.
7. Unique facial data - \_\_\_\_\_ geometry.
8. Regular movement of the heart.
11. Writing done by hand with some instrument.
12. Impression left by the friction ridges of a human finger.

#### Down:

1. The way of typing on a keyboard.
2. It lies at the back of the eye and detects light.
3. The way a person sounds when he speaks.
6. A specific way of walking.
9. It is a part of a body; it's unique by its shape.
10. A person's genetic code.
11. A person's palm with finger - \_\_\_\_\_ geometry.



Find out the key notion in biometrics

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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### 3. Analyse the information about human biometric measurements.

Tick ✓ the characteristics which a criminal can intentionally change, by own, either not to be recognised or to pass for another person. Are they physiological and behavioural ones?

- |   |  |                                      |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> fingerprints             | <input type="checkbox"/> ear shape     | <input type="checkbox"/> gait        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DNA structure            | <input type="checkbox"/> face geometry | <input type="checkbox"/> keystroke   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> iris pattern             | <input type="checkbox"/> hand geometry | <input type="checkbox"/> handwriting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> retina pattern           | <input type="checkbox"/> heartbeat     | <input type="checkbox"/> voice       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> pattern of blood vessels |  |                                      |

### 4. Video study.

**“MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE”** - a series of American action spy films starring Tom Cruise whose character with his team fights enemy forces and prevents global disasters.



Fig.203-204. “Mission: Impossible” series

Watch the episodes

from “Mission: Impossible - III” & “Mission: Impossible - V” and fill in the table:

	M:I - III	M:I - V
1. What is the reason of main characters' dealing with biometrics characteristics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• passing for another person</li> <li>• trying not to be recognised</li> <li>• passing a strong security system</li> <li>• ... (your own variant)</li> </ul>		
2. What kinds of biometric identifiers do the series characters deal with?		
3. Are the biometric characteristics, you've revealed, behavioural or physiological ones?		
4. Which method of biometrics recognition by other people is shown in the episode: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identification with no electronic equipment</li> <li>• identification with some electronic equipment</li> </ul>		

## Did you know?

The **primary body odour** can be also considered as a biometric identifier: everybody knows that animals with a very acute sense of smell can track and trail humans.



Fig.205. Odour recognition

Nowadays, in forensics, odour biometric recognition is primarily a **research subject** with insufficient data on its real application.

## What about you?

What are the situations (or the reasons) when **you** face with biometric measurements in **your** everyday life?

## What about you?

What kinds of a person's biometric characteristics do **you** recognise in **your** daily life, by **your** own, with no additional electronic equipment?



## Ballistic expertise

### 1. Read the information on forensic ballistics:

**Forensic ballistics** or **ballistics fingerprinting** is a science about the launching, behaviour, flight, and effect of projectiles. This is the scientific analysis of *the path of a bullet* from source to target and its impact.

The flight path of a bullet includes:

- Travel down the barrel (internal ballistics - 1);
- Path through the air (external ballistics - 2);
- Path through a target (terminal ballistics - 3).

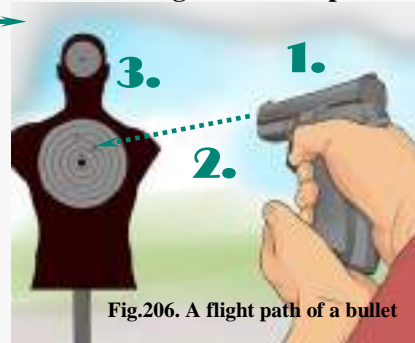


Fig.206. A flight path of a bullet

To be a ballistics specialist, a forensic examiner must have knowledge about different firearms models, their **components**...

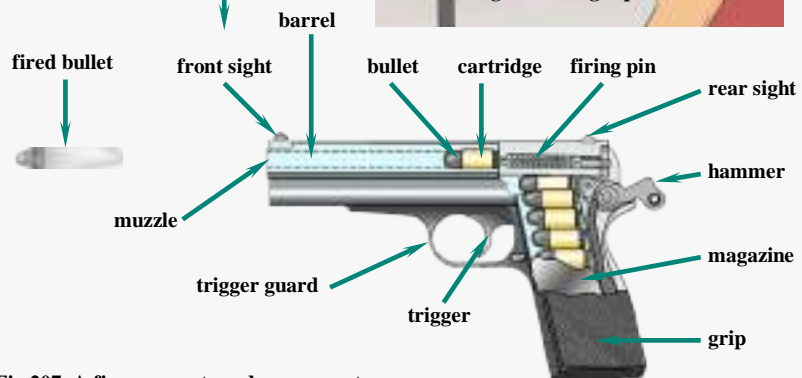


Fig.207. A firearm parts and components

... and their **ammunition (cartridges)**.

**Cartridge = Primer + Gun powder + Projectile + Case**

An ammunition is the assembly of:

- a primer (also known as initiator or detonator, usually high explosives),
- gun powder (also known as propellant),
- a projectile (may be in the form of shots/pellets or single bullet),
- a case, casing or shell.

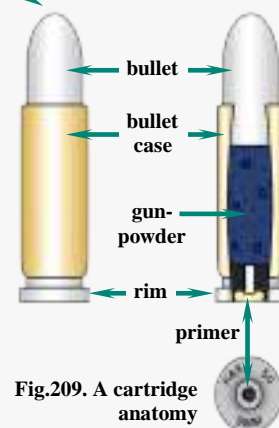


Fig.209. A cartridge anatomy

A ballistics expert **can answer** the following questions:

- type of the firearm used;
- identification of the firearm through the bullet individualisation;
- range of firing;
- direction of firing;
- identification of the shooter;
- medico-legal aspects: suicide/ homicide/ accident.

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## Did you know?

**Victor BALTHAZARD**  
(1872-1950)



Fig.208. Victor Balthazard

The various aspects of firearms identification were not really recognised for their potential value in solving crime until the early XX<sup>th</sup> century.

In 1913 **Victor Balthazard**, a French professor, asserted that machine tools used to make gun barrels **never leave exactly the same markings**. After studying a good deal of enlarged photographs of gun barrels and bullets, he reasoned that **every gun barrel leaves "a signature"** - set of grooves or striations - on each fired bullet.

V. Balthazard was among the first to attempt to *individualise a bullet to a weapon*.

## Look it up!

Look up where the term "ballistics" came from? You can peep it on page 37;-)

### 2. Write down your findings.



### 3. Try to explain the highlighted notions:

1. The path of a bullet - \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A gun signature - \_\_\_\_\_.
3. To individualise a bullet to a weapon - \_\_\_\_\_.

### Be attentive!

- barrel ['bær(ə)l] (n)
- bullet ['bulɪt] (n)
- striation [straɪ'eɪʃn] (n)
- groove [gru:v] (n)

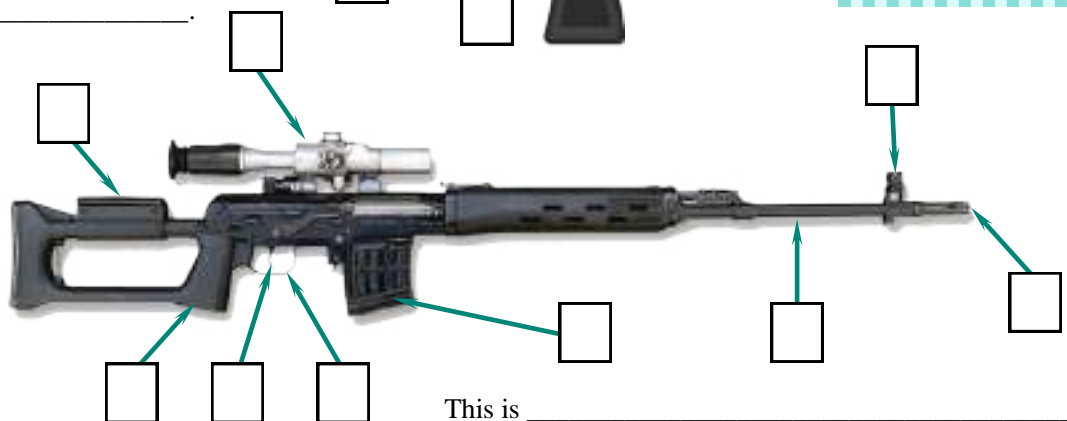
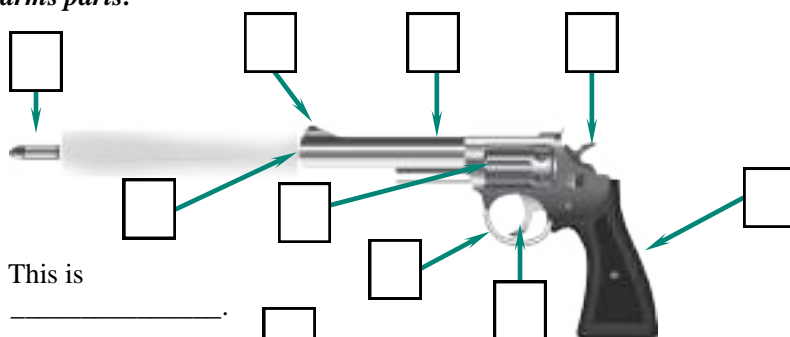
### 4. Divide the crime weapons into firearms and cold steel weapons.

A revolver, an axe, a knife, a machine gun, a shotgun, a pistol, a sword, a gun, a rifle, a dagger, a grenade launcher, a sniper rifle, a blade.

FIREARMS	COLD STEEL WEAPONS
...	...

Can you add your own variants?

### 5. Try to define the types of the firearms depicted below. Name the firearms parts:



### Let's discuss!

Do **you** remember Lord's exchange principle - "Every contact leaves a trace" (p.95)?

Can **you** apply this principle to ballistics?

### What about you?

Why do **you** think forensic ballistics is called **ballistics fingerprinting** in evidence examination?

1.	a grip	5.	a barrel	9.	a telescope
2.	a fired bullet	6.	a trigger	10.	a trigger guard
3.	a cheek rest	7.	a muzzle	11.	a cylinder
4.	a magazine	8.	a hammer	12.	a front sight

# UNIT 7



# Forensic evidence expertise

## Video study!



### 6. Video "BALLISTICS: THE BASICS".

#### a) Watch the video. Tick ✓ the information mentioned in the video:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> firearms components           | <input type="checkbox"/> ballistics definition               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bullet paths                  | <input type="checkbox"/> direction of firing                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> anatomy of a cartridge        | <input type="checkbox"/> identification of the shooter       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> types of firearms             | <input type="checkbox"/> bullet hole analysis                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> range of firing               | <input type="checkbox"/> origin of the term "ballistics"     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> identification of the firearm | <input type="checkbox"/> causes of fired bullets deformation |

#### b) Agree or disagree with the statements given below:

1. Forensic ballistics focuses on firearms, related projectiles motion, character of the surface impact. (T/F)
2. Internal ballistics is what happens to the bullet once it leaves the muzzle. (T/F)
3. External ballistics is what happens inside the gun. (T/F)
4. Terminal ballistics is what happens when a bullet strikes the target. (T/F)
5. A bullet motion covers three stages: passing through a gun barrel, taking a path, going into a surface. (T/F)
6. A cartridge is the same thing as a bullet. (T/F)
7. Going inside of a weapon when fired, cartridges are separated into different components: shells and bullets. (T/F)
8. Fired from a weapon, bullets strikes different targets and deform in different ways. (T/F)

#### c) Study the objects from the video. What are they? →

**A CARTRIDGE**

**A BULLET**

**A CASING**

1.



2.



3.



Fig.210. Video freeze-frame

#### d) Study the depictions given below. Answer the questions:

1. What are the depicted objects - cartridges, cases or bullets?
2. What ballistics stage do these objects demonstrate - internal, external or terminal one?
3. What object is a bullet in pretty pristine condition? Why?
4. Why are the other objects so deformed?

1.



2.



3.



4.



5.



6.



Fig.211-216. Video freeze-frames

#### Match the bullets and their description:

- a) This is a fired bullet. It is dented as it hit an object at an angle.
- b) This is a tested fired bullet without a lot of deformation - maybe fired into a tank of water.
- c) This is a fired bullet having passed through something soft.
- d) This bullet, fired into a solid surface, fragmented.
- e) This bullet, fired into a solid surface, fragmented, and flattened out.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.



## 7. How to link a gun to a crime scene?

Guns and bullets are associated with the most serious and deadly crimes. The crucial clues important for crime scene investigators include bullet holes, shells, projectile fragments, dropped weapon(s), etc.

Here is how forensic ballistics can be used to recreate a crime scene and investigate a crime:

### 1. Patterns left by gunpowder residues

The bullet is not the only object that leaves a barrel when a gun is fired. In reality, firing also ejects gunpowder residues that create a **unique pattern** on an object close to the barrel: thus traces of the residue land on the hand of a shooter.

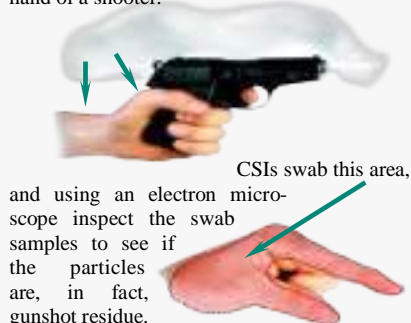


Fig.217. Residue patterns

### 2. Analysing trajectory, bullet holes

Tracing the flight path of a bullet significantly helps CSIs recreate the events of a crime.

Once bullet holes are located on floor, walls, ceilings or other places/objects at a crime scene, field analysts can determine the bullet trajectory and direction from which a projectile was fired.



Fig.218. Metal hole

### 3. Tissue damage due to the bullet



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The wound itself can reveal the bullet type, sequence of hits, distance from which the bullet was fired, its velocity and much more!

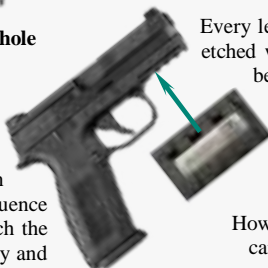


Fig.221. A gun serial number

### 4. Striations on a fired bullet

A bullet once fired always gets markings that mirror the grooves and lands inside the firearm barrel. This is a crucial evidence to match a bullet to the weapon used for firing it as no two grooves within a firearm barrel is the same, just like fingerprints.

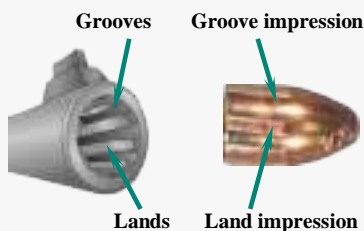


Fig.219. Striations on a bullet

### 5. Firing pin, and ejector impressions

When a gun is fired, the firing pin strikes the center of the cartridge to ignite the primer and it is only then that the bullet is released.

This impression being unique to the firing pin of a particular gun can actually be used to link cartridges to specific firearms.



Fig.220. Ejector impression

### 6. Extraction of serial number

Every legally produced firearm is etched with a unique serial number during its manufacturing.

Often criminals try to destroy this serial number by filing/grinding to avoid tracing the weapon. However, these serial numbers can be recovered by forensic scientists.

## Who is who?

He is considered as the Father of ballistics and a comparison microscope. In the early XX<sup>th</sup> century with his like-minds, he collected data from all known manufactures. They compiled results and created the fullest ballistics databases of their time.



Fig.222. Father of ballistics and comparison microscope

Who is he?

## Look it up!

What other forensic fields (in addition to forensic ballistics) is a comparison microscope used in?

## What about you?

Can **you** describe the value of a comparison microscope in forensic examinations? For the answer **you** can imagine forensic expertise making without this facility. What would it be like?

Write down all the clues ballistics experts deal with. Add your own variants:

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# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### Video study!



#### 8. Video "INSIDE THE CRIME LAB\_FIREARMS AND TOOLMARKS UNIT".

##### a) Before watching the video, check if you know the basic theme vocabulary:

firearm	specific firearm	ballistics examination
firing	ballistics	microscopic comparison
cartridge case	test-fired bullet	forensic firearms range
gun powder	shooting	specialised water tank
fired bullet	serial number	bullet recovery tank

##### b) Watch the video. Work with some notions from it:

1. comparison microscope	a) a 75-foot long space used to safely test firearms when no bullet recovery is necessary
2. forensic firearm range	b) a device which allows for the side by side comparison of evidence at up to 60 times magnification
3. bullet recovery tank	c) information on the firearms used in previous shooting incidents
4. ballistic database	d) a specialised water tank which allows for the collection of fired bullets in their original undamaged condition

##### c) What is used for test-firing nowadays?

##### d) Which methods of linking a gun to a crime scene (described in ex.7, p.139) are demonstrated in the video?

##### e) What new information did you learn from the video?

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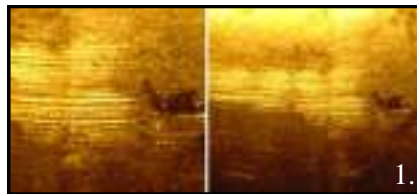


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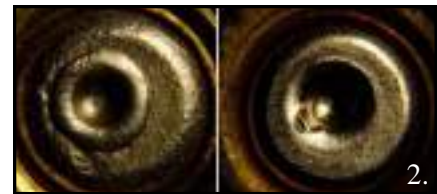


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##### f) Try to compare two bullets if you were a real ballistics expert. Are they fired from the same weapon? Give some arguments to prove your opinion:



1.



2.

Fig.224-225. Samples for ballistic expertise

For your answer look through all the information on ballistics.  
What synonyms can you use for "ballistic markings":

Ballistic markings: \_\_\_\_\_

### Did you know?



Fig.223. C. Goddard is test-firing a bullet

C. Goddard introduced **test-firing of bullets** to compare them with bullets recovered from a crime scene. At his time to prevent damage to the test bullets and to facilitate the bullet's recovery, test firings were normally made into a **recovery box** filled with **cotton** or **water**.

### Let's discuss!

Why do **you** think firearms and toolmarks examinations, as a rule, are united in one crime lab unit?



9. Skim the newspapers headlines and articles materials:

*Case study*



a) Collect the crime scene data and fill in the table:

1. Crime	
2. Geography of the crime	Country, City: _____ Location: _____
3. Date of the crime	
4. Victims	
5. Suspects	In appearance _____ In fact _____
6. Modus delicti	
7. Crime weapons	
8. Possible ballistics critical evidence	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. ...



Fig.226-228 Articles about St. Valentine's Day Massacre in Chicago

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

b) Compare your findings with the real story:

1929. Chicago. Gang wars took place with each gang leader seeking to be the head of the crime syndicate.

On February 14, the warehouse used by George (Bugs) Moran as a headquarters for his illegal operations, became a site of the infamous St. Valentine's Day Massacre. That day men dressed like cops with their machine guns hidden inside their long raincoats walked inside the garage. Demanding that the seven occupants that were inside all line up against the wall, they proceeded to shoot

them to pieces. Moran's gang was wiped out. Then the killers drove off in the black Cadillac with a look of a police vehicle. It was unclear whether the killers were actually police officers or rival gang members dressed as police officers.

C. Goddard arrived in Chicago the following day. He encountered the largest collection of bullets and shells he had ever received in a single murder case - seventy 0,45-caliber cartridge shells. By examining these casings, Goddard determined that they had all been fired by automatic weapons. Working as an independent investigator, he tested the machine guns used by the Chicago police and concluded that they were not used in the murders.

Later that year, after a raid on the home of one of Al Capone's hit men, two machine guns were recovered. Goddard tested these weapons and proved that they were used in the murders.



Fig.229. Newspaper crime reconstruction

Is the initial information you've scanned previously confirmed?  
What information is new for you?

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c) Try to explain the highlighted words and words combination:

Massacre - \_\_\_\_\_  
(Garage) occupants - \_\_\_\_\_  
To be wiped out - \_\_\_\_\_  
Hit man - \_\_\_\_\_



d) Write down the vocabulary on gang activities:

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*Look it up!*

Look up why the USA of 1920-1930s plunged into gang wars.

c) Look up the additional information on the mentioned rival gang leaders and fill in their criminal cards:



**GANGSTER'S DATA:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_

Criminal activity: \_\_\_\_\_


\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Geography of criminal activity: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Fig.230. Gang leader-1



**GANGSTER'S DATA:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_

Criminal activity: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Geography of criminal activity: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Fig.231. Gang leader-2

*Interesting facts!*

- Shooting was a daily routine in Chicago of 1920-1930s. It was common to see the ad for a local textile shop: **"Bullet Holes Rewoven Perfectly in Damaged Clothes - Low Price"**.

- The prohibition Era saw 729 people slain in a gang-land style. The common reasons for their killings were tied to **gambling, business racketeering, taxi wars, vice (prostitution), bootlegging**.

*Look it up!*

Try to explain why smuggling used to be called **"bootlegging"**.

d) Analyse the text quote:

"Working as an independent investigator, he [C. Goddard] tested the machine guns used by the Chicago police and concluded that they were not used in the murders".

What kinds of ballistic expertise could C. Goddard make?  
Describe them in details.

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## Trace evidence analysis

### What about you?

Do **you** remember Edmond Locard's principle describing these transfers in the early part of the XX<sup>th</sup> century? What is it?

### 1. Read the information on trace evidence analysis:

**Trace evidence** is material found at a crime scene in **small but measurable amounts**. This is important as it can definitely **link** an individual or object to the scene.

The traces are often **microscopic in size** (some stains, trace amount of dirt or soil, paint chips, pollen, wood splinters, hairs, fibres, glass) and, therefore, are not noticed right away, particularly by the perpetrators of crime. Fortunately for the police, criminals are usually too busy to realise that their hairs or clothing fibres were left behind or they took away fragments of glass on their clothing. But **these contacts** are **silent credible witnesses** against them.

So, **every criminal can be connected to a crime** by tiny particles either carried from the scene or left there. The task of crime scene investigators is only to **detect them**.

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### Be aware!

Sometimes all kinds of **prints** (finger-, foot-, palm-, lipstick prints) and **impressions** (tire tracks, bite or tool marks) are also considered as trace evidence.

### 2. Choose the evidence which can be considered as trace evidence. Translate these clues:

arsenic in food	saliva	victim's signature	drug bottle
skin particles	dirt	residue on a hand	graffiti on a wall
fingerprint	paint chips	ash	human skull
ransom note	knife	soil particles	palmprint
blood stain	some fibres	dirt under the nails	scratch on a neck

### 3. Imagine yourself a criminalist. Could you link the criminal of the story with the crime scene:



A man is running through a dark, cold forest in the middle of the night. His heart is pounding. He's sweating. In his mind he sees flashes of his victim... A fight, a few scratches, torn clothes... No one saw him. No one knows what he did.

He didn't leave anything for the police to find. Or did he???

What kind of trace evidence could be found at the crime scene?



Fig.232. A criminal from the story



## 4. Video “HOW MAKEUP HELPED EDMOND LOCARD CATCH A KILLER”.

### a) Before watching, analyse the title and the freeze-frame:

1. What is the type of the crime?
2. Who is the victim? Is she alive?
3. What pieces of evidence can be crucial clues for crime investigation?
4. What is the name of the involved forensic expert?
5. What is the approximate year of the crime committing?
6. Is the criminal caught?



Fig.233. Video freeze-frame

### b) Watch the video and match the characters with their roles:

Emile Gourbin  
Marie Latelle  
Edmond Locard

a police investigator  
a suspect  
a victim

### c) According to the video choose the right variant:

1. The crime was committed in 1910/ 1922/ 1912.
2. The victim, a young woman/ a middle-aged woman/ an old man, was shot/ poisoned/ strangled.
3. The top suspect was a victim's servant/ a victim's boyfriend/ a victim's brother.
4. This was E. Locard/ M. Latelle's mother/ the victim's boyfriend who doubted the alibi of the main suspect.
5. The evidence which proved the suspect's guilt was a drug bottle near Marie's corpse/ some fibres found on Marie's dress/ victim's skin and make-up dust under his nails.

### d) Watch the video once again and put the story parts in the right order:

1. E. Gourbin pleaded his guilt.
2. Locard examined the body of Marie Latelle. He determined the time of the death to be at midnight. Moreover he looked very closely at the corpse and could see the tiniest scrape marks on the victim's neck.
3. E. Locard examined trace evidence under Gourbin's nails. Chemical analysis proved the traces belonged to the victim.
4. Police suspected Marie's boyfriend in her death.
5. Marie Latelle was strangled in her parents' home.
6. E. Gourbin's friends confirmed his alibi. They swore he was playing poker with them at midnight.

### e) How did E. Gourbin try to guarantee his alibi?

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### d) What kinds of trace evidence were demonstrated in the video?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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## Let's discuss!

Can **you** predict the crime plot with the given puzzle pieces? Imagine what could happen.

## Video study!



## Be attentive!

alibi [ˈælibaɪ] (n)


# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### Video study!



#### 5. Video "INSIDE THE CRIME LAB\_TRACE EVIDENCE UNIT".

##### a) Before watching the video, analyse the comment given to it:

"The Trace Evidence Unit is responsible for collecting and analysing microscopic **debris** to help establish the elements of a crime. Analysis can be performed on the smallest of items: a single hair found on a weapon used in an assault; glass discovered on the clothing of a burglary suspect; and even microscopic particles of paint found on the victim of **a hit and run**".

Explain the meaning of the highlighted notions:

"Debris" - \_\_\_\_\_.

"Hit and run" - \_\_\_\_\_.

What are the trace pieces mentioned in the initial information?

Can you give your own detailed examples? Use the key-words given on the right for your help:

EXAMPLES of TRACE EVIDENCE	KEY-WORDS
1. Microscopic particles of <b>gunshot residue</b> on a suspect's hands	animal hair
2. ...	cosmetics
3. ...	pollen
4. ...	soil
5. ...	<b>gunshot residue</b>
6. ...	manmade fibres
7. ...	rope
...	wood splinters

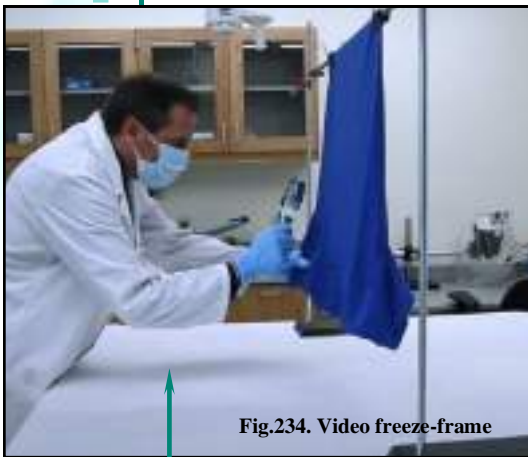


Fig.234. Video freeze-frame

##### b) Watch the video. What kinds of trace evidence have you caught in the video:

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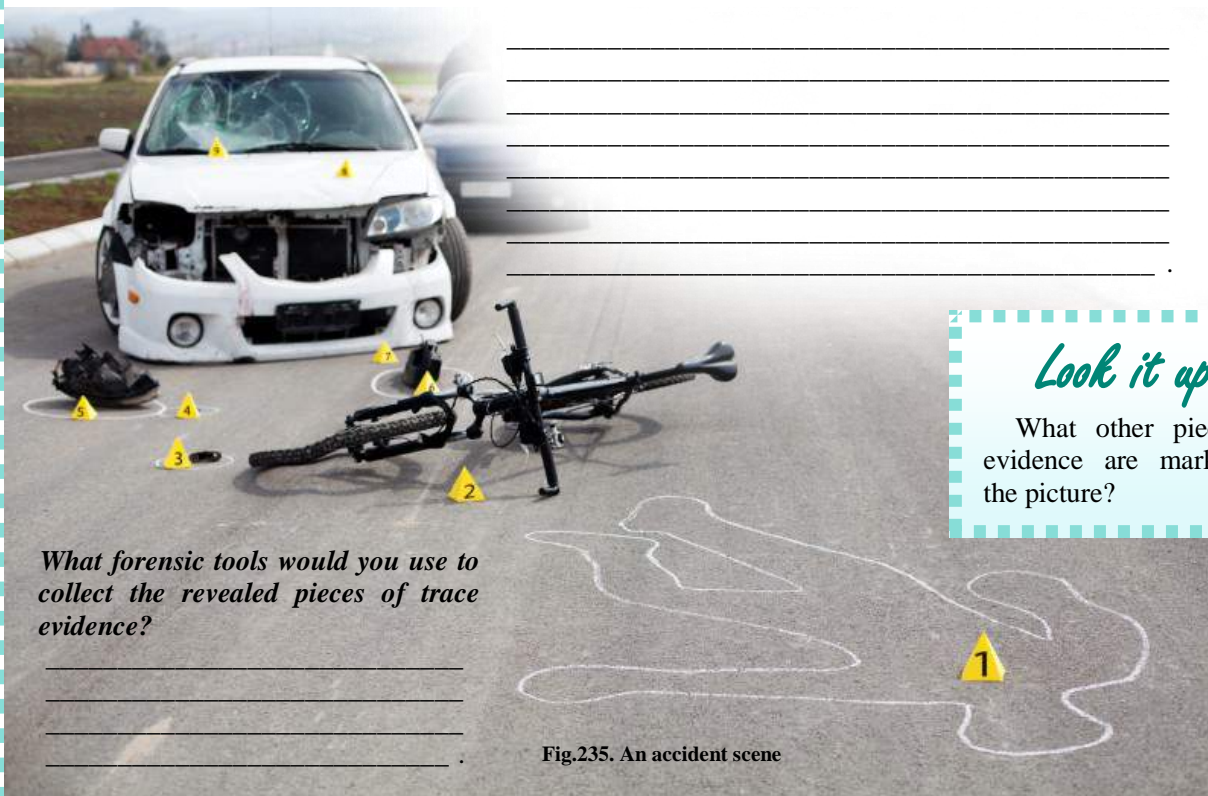
##### c) Tick ✓ the forensic tools and containers which can be used in trace evidence collection:

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> tweezers              | <input type="checkbox"/> mirror                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> scissors              | <input type="checkbox"/> cotton swabs           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> brushes               | <input type="checkbox"/> chalk                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> magnifying glass      | <input type="checkbox"/> flashlight             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tape lift             | <input type="checkbox"/> measuring tape         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dust for fingerprint  | <input type="checkbox"/> test tube              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> comparison microscope | <input type="checkbox"/> paper / paper envelope |

What forensic tools are shown in the video to gather trace evidence from a piece of clothing? Describe the process.



6. Study the depiction. What pieces of trace evidence can be found at this accident scene?



What forensic tools would you use to collect the revealed pieces of trace evidence?

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Fig.235. An accident scene

*Look it up?*

What other pieces of evidence are marked in the picture?

7. Multiple choice. More than one variant is possible:

- What is the other word for trace evidence?
  - latent
  - contact
  - biological
  - chemical
- The principle that explains the connection between the criminal and the crime scene is called:
  - the principle of trace evidence
  - Sherlock Holmes' deductive principle
  - Locard's exchange principle
- In terms of evidence collection what does "trace" mean?
  - small and minute
  - invisible
  - fleeting
- Which of the following is considered to be the type of trace evidence?
  - a fired bullet
  - minute particle of broken glass
  - shot residue on a suspect's hands
  - saliva

8. Analyse the common statements about trace evidence:

- "Trace evidence is a tiny forensic material often unnoticed by the culprit".
- "Trace evidence keeps a contact linking an individual or object to the crime scene".
- "Trace evidence is a silent credible witness of the crime".

Which statement gives the main idea of the trace evidence value? Support your opinion with some arguments.

*Keep in mind!*

As trace evidence is small in size, they often **remain unnoticed** by the culprit and the other person present at the crime scene. So there is more chance that these kinds of evidence **remain undestroyed** and **undisturbed** at the crime scene.

*Let's discuss!*

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

### Check yourself!

1. What are the most typical fields in the forensics evidence examination?

Fingerprinting, \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

2. Look through the pages of the unit and reveal the names of all the mentioned scientists who contributed to forensics development.

Who could be the authors of the following statements? What are the fields they worked in?

1. "Every contact leaves a trace". - \_\_\_\_\_ (trace evidence examination).
2. "My discovery was a real eureka moment - 30 seconds which literally changed my life and the whole world". - \_\_\_\_\_.
3. "No two people have the same fingerprints". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).
4. "My system was the first in recidivists identification". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).
5. "Every gun barrel leaves its own signature". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).
6. "Individual writing features are unique". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).
7. "Blood type is that where there is a reaction of agglutination". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).
8. "A comparison microscope can become a crucial equipment in almost every field of forensic science". - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).

### What about you?

Like any science, forensics **was not born in one day**, neither it was produced **by one man**.

Only the efforts of scientists and police investigators in the past made the advancements in scientific forensic methods possible.

What forensic discovery do **you** value the most? Why?

Find the scientists' surnames-answers in the word search puzzle:

R	B	B	A	L	A	N	D	S	T
O	E	J	L	T	H	A	E	G	E
S	R	E	F	F	I	Z	A	A	I
B	T	G	O	R	E	Y	R	L	N
O	I	E	D	D	A	S	D	T	E
R	L	L	O	N	R	D	P	O	R
N	O	L	O	C	A	R	D	N	N

Write down the unused letters: \_\_\_\_\_

Make up a key-word from them:

Each of these scientists was a 

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 in a certain field of forensic science.

### Look it up!

3. Read the hints and try to make a forensics timeline:

E. Locard formulated his exchange principle the year when he opened the first world's crime lab. The same year A. Sh. Osborn asserted that handwriting is a credible person's identifier. 3 years later V. Balthazard proved that it's possible to individualise a bullet to a weapon, and his discovery was confirmed 12 years later after creating the comparison microscope by C. Goddard. 24 years earlier in the very beginning of the XX<sup>th</sup> century K. Landsteiner's blood classification brought a new tool to forensic science. 22 years earlier A. Bertillon created the first system of identification, which was replaced 13 years later by a more reliable Sir F. Galton's fingerprinting system. The last greatest discovery for forensics was made 92 years later by Sir A. Jeffreys in 1980s.



**Forensics timeline - mark the year and the forensics field in which the discovery was made:**



Fig.236. Forensics timeline

**4. Study the photos on the face page of Unit 7. Try to answer the questions and then fill in the table:**

1. What forensic field the depicted forensic expert is dealing with?
2. What is he examining?
3. What kind of forensic tool(s) is he using (if there is/ are any)?
4. Can you suggest the forensic scientist's name?
5. When could be photo be taken? (a year/ a period after some year)?

Photo #	Forensics field	Object(s) under analysis	Forensic tool(s)	≈ Timeline year/ period	Forensic scientist's name
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

**5. Read the statements. Could they be possible? Prove your ideas with some arguments:**

1. All the found Titanic victims were identified with the help of DNA fingerprinting analysis. (T/F)
2. Only having compared the bullet fired to Pushkin with a bullet sample from Georges d'Antès's weapon, ballistics experts proved that it was the French ambassador who had murdered the great Russian poet. (T/F)
3. In 1888 forensic serologists could definitely determine the blood types of Jack the Ripper's victims. (T/F)
4. In the late 1870s police proved that M. Cooper had forged the victim's handwriting. (T/F)
5. Using a comparison microscope F. Galton could compare 2 fingerprints at the same time. (T/F)
6. In 1967 M. Black was identified as a recidivist on the basis of Bertillon's anthropometry measurements. (T/F)
7. In 1890s police examined gunshot residue around a bullet hole and determined the distance between the shooter and the victim. (T/F)

*E.g. The first situation can't be true as the Titanic went down in 1912, and DNA fingerprinting was discovered only in the end of the XX<sup>th</sup> century.*

**Keep in mind!**

**Technology** has the greatest influence on practical activities of forensics nowadays.

Things like **3D printing**, **drones**, **laser scanners** have greatly improved crime scenes processing and evidence examination, pushing the limits in forensic science.

**To see more!**

**"SIX FORENSIC TECHNOLOGIES OF THE FUTURE"**



**Join in!**

Work in groups.  
What are **your** ideas on forensic science perspectives?

# UNIT 7



# Forensic evidence expertise

## Case study!

5. Case study. Analyse the given information, examine the evidence, solve the case:



Fig.237. Video camera freeze-frame

WHICH WAY???



Fig.238. City map. Escaping ways



Fig.239. The suspects' car license plate



Killed a bank visitor

Opened the safe

NAMES???

HOW??? What is the code???

### Clues:

1. Crime(s):
2. Location:
3. Date:
4. Time:
5. Number of suspects:
6. Suspects' outfit:
7. Crime weapons:
8. Witness(es):
9. Victim(s):
10. Character of the wound:
11. Robbed things:
12. Escape
  - a) transport(s):
  - b) direction:

### Evidence:

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### TESTIMONIES:

#### Witness #1:

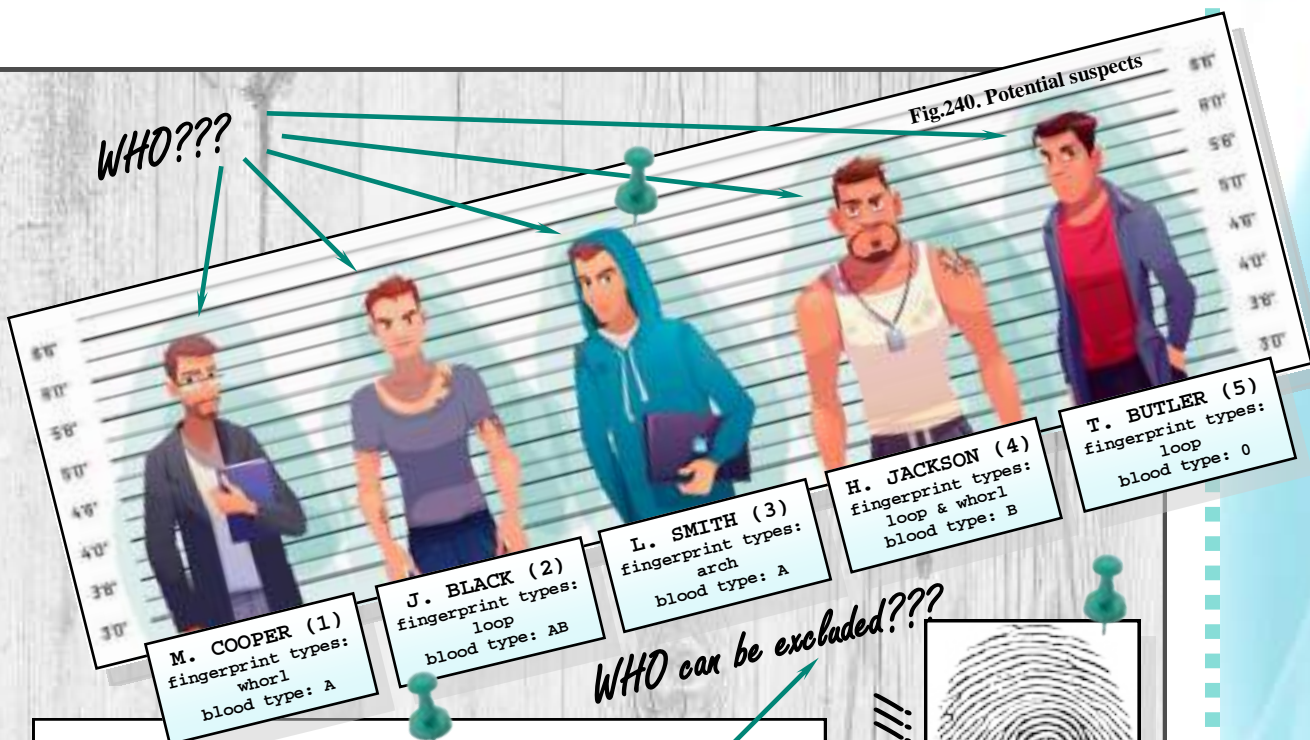
While stealing our money, one of the robbers saw a safe. He threatened the clerk to tell him the code for the safe. The clerk said "Sorry, I can't. The code is changing every day". But the robber found out the code.

#### Witness #2:

Down on my knees I saw a note fallen out of the pocket of one of the suspects. He quickly picked it up, but I remembered the writings: "WKH ERDW ZLOO ZDLW IRU BRX LQ WKH EDB. GRQ'W EH ODWH".

CYPHER???

Caesar's code??? Left shift of 3???

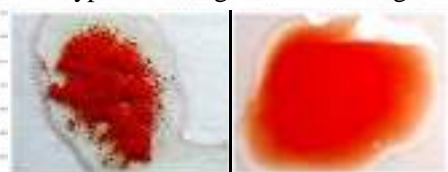


WHO???

WHO can be excluded???

## Forensic expertise findings:

- CSIs found NO fingerprint of the least spread type.
- This fingerprint was found on the inside of the safe.  
What type is it? \_\_\_\_\_
- Who are the potential suspects? \_\_\_\_\_
- Who cracked the safe? \_\_\_\_\_
- One of the suspects scratched while escaping. Serologists made a blood type test and got the following results:



Anti-A antibody

Anti-B antibody

- Who can be this potential suspect? \_\_\_\_\_. Why? \_\_\_\_\_
- Two pistols were found not far from the bank only with a loop type fingerprints on their grip.  
Whose pistols could they be? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Analyse the ballistics expertise results.  
Whose crime weapon is it? \_\_\_\_\_  
Why? \_\_\_\_\_

Match!!!



Mark and determine the types of the fingerprints ridge details (use a magnifying glass if needed).



Sample from the crime scene

Test-sample (2)

Test-sample (5)

WHO are the criminals ???

# UNIT 7



## Forensic evidence expertise

6. Video study. Watch a crime episode from the Russian film “Billionaire”.

*Video study!*



*Answer the questions:*

1. What crime(s) is (are) shown in the episode?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What biometric characteristic(s) did the criminal try to change not to be identified?

What did he use for this purpose? \_\_\_\_\_

3. What was the criminal armed with? \_\_\_\_\_

4. What kinds of evidence could be found at the crime scene? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. What kinds of forensic expertise could be involved in the crime investigation?

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7. This is the last task in your course in **FORENSIC SCIENCE** in English. Was it useful for you?

*What about you?*

*Your feedback would be greatly appreciated.*

*Share, please, what you liked and what you would change.*

*All your ideas are welcome!*

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*Test on-line!*





## - A a -

**abandon** [ə'bəndən] (v) - покидать, бросать  
**abandoned** [ə'bəndənd] (adj) - брошенный, покинутый  
**abdomen** ['æbdəmen] (n) - брюшная полость, живот  
**abnormal** [æb'nɔ:m(ə)l] (adj) - аномальный, отклоняющийся от нормы  
**abnormality** [æbnɔ:'mælɪtɪ] (n) - отклонение от нормы  
**abyss** [ə'bis] (n) - бездна, пропасть  
**accent** ['æks(ə)nt] (n) - акцент, произношение  
**access** ['ækses] (n) - доступ  
**accident** ['æksɪd(ə)nt] (n) - несчастный случай, авария, катастрофа  
**accommodate** [ə'kɒmədeɪ] (v) - подгонять; приспособлять; обеспечивать; вмещать  
**accomplice** [ə'kɒmplɪs] (n) - сообщник, соучастник  
**accomplish** [ə'kɒmplɪʃ] (v) - совершать, выполнять, достигать  
**accumulation** [ə'kju:mjə'leɪʃn] (n) - скопление; сбор  
**accountant** [ə'kaʊntənt] (n) - бухгалтер, счетовод  
**accuracy** ['ækjʊərəsɪ] (n) - точность; тщательность  
**accurate** ['ækjʊərət] (adj) - точный; тщательный  
**accurately** ['ækjʊərətli] (adv) - точно; безошибочно; аккуратно  
**accuse** [ə'kju:z] (v) - винить, обвинять  
**accuser** [ə'kju:zə] (n) - обвинитель (частное лицо); свидетель обвинения  
**accused** [ə'kju:zd] (adj) - обвиняемый; подсудимый  
**acute** [ə'kju:t] (adj) - острый; сильный; пронизательный  
**acoustic** [ə'ku:stɪk] (adj) - акустический, звуковой  
**act** [ækt] (n) - дело, поступок, деяние  
**activity** [æk'tɪvətɪ] (n) - деятельность  
**ad** [æd] (n) - объявление, реклама  
**additionally** [ə'dɪʃn(ə)li] (adv) - дополнительно; сверх того, кроме того  
**adematoglyphia** (n) - адемаатоглифия (болезнь, при которой отсутствуют линии на подушечках пальцев)  
**adhere** [əd'hɪə] (v) - прилипать, приклеиваться  
**administer** [əd'mɪnɪstə] (v) - управлять, руководить  
**admit** [əd'mɪt] (v) - допускать, признавать  
**admission** [əd'mɪʃn] (n) - доступ, признание (вины)  
**adult** ['ædʌlt] (n), (adj) - взрослый, зрелый; совершеннолетний (человек)  
**advance** [əd'vɑ:ns] (n) - движение вперед, рост (v) - продвигаться вперед  
**advancements** [əd'vɑ:nsmənt] (n) - улучшения, прогресс  
**advertisement** [əd'vɜ:tɪsmənt] (n) - объявление, реклама  
**advocate** ['ædvəkət] (n) - защитник; сторонник (v) - пропагандировать, отстаивать  
**affect** ['æfekt] (n) - аффект [ə'fekt] (v) - оказывать воздействие, влияние  
**agent** ['eɪdʒ(ə)nt] (n) - агент; вещество, реагент  
**agglutination** [ə'glu:tɪneɪʃn] (n) - агглютинация, свертывание  
**aim** [eɪm] (n) - намерение, цель; прицел, мишень  
**air** [ɛə] (v) - эд. передавать по телевидению  
**aircraft** ['ɛəkrɑ:ft] (n) - самолёт, воздушное судно

**airline** ['ɛəlaɪn] (n) - авиалиния, авиакомпания  
**airtight** ['ɛətaɪt] (adj) - воздухонепроницаемый, герметический  
**alcohol** ['ælkəhɒl] (n) - алкоголь, спирт  
**algor mortis** - лат. посмертное охлаждение  
**alibi** ['ælibaɪ] (n) - алиби  
**alive** [ə'laɪv] (adj) - живой, в живых  
**alpine** ['ælpain] (adj) - альпийский, высокогорный  
**alter** ['ɔ:ltə] (v) - менять; видоизменять; искажать  
**altitude** ['æltɪt(j)u:d] (n) - высота  
**ambassador** [æm'bæsədə] (n) - посол  
**ambient** ['æmbɪənt] (adj) - внешний; соответствующий окружающей среде  
**amount** [ə'maʊnt] (n) - количество  
**analyse** ['æn(ə)laɪz] (v) - анализировать  
**analyser** ['æn(ə)laɪzə] (n) - анализатор (электронный прибор)  
**analysis** [ə'næləsɪs] (n) - анализ, исследование  
**analyst** ['æn(ə)lɪst] (n) - аналитик  
**analytical** [æn(ə)'lɪtɪkl] (adj) - аналитический  
**ancestry** ['ænsɛstri] (n) - предки, происхождение  
**angle** ['æŋɡl] (n) - угол  
**ant** [ænt] (n) - муравей  
**anthropologist** [ænθrə'pɒlədʒɪst] (n) - антрополог  
**anthropology** [ænθrə'pɒlədʒɪ] (n) - антропология  
**anthropometry** [ænθrə'pɒmɪtri] (n) - антропометрия  
**apartment** [ə'pɑ:tmənt] (n) - амер. квартира  
**apparently** [ə'pær(ə)ntli] (adv) - вероятно, видимо, по всей видимости  
**appearance** [ə'piə(ə)ns] (n) - появление; внешний вид  
**application** [æplɪ'keɪʃn] (n) - применение  
**apply** [ə'plai] (v) - применять  
**appreciate** [ə'pri:ʃeɪt] (n) - ценить; быть признательным  
**approach** [ə'prəʊʃ] (n) - подступ, подход  
**approximate** [ə'prɒksɪmət] (adj) - приблизительный  
**approximately** [ə'prɒksɪmətli] (adv) - приблизительно, близко  
**arch** [ɑ:ʃ] (n) - дуга  
**archaeologist** [ɑ:kɪ'ɒlədʒɪst] (n) - археолог  
**archaeology** [ɑ:kɪ'ɒlədʒɪ] (n) - археология  
**arcsin** (n) - арксинус  
**ardent** ['ɑ:d(ə)nt] (adj) - горячий, страстный  
**area** ['ɛəriə] (n) - территория, участок  
**arrangement** [ə'reɪndʒmənt] (n) - расположение; приведение в порядок; классификация; систематизация  
**arrest** [ə'rest] (v) - арестовывать  
**arsenic** ['ɑ:s(ə)nɪk] (n) - мышьяк  
**arson** ['ɑ:s(ə)n] (n) - поджог  
**arsonist** ['ɑ:s(ə)nɪst] (n) - поджигатель  
**artist** ['ɑ:tɪst] (n) - художник  
**ascertain** [æsə'teɪn] (v) - выяснять, устанавливать  
**ash** [æʃ] (n) - зола, пепел  
**ashtray** ['æʃtreɪ] (n) - пепельница  
**assassination** [əsəsɪ'neɪʃn] (n) - заказное убийство  
**assault** [ə'sɔ:lt] (n) - нападение  
**assert** [ə'sɜ:t] (v) - утверждать; заявлять  
**assessment** [əs'esmənt] (n) - оценка, мнение  
**assign** [ə'saɪn] (v) - назначать, поручать  
**assistance** [ə'sɪst(ə)n(t)s] (n) - помощь, поддержка  
**associate** [ə'səʊsɪeɪt] (v) - соединять, связывать



# Vocabulary

**attack** [ə'tæk] (v) - атаковать, нападать  
**attacker** [ə'tækə] (n) - атакующий, нападающий  
**attempt** [ə'tempt] (v) - пытаться, стараться  
**attitude** ['ætɪt(j)u:d] (n) - позиция; отношение  
**attract** [ə'trækt] (v) - привлекать  
**attraction** [ə'trækʃn] (n) - привлекательность, притягательность  
**aural** ['ɔ:r(ə)l] (adj) - слуховой, акустический  
**authentic** [ɔ:'θentɪk] (adj) - аутентичный, истинный, настоящий, подлинный, неподдельный  
**authenticity** [ɔ:'θen'ɪsəti] (n) - аутентичность, достоверность, подлинность  
**authorship** ['ɔ:θəʃɪp] (n) - авторство  
**automated fingerprint identification system (AFIS)** - автоматизированная система идентификации по отпечаткам пальцев  
**autopsy** ['ɔ:təpsi] (n) - аутопсия, вскрытие трупа  
**average** ['æv(ə)rɪdʒ] (adj) - нормальный, обыкновенный, обычный, средний  
**avoid** [ə'vɔɪd] (v) - избегать  
**axe** [æks] (n) - топор  
**axis** ['æksɪs] (n), **axes** (n pl) - ось, осевая линия

## - B b -

**backup** ['bækʌp] (adj) - запасной, резервный  
**backyard** [ˌbæk'jɑ:d] (n) - задний двор  
**bag** [bæg] (n) - пакет  
**ballistics** [bə'lɪstɪks] (n) - баллистика  
**ballpoint pen** ['bɔ:lpɔɪnt pen] - шариковая ручка  
**barrel** ['bær(ə)l] (n) - ствол, дуло (оружия)  
**barrier tape** ['bæriə teɪp] (n) - оградительная лента  
**be aware!** [ə'weə] - обратите внимание!  
**beam** [bi:m] (n) - луч, испускаемое излучение  
**bear** [beə] (v) - *книжн.* нести, иметь, касаться,  
**beard** [biəd] (n) - борода  
**beat** [bi:t] (v) - биться, стучать (о сердце, дожде); обмануть (полиграф)  
**beating** ['bi:tɪŋ] (n) - биение, стук  
**bed bug** [bed bʌg] (n) - клоп  
**beetle** ['bi:tl] (n) - жук  
**behaviour** [bi'heɪvjər] (n) - поведение  
**behavioural** [bi'heɪvjərəl], [bə-] (adj) - поведенческий  
**belong (to)** [bi'lɒŋ] (v) - принадлежать  
**biohazard** [ˌbaɪəʊ'hæzəd] (adj) - биологически опасный  
**biology** [baɪ'ɒlədʒi] (n) - биология  
**biometric** [ˌbaɪəʊ'metrik] (adj) - биометрический  
**biometrics** [ˌbaɪəʊ'metɪks] (n) - биометрия, идентификация человека по его пожизненным уникальным биологическим параметрам (отпечаткам пальцев, радужной оболочке глаза, голосу, овалу лица, геометрии руки и др.)  
**biometry** [baɪ'ɒmɪtri] (n) - биометрия  
**bit** [bɪt] (n) - кусочек; частица, небольшое количество  
**bite-mark** [baɪt mɑ:k] (n) - след укуса  
**blacken** ['blæk(ə)n] (v) - чернеть  
**blade** [bleɪd] (n) - лезвие  
**bleed** [bli:d] (v) - кровоточить; истекать кровью  
**bleeding** ['bli:dɪŋ] (n) - кровотечение

**bloating** ['bləʊtɪŋ] (n) - вздутие, разбухание  
**blood** [blʌd] (n) - кровь  
**bloodshed** ['blʌdʃed] (n) - кровопролитие; резня, бойня  
**bloodstain** ['blʌdsten] (n) - пятно крови  
**blow fly** [bləʊ flai] (n) - трупная муха  
**body** ['bɒdi] (n) - тело, труп  
**body farm** ['bɒdi fa:m] (n) - трупная ферма  
**bond** [bɒnd] (n) - связь, узы; сцепка  
**bone** [bəʊn] (n) - кость  
**botany** ['bɒtəni] (n) - ботаника  
**booties** ['bu:tɪz] (n, pl) - бахилы  
**bootlegging** ['bu:tleɡɪŋ] (n) - бутлегерство (незаконная торговля спиртными напитками или другими ограниченными в обращении товарами)  
**borrow** ['bɒrəʊ] (v) - занимать, брать на время  
**bottle opener** ['bɒtl 'əʊp(ə)nə] (n) - открывалка  
**bottom** ['bɒtəm] (n) - низ, нижняя часть; днище; дно  
**box** [bɒks] (n) - коробка; поле, ячейка, таблица  
**brainchild** ['breɪnfɑɪld] (n) - замысел, идея; изобретение  
**brand** [brænd] (n) - торговая марка, бренд  
**break** [breɪk] (v) - ломать, разбивать  
**breast milk** [breɪst mɪlk] (n) - грудное молоко  
**breathe** [bri:ð] (v) - дышать; вдыхать, выдыхать  
**breathing** ['bri:ðɪŋ] (n) - дыхание  
**brush** [brʌʃ] (n) - кисть, кисточка  
**bug** [bʌg] (n) - букашка, мелкое насекомое; жук  
**bullet** ['bulɪt] (n) - пуля  
**bunny suit** ['bʌni s(j)u:t] (n) - костюм кролика  
**buried** ['berɪd] (p.p.) - захороненный, закопанный  
**bury** ['beri] (v) - хоронить, закапывать  
**butcher** ['bʊtʃə] (n) - мясник  
**butterfly** ['bʌtəflaɪ] (n) - бабочка  
**button** ['bʌtn] (n) - пуговица  
**bystander** ['baɪ'stændə] (n) - свидетель, очевидец

## - C c -

**cadaver** [kə'dævə] (n) - труп  
**caliper** ['kælɪpə] (n) - штангенциркуль  
**camera** ['kæm(ə)rə] (n) - фотоаппарат, видекамера  
**can** [kæn] (n) - жестяная банка; урна, бидон  
**canister** ['kænɪstə] (n) - жестяная банка; герметичный контейнер (для токсичных веществ)  
**canvas** ['kænvəs] (n) - полотно, холст; картина  
**cap** ['kæp] (n) - шапка, шапочка  
 (v) - снимать головной убор  
**capability** [ˌkeɪpə'bɪləti] (n) - способность, возможность  
**capture** ['kæptʃə] (n) - захват, задержание; поимка  
 (v) - захватить, брать в плен; фиксировать, записывать (на фото-, кино-, видеопленку)  
**carpet** ['kɑ:pɪt] (n) - ковер, ковровое покрытие  
**carry** ['kæri] (v) - носить, иметь при себе  
**cartilage** ['kɑ:tlɪdʒ] (n) - хрящ  
**cartoon** ['kɑ:'tu:n] (n) - карикатура, комикс  
**cartridge** ['kɑ:trɪdʒ] (n) - патрон  
**case** [keɪs] (n) - случай; дело; чемодан; гильза  
**casing** ['keɪsɪŋ] (n) - гильза  
**casual** ['kæʒwəl] (adj) - случайный, повседневный



- cast** [kɑːst] (*n*) - зл. (гипсовый) слепок
- cataloging** ['kæt(ə)lɒɡɪŋ] (*n*) - каталогизация
- catastrophe** [kə'tæstrəfi] (*n*) - катастрофа, трагедия
- cause** [kɔːz] (*n*) - причина
- cavity (oral and nasal)** ['kævəti] (*n*) -  
полость (ротовая, носовая)
- ceiling** ['siːlɪŋ] (*n*) - потолок; полог, навес
- cell** [sel] (*n*) - клетка
- century** ['senʃ(ə)rɪ] (*n*) - столетие; век
- chain** [tʃeɪn] (*n*) - цепь, цепочка
- chain of custody** ['klastədi] (*n*) - система непрерывного документированного хранения
- chalk** [tʃɔːk] (*n*) - мел
- challenge** ['tʃælɪndʒ] (*n*) - вызов
- character** ['kærəktə] (*n*) - характер, герой, образ
- charge** [tʃɑːdʒ] (*n*) - зл. обвинение
- chart** [tʃɑːt] (*n*) - график, диаграмма, схема, таблица
- check out** [] (*v*) - проверить; заценить (*сленг.*)
- chemical** ['kemɪk(ə)l] (*n*) - химикат; химреагент  
(*adj*) - химический
- chemist** ['kemɪst] (*n*) - химик
- chemistry** ['kemɪstri] (*n*) - химия
- chest** [tʃest] (*n*) - грудная клетка
- chip** [tʃɪp] (*n*) - тонкая пластинка  
(отколотая, отсечённая от чего-л.)
- christen** ['krɪs(ə)n] (*v*) - окрестить
- cigar roach** [sɪ'gaː rəʊʃ] (*n*) - окурок
- cipher** ['saɪfə] (*n*) - код, шифр
- circle** ['sɜːkl] (*n*) - круг
- circular** ['sɜːkjələ] (*adj*) - круглый, округлый
- circumstance** ['sɜːkəmstæn(t)s] (*n*) - обстоятельство
- circumstantial** [sɜːkəm'stænʃ(ə)l] (*adj*) - косвенный
- civil** ['sɪv(ə)l] (*adj*) - гражданский, штатский
- civilian** [sɪ'vɪliən] (*n*), (*adj*) - гражданский
- claim** [kleɪm] (*v*) - заявлять, утверждать
- classification** [ˌklæsɪfɪ'keɪʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - классификация
- classify** ['klæsɪfaɪ] (*v*) - классифицировать,  
систематизировать
- clay pot** [kleɪ pɒt] (*n*) - глиняный горшок
- cleaner** ['kliːnə] (*n*) - уборщик, уборщица
- clearly** ['kliəli] (*adv*) - ясно; очевидно; несомненно
- clinical** ['klɪnɪk(ə)l] (*adj*) - клинический
- cloak** [kləʊk] (*n*) - плащ; мантия
- close** [kləʊz] (*v*) - закрывать  
(*adj*) - близко расположенный
- closely** ['kləʊslɪ] (*adv*) - пристально, близко
- close-up photos** - фото с близкого расстояния
- clue** [kluː] (*n*) - улика
- clumping** [ˈklʌmpɪŋ] (*n*) - свертывание (крови),
- coagulate** [kəu'ægjəleɪt] (*v*) - свёртываться
- cockpit** [] (*n*) **voice recorder** - черный ящик (самолёта)
- cockroach** ['kɒkrəʊʃ] (*n*) - свёртываться
- coffin fly** ['kɒfɪn flai] (*n*) - горбатка, форида  
(насекомое-падальщик)
- coin** [kɔɪn] (*n*) - монета
- cold-blooded** [ˌkəʊld'blʌdɪd] (*adj*) - хладнокровный
- coldness** ['kəʊldnəs] (*n*) - холод, холодность, околечение
- cold steel weapon** - холодное оружие
- collect** [kə'lekt] (*v*) - собирать
- collection** [kə'lektʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - сбор, собиране
- comb (a crime scene)** [kəʊm] (*v*) - прочесывать  
(место преступления)
- combine** [kəm'baɪn] (*v*) - объединять, сочетать
- come up with** (*v*) - придумать
- commit** [kə'mɪt] (*v*) - совершать
- common** ['kɒmən] (*adj*) - общий
- commonly** ['kɒmənli] (*adv*) - обычно, обыкновенно,  
как правило, в большинстве случаев
- comparison** [kəm'pærɪs(ə)n] (*n*) - сопоставление,  
сравнение
- compartment** [kəm'pɑːtmənt] (*n*) - отсек, отделение
- compile** [kəm'paɪl] (*v*) - выбирать информацию,  
собирать материал (из разных источников)
- compound** ['kɒmpaʊnd] (*n*) - смесь
- comprehensive** [ˌkɒmprɪ'hen(t)sɪv] (*adj*) -  
всесторонний, полный, всеобъемлющий
- compromise** ['kɒmprəmaɪz] (*v*) - зл. подвергать риску
- concentrate** ['kɒn(t)s(ə)ntreɪt] (*v*) - концентрировать
- conceal** [kən'siːl] (*v*) - скрывать; утаивать, умалчивать
- concept** ['kɒnsept] (*n*) - понятие, идея
- conclude** [kən'kluːd] (*v*) - делать вывод
- conclusion** [kən'kluːz(ə)n] (*n*) - умозаключение
- condition** [kən'dɪʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - обстоятельства, условия
- confess** [kən'fes] (*v*) - признавать, исповедоваться
- confession** [kən'feʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - признание (вины), исповедь
- confidence** ['kɒnfɪd(ə)ns] (*n*) - доверие; уверенность
- confident** ['kɒnfɪd(ə)nt] (*adj*) - уверенный в себе,  
доверительный
- confuse** [kən'fjuːz] (*v*) - путать
- confused** [kən'fjuːzd] (*adj*) - озадаченный;  
поставленный в тупик; спутанный
- connect** [kə'nekt] (*v*) - соединять; связывать
- connecting stroke** [strəʊk] - соединение букв
- conscious** ['kɒn(t)ʃəs] (*adj*) - сознательный, осознанный;  
находящийся в сознании
- consciously** ['kɒn(t)ʃəsli] (*adv*) - сознательно, осознанно
- consciousness** ['kɒn(t)ʃəsnəs] (*n*) - сознание
- consider** [kən'sɪdə] (*v*) - рассматривать
- considerably** [kən'sɪd(ə)rəbli] (*adv*) - значительно, много
- consolidate** [kən'sɒlɪdeɪt] (*v*) - объединять;  
делать твёрдым, твердеть
- constant** ['kɒn(t)stənt] (*adj*) - постоянный,  
непрерывный, неизменный
- constantly** ['kɒn(t)stəntli] (*adv*) - непрерывно,  
непрестанно, постоянно
- constellation** [ˌkɒn(t)stə'leɪʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - созвездие
- contain** [kən'teɪn] (*v*) - содержать в себе, включать
- container** [kən'teɪnə] (*n*) - контейнер, тара  
(для хранения и перевозки чего-л.)
- contaminate** [kən'tæmɪneɪt] (*v*) - загрязнять, портить
- contamination** [kən'tæmɪ'neɪʃ(ə)n] (*n*) - загрязнение
- contract** ['kɒntrækt] (*n*) - контракт, договор
- contract** [kən'trækt] (*v*) - сжимать(ся); сокращать(ся)
- contribute** ['kɒntrɪbjʊːt] (*v*) - способствовать
- controversial** [ˌkɒntrə'vɜːʃl] (*adj*) - спорный,  
сомнительный; дискуссионный
- convergence** [kən'vɜːdʒ(ə)n(t)s] (*n*) -  
схождение в одной точке
- conviction** [kən'vɪkʃn] (*n*) - осуждение,  
признание виновным



# Vocabulary

**coolness** ['ku:lənəs] (n) - спокойствие, невозмутимость  
**cord** [kɔ:d] (n) (**vocal cords**) - связка (вокальные связки)  
**cordon** ['kɔ:d(ə)n] (n) - кордон; охрана; оцепление  
**cork-screw** ['kɔ:kskru:] (n) - штопор  
**corpse** [kɔ:ps] (n) - труп  
**corroborate (the alibi)** [kə'rɒb(ə)reit] (v) - подтверждать (алиби)  
**cotton** ['kɒt(ə)n] (n) - хлопок, вата  
**counterfeit** ['kauntəfɪt] (n) - подделка, фальшивка  
 (adj) - поддельный; фальшивый  
 (v) - подделывать  
**counterfeiter** ['kauntəfɪtə] (n) - фальшивомонетчик  
**counterfeiting** ['kauntəfɪtɪŋ] (n) - подделка, незаконное изготовление  
**countertop** ['kauntətɒp] (n) - рабочая поверхность; столешница  
**court** [kɔ:t] (n) - суд  
**cover** ['kʌv] (v) - покрывать  
**cover up** ['kʌv] (v) - скрыть (следы преступления)  
**crash** [kræʃ] (n) - авария, крушение  
**create** [kri'eɪt] (v) - создавать, творить  
**creation** [kri'eɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - создание, творение  
**credible** ['kredəbl] (adj) - заслуживающий доверия, надёжный  
**crenellate** ['krenələit] (v) - сооружать  
**crenellated** ['kren(ə)leɪtɪd] (adj) - зубчатый  
**crime** [kraɪm] (n) - преступление  
**crime scene** [kraɪm si:n] (n) - место преступления  
**criminal** ['krɪmɪn(ə)l] (n) - преступник  
 (adj) - преступный; уголовный  
**criminalist** ['krɪmɪn(ə)list] (n) - криминалист  
**criminalistics** [ˌkrɪmɪnə'lɪstɪks] (n) - криминалистика  
**criminology** [ˌkrɪmɪ'nɒlədʒɪ] (n) - криминология  
**critic** ['krɪtɪk] (n) - критик  
**critical** ['krɪtɪk(ə)l] (adj) - важный, решающий  
**cross-contamination** [krɒs-kən,tæmɪ'neɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - перекрёстное загрязнение  
**crowd** [kraʊd] (n) - толпа,  
 (v) - переполнять  
**crowded** ['kraʊdɪd] (adj) - переполненный  
**crucial** ['kru:ʃ(ə)l] (adj) - ключевой; решающий  
**cry** [kraɪ] (n) - крик, вопль  
**cryptanalysis** [ˌkriptə'næləsəs] (n) - криптоанализ  
**culprit** ['kʌlprɪt] (n) - преступник; правонарушитель  
**cursor** ['kɜ:s(ə)rɪ] (adj) - беглый, поверхностный  
**curtain** ['kɜ:t(ə)n] (n) - занавеска, штора  
**curved ridge** ['kɜ:v d rɪdʒ] - изогнутая бороздка, линия  
**custom** ['kʌstəm] (n) - обычай, традиция  
**cut** [kʌt] (n) - порез, глубокая рана  
 (v) - резать; стричь; укорачивать  
**cypher** ['saɪfə] (n) - код, шифр, ключ

- D d -

**dactyloscopy** [ˌdæktɪ'lɒskəpi] (n) - дактилоскопия  
**dagger** ['dægə] (n) - кинжал  
**damage** ['dæmɪdʒ] (n) - вред, повреждение  
 (v) - повреждать, портить  
**dandruff** ['dændrʌf] (n) - перхоть

**data** ['deɪtə] (n pl) - данные, сведения; информация  
**database** ['deɪtəbeɪs] (n) - база данных  
**dead** [ded] (adj) - мёртвый; умерший; дохлый  
**dead body** (n) - труп  
**deal (with)** [di:l] (v) - иметь дело (с)  
**death** [deθ] (n) - смерть  
**decay** [di'keɪ] (n) - гниение, разложение  
**decease** [di'si:s] (n) - гибель, кончина, смерть  
**deceased** [di'si:st] (n) - покойник  
**decipher** [di'saɪfə] (v) - разгадывать, расшифровывать  
**decline** [di'klaɪn] (v) - спускаться, падать, уменьшаться  
**decompose** [ˌdi:kəm'pəʊz] (v) - гнить, портиться, разлагаться  
**decomposition** [ˌdi:kəm'pəʊzɪʃn] (n) - гниение, разложение  
**deep** [di:p] (adj) - глубокий  
**definitely** ['def(ə)nətli] (adv) - определённо, точно  
**degree** [di'ɡri:] (n) - степень, уровень  
**delay** [di'lei] (v) - откладывать, задерживать, замедлять  
**delta** ['deltə] (n) - дельта, устье реки  
**dental** ['dent(ə)l] (adj) - зубной  
**dent** [dent] (n) - вмятина, насечка, зарубка  
 (v) - нарезать, насекать, зазубривать  
**deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA)** (n) - дезоксирибонуклеиновая кислота, ДНК  
**depict** [di'pɪkt] (v) - изображать на картине, рисовать  
**depiction** [di'pɪkʃn] (n) - изображение, картина  
**deploy** [di'plɔɪ] (v) - вводить в действие  
**deposit** [di'pɒzɪt] (v) - зд. оставлять после себя  
**depth** [depθ] (n) - глубина  
**derelict** ['derəlɪkt] (adj) - покинутый, брошенный  
**derivation** [ˌderɪ'veɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - словообразование, однокоренное слово; происхождение слова  
**derived** [di'raɪvd] (p.p.) - производный  
**describe** [di'skraɪb] (v) - описывать  
**description** [di'skripʃn] (n) - описание  
**desert** ['dezət] (n) - пустыня; пустынный район  
 (adj) - заброшенный, безлюдный  
**design** [di'zaɪn] (n) - замысел, план, чертёж, модель  
 (v) - придумывать, разрабатывать  
**desktop (computer)** ['deskɒp] - настольный компьютер  
**destroy** [di'strɔɪ] (v) - разрушать, ломать, портить  
**detail** ['di:teɪl] (n) - подробность; деталь  
**detect** [di'tekt] (v) - открывать, обнаруживать  
**detection** [di'tekʃ(ə)n] (n) - выявление, обнаружение  
**detective** [di'tektɪv] (n) - детектив, оперативный работник  
**detector** [di'tektə] (n) - прибор для обнаружения, детектор  
**determine** [di'tɜ:mɪn] (v) - определять  
**detonate** ['detəneɪt] (v) - взрывать; взрываться  
**device** [di'vaɪs] (n) - устройство  
**dialectology** [ˌdaɪəlek'tɒlədʒɪ] (n) - диалектология  
**diamond plate flooring** - рифленый (алюминиевый) настил на пол  
**diagnose** [ˌdaɪəgnəʊz] (v) - ставить диагноз  
**diagnosis** [ˌdaɪəgnəʊsɪs] (n) - диагноз  
**diary** ['daɪəri] (n) - дневник  
**die** [daɪ] (v) - умирать  
**differ** ['dɪfə] (v) - отличаться, иметь иное мнение  
**differentiate** [ˌdɪf(ə)'ren(t)ʃieɪt] (v) - различать  
**digital (device)** ['dɪdʒɪt(ə)l] (adj) - цифровое устройство



**digitalise** ['dɪdʒɪt(ə), laɪz] (v) - оцифровывать  
**diligence** ['dɪlɪdʒ(ə)ns] (n) - старание, усердие  
**dimension** [daɪ'men(t)ʃn] (n) - измерение, размер  
**diminish** [dɪ'mɪnɪʃ] (v) - убывать, уменьшаться  
**direct** [dɪ'rekt], [daɪ-] (adj) - прямой  
**direction** [dɪ'rekʃn] (n) - направление  
**directly** [dɪ'rektlɪ] (adv) - прямо; непосредственно  
**dirt** [dɜ:t] (n) - грязь  
**dirty** ['dɜ:ti] (adj) - грязный, запачканный  
**disarticulate** [dɪsɑ:'tɪkjuleɪt] (v) - разъединять, расчленять  
**disaster** [dɪ'zɑ:stə] (n) - беда, бедствие  
**disclose** [dɪs'kləʊz] (v) - выявлять, обнаруживать  
**discover** [dɪ'skʌvə] (v) - обнаруживать, находить  
**discovery** [dɪ'skʌv(ə)rɪ] (n) - открытие; обнаружение  
**disease** [dɪ'zi:z] (n) - болезнь  
**disguise** [dɪs'gaɪz] (v) - скрывать, маскировать  
**disgusting** [dɪs'gʌstɪŋ] (adj) - отвратительный, противный  
**distinctive** [dɪ'stɪŋktɪv] (adj) - отличительный, характерный; особенный, особый  
**distribute** [dɪ'strɪbjʊ:t] (v) - распределять, распространять  
**disturb** [dɪ'stɜ:b] (v) - беспокоить; нарушать; портить  
**disturbance** [dɪ'stɜ:b(ə)ns] (n) - нарушение; беспорядок; повреждение  
**diverse** [daɪ'vɜ:s] (adj) - разнообразный, разный; иной  
**diversity** [daɪ'vɜ:sɪtɪ] (n) - многообразие; несхожесть  
**division** [dɪ'vɪʒ(ə)n] (n) - раздел, подразделение  
**document** ['dɒkjumənt] (n) - документ (v) - документировать  
**documents in dispute** (n) - спорный документ (подлежащий экспертизе)  
**donate** [dəʊ'neɪt] (v) - дарить, жаловать, жертвовать  
**donation** [dəʊ'neɪʃn] (n) - пожертвование, дар  
**dose** [dəʊs] (n) - доза  
**dot** [dɒt] (n) - точка; пятнышко  
**doubt** [daʊt] (n) - сомнение, неопределённость, неясность (v) - сомневаться, быть неуверенным  
**draft** [dra:ft] (n) - набросок, черновик, проект  
**drag** [dræg] (n) - медленное движение; волочение  
**draw** [drɔ:] (v) - рисовать; изображать; чертить  
**drawback** ['drɔ:bæk] (n) - недостаток, отрицательная сторона  
**dried** [draɪd] (adj) - засохший; сухой  
**drip** [drɪp] (n) - капающая жидкость  
**drone** [drəʊn] (n) - беспилотный самолёт  
**drop** [drɒp] (n) - зд. капля  
**droplet** ['drɒplət] (n) - капелька  
**drug** [drʌg] (n) - лекарство; наркотик  
**dry** [draɪ] (v) - сушить; высушивать (adj) - сухой  
**dump** [dʌmp] (v) - бросать в спешке  
**dust** [dʌst] (n) - пыль; прах  
**dusty** ['dʌstɪ] (adj) - пыльный, покрытый пылью  
**dwelling** ['dwelɪŋ] (n) - жилое помещение, жилой дом

- E e -

**e.g.** [ɪ:'dʒi:] (от лат. «*exempli gratia*») - например  
**ear wax** [ɪə wæks] (n) - ушная сера  
**edge** [edʒ] (n) - кромка, край; грань, граница; лезвие

**effective** [ɪ'fektɪv] (adj) - действенный, результативный, эффективный  
**effectiveness** [ɪ'fektɪvnəs] (n) - эффективность, результативность  
**effort** ['efət] (n) - усилие, попытка  
**egg** [eg] (n) - яйцо; яйцеклетка  
**eject** [ɪ'dʒekt] (v) - выбрасывать, выталкивать  
**ejector** [ɪ'dʒektə] (n) - эжектор, выбрасыватель; катапульта  
**elevate** ['elɪveɪt] (v) - поднимать  
**eliminate** [ɪ'lɪmɪneɪt], [ə-] (v) - устранять, исключать; уничтожать, ликвидировать, аннулировать  
**elliptical** [ɪ'lɪptɪk(ə)l] (n) - эллиптический  
**elongated** [ɪ'lɒŋgeɪtɪd] (adj) - вытянутый, продолговатый  
**eloquent** ['eləkwənt] (adj) - красноречивый  
**emergency** [ɪ'mɜ:dʒ(ə)n(t)sɪ], [ɪ:-] (n) - чрезвычайное положение; крайность; авария  
**employee** [ɪ'mplɔɪ'i:] (n) - служащий, сотрудник  
**enemy** ['enəmi] (n) - враг; антагонист, недруг, противник  
**engage** [ɪn'geɪdʒ], [en-] (v) - привлекать, нанимать  
**engineer** [ˌendʒɪ'nɪə] (n) - инженер  
**enlarged photo** (n) - увеличенное фото  
**ensure** [ɪn'ʃʊə] (v) - гарантировать, обеспечивать  
**entirely** [ɪn'taɪəli], [en-] (adv) - полностью, совершенно  
**entomology** [ˌentə'mɒlədʒɪ] (n) - энтомология  
**entry** ['entri] (n) - вход  
**envelope** ['envələʊp] (n) - конверт, упаковка  
**environment** [ɪn'vaɪə(ə)n(mənt)] (n) - окружающая среда  
**environmental** [ɪn, vaɪə(ə)n'ment(ə)l] (adj) - относящийся к окружающей среде  
**equipment** [ɪ'kwɪpmənt] (n) - оборудование, экипировка  
**erect** [ɪ'rekt] (v) - сооружать; устанавливать; возводить  
**error** ['erə] (n) - заблуждение; оплошность, ошибка  
**escape** [ɪs'keɪp] (n) - бегство; побег (v) - совершать побег  
**establish** [ɪs'tæblɪʃ] (v) - учреждать, устанавливать  
**etch** [etʃ] (v) - гравировать; запечатлеть  
**ethics** ['eθɪks] (n) - этика  
**eurika** [jʊə'ri:kə] (n) - эврика  
**evaluate** [ɪ'væljuet] (v) - оценивать  
**event** [ɪ'vent] (n) - событие, мероприятие  
**eventually** [ɪ'ventʃʊəli] (adv) - в конце концов  
**evidence** ['eɪvɪd(ə)ns] (n) - доказательство, улика  
**evidence flag** (n) - флажок для указания улики  
**exact** [ɪg'zækt] (adj) - безошибочный, точный  
**exactly** [ɪg'zæktli] (adv) - точно  
**examination** [ɪg,zæmɪ'neɪʃn] (n) - осмотр, изучение  
**examine** [ɪg'zæmɪn] (v) - осматривать, исследовать  
**examiner** [ɪg'zæmɪnə] (n) - исследователь, эксперт  
**excavate** ['ekskəveɪt] (n) - копать, рыть; выкапывать  
**exceedingly** [ɪk'si:dnɪŋli] (adv) - весьма, очень, сильно, чрезвычайно  
**except** [ɪk'sept] (prep) - кроме, за исключением  
**exchange** [ɪks'tʃeɪndʒ] (n) - обмен  
**exchange principle** (n) - принцип обмена  
**excited** [ɪk'saɪtɪd] (adj) - взволнованный, напряжённый  
**excitement** [ɪk'saɪtmənt] (n) - возбуждение, волнение  
**exclude** [ɪks'klu:d] (v) - исключать  
**exhaust fan** [ɪg'zɔ:st fæn] (n) - вытяжной вентилятор  
**exhibit** [ɪg'zɪbɪt] (n) - улика



# Vocabulary

**exhume** [eks'(h)ju:m] (v) - выкапывать из земли  
**exhumed remains** (n pl) - эксгумированные останки  
**exist** [ig'zist] (v) - существовать, иметься в природе  
**expert** ['ekspɜ:t] (n) - знаток, эксперт  
**expertise** [ˌekspɜ:'ti:z] (n) - экспертиза; экспертная оценка  
**explosion** [ik'spləʊz(ə)n] (n) - взрыв; взрывание  
**explosive** [ik'spləʊsɪv] (adj) - взрывчатый  
**expose** [ik'spəʊz] (v) - обнажать, делать видимым, показывать, выставлять напоказ  
**exterior** [ik'stiəriə] (adj) - внешний, наружный  
**external** [ik'stɜ:n(ə)l] (adj) - внешний, наружный  
**extortion** [ik'stɔ:ʃn] (n) - вымогательство  
**extract** [ik'strækt] (n) - фрагмент  
(v) - извлекать  
**extraction** [ik'strækʃn] (n) - извлечение; выбор, выборка  
**extreme** [iks'tri:m] (adj) - самый отдалённый, крайний, предельный  
**extremely** [iks'tri:mlɪ] (adv) - чрезвычайно  
**eyelash** ['aɪlæʃ] (n) - ресница  
**eye-witness** (n) - свидетель-очевидец

## - Ff -

**facial** ['feɪʃl] (adj) - лицевой  
**facilitate** [fə'sɪlɪteɪt] (v) - облегчать; способствовать; помогать  
**facility** [fə'sɪlətɪ] (n) - зд. оборудование, приспособления, аппарататура  
**factual** ['fæktʃuəl] (adj) - фактический, действительный  
**fade** [feɪd] (v) - вянуть, увядать; тускнеть; выгорать, выцветать, блёкнуть  
**fail** [feɪl] (v) - потерпеть крах, провалиться  
**failure** ['feɪljə] (n) - неудача, неуспех, провал  
**faith** [feɪθ] (n) - вера, доверие  
**false** [fɔ:ls] (adj) - неправильный, ошибочный  
**falsely** ['fɔ:lsli] (adv) - ложно, ошибочно  
**faulty** ['fɔ:ltɪ] (adj) - ложный, ошибочный  
**feature** ['fi:tʃə] (n) - особенность, характерная черта  
**fecal matter** ['fi:k(ə)l 'mætə] (n) - фекалии  
**feed (on)** [fi:d] (v) - питаться, кормиться  
**feedback** ['fi:dbæk] (n) - отклик, отзыв, обратная связь  
**feeling** ['fi:lɪŋ] (n) - ощущение, чувство  
**fellow scientist** ['feləʊ 'saɪəntɪst] (n) - последователь  
**felon** ['felən] (n) - опасный уголовный преступник  
**felony** ['felənɪ] (n) - тяжкое уголовное преступление  
**female** ['fi:meɪl] (n) - женщина; девушка  
**fence** [fens] (n) - забор, изгородь, ограждение  
**fiction** ['fɪkʃ(ə)n] (n) - выдумка; литературное произведение  
**fictional** ['fɪkʃ(ə)n(ə)l] (adj) - вымышленный  
**fibre** ['fɪkʃ(ə)n] (n) - волокно  
**field** [fi:ld] (n) - поле  
**field analyst** [fi:ld 'æn(ə)lɪst] (n) - криминалист, работающий на месте преступления  
**figure** ['fɪɡə] (n) - личность; цифра; иллюстрация  
**file** [faɪl] (n) - дело; досье; файл  
**filing** ['faɪlɪŋ] (n) - опиловка, снятие металлической стружки; хранение данных  
**find** [faɪnd] (v) - находить, обнаруживать

**finding** ['faɪnd] (n) - зд. заключение, вывод  
**finger** ['fɪŋɡə] (n) - палец (на руке)  
**fingerprint** ['fɪŋɡəprɪnt] (n) - отпечаток пальца  
**fingerprinting** ['fɪŋɡəprɪntɪŋ] (n) - снятие отпечатков пальцев  
**finger tip** ['fɪŋɡətɪp] (n) - кончик пальца  
**fire** ['faɪə] (n) - огонь, пламя  
**firearm** ['faɪə(r)ɑ:m] (n) - огнестрельное оружие  
**fired bullet** (n) - стрелянная пуля  
**firing pin** (n) - ударник; боёк ударника  
**fit** [fɪt] (v) - подходить, соответствовать, уместать  
**fix** [fɪks] (v) - фиксировать  
**flashlight** ['flæʃlaɪt] (n) - электрический фонарик  
**flattened (nose)** ['flæt(ə)nd] (adj) - приплюснутый (нос)  
**flaw** [flɔ:] (n) - изъян, дефект  
**flatten out** ['flæt(ə)n] (v) - становится ровным, плоским  
**flawed question** - некорректно заданный вопрос  
**flea** [fli:] (n) - блоха  
**fleeting** ['fli:tɪŋ] (adj) - быстрый, мимолётный, скоротечный  
**flesh** [fleʃ] (n) - плоть  
**flight** [flaɪt] (n) - полёт, рейс  
**flopping** [flɒpɪŋ] (adj) - покаты (лоб)  
**flow stain** - стекающее вниз пятно  
**fly** [flaɪ] (n) - муха  
**focus** ['fəʊkəs] (n) - фокус  
(v) - концентрироваться  
**follicle** ['fɒlɪkl] (n) - анат. мешочек, сумка, фолликул  
**follow** ['fɒləʊ] (v) - следовать, идти за  
**font** [fɒnt] (n) - шрифт  
**footprint** ['fʊtprɪnt] (n) - след, отпечаток (ноги)  
**footwear** ['fʊtwɛə] (adj) - зд. с определенными индивидуальными признаками ношения обуви  
**force** [fɔ:s] (n) - сила  
**forearm** ['fɔ:(r)ɑ:m] (n) - предплечье  
**forehead** ['fɒrɪd] (n) - лоб  
**forensic** [fə'rensɪk] (adj) - судебный  
**forensic analyst** (n) - судебный эксперт  
**forensic scientist** (n) - судебный эксперт  
**forensic science** (n) - судебная наука  
**forensics** [fə'renzɪsk] (n) - судебная наука  
**forge** [fɔ:dʒ] (v) - обманывать, подделывать  
**forgery** ['fɔ:dʒ(ə)rɪ] (n) - подделка, подлог  
**fork** [fɔ:k] (n) - вилка; вилы, грабли  
**formula** ['fɔ:mjələ] (n) - формула  
**fortunately** ['fɔ:ʃ(ə)nətli] (adv) - к счастью  
**fortune** ['fɔ:ʃu:n] (n) - судьба; счастье, удача  
**founding father** (n) - отец-основатель  
**fragile** ['frædʒaɪl] (adj) - ломкий, хрупкий  
**fragment** ['frægmənt] (n) - осколок, фрагмент  
**fraud** [frɔ:d] (n) - обман; мошенничество  
**fraudulent** ['frɔ:dʒələnt] (adj) - обманной; мошеннический, жульнический  
**frequency** ['fri:kwənsɪ] (n) - частота, частотность  
**fresh** [freʃ] (adj) - свежий  
**friction ridge** - бороздки на папиллярном узоре  
**full-body suit** - костюм, покрывающий всё тело  
**fume** [fju:m] (v) - дымить, загазовывать; курить  
**fuming chamber** - окуривающая, дымовая камера (для выявления скрытых отпечатков пальцев)



**fund** [fʌnd] (v) - финансировать  
**fuselage** ['fju:z(ə)la:ʒ] (n) - корпус, фюзеляж

## - Gg -

**gait** [geɪt] (n) - походка  
**gambling** ['gæmblɪŋ] (n) - азартная игра; игра на деньги  
**gang** [gæŋ] (n) - банда, артель, группа людей  
**gangster** ['gæŋstə] (n) - бандит, гангстер  
**gap** [gæp] (n) - пробел, интервал, пропуск  
**gather** ['gæðə] (v) - собирать  
**generator** ['dʒen(ə)reɪtə] (n) - источник энергии; генератор  
**genetic** [dʒi'netɪk] (adj) - генетический  
**genetics** [dʒi'netiks] (n) - генетика  
**genuine** ['dʒenjuɪn] (adj) - истинный, подлинный,

неподдельный; реальный

**glance** [glɑ:n(t)s] (n) - (быстрый) взгляд  
**glance at** [glɑ:n(t)s] (v) - бросить взгляд  
**glass** [glɑ:s] (n) - стекло, бокал, фужер  
**glass slide** (n) - предметное стекло  
**glasses** ['glɑ:sɪz] (n pl) - очки  
**glossary** ['glɒs(ə)rɪ] (n) - глоссарий  
**glove** [glʌv] (n) - перчатка  
**glue** [glu:] (n) - клей  
(v) - клеить, приклеивать  
**godfather** ['gɒdfɑ:ðə] (n) - крёстный отец  
**government** ['gʌv(ə)nɪmənt] (n) - правительство  
**graduate** ['grædʒuət], [-dʒu-] (n) - выпускник  
['grædʒueɪt], [-dʒu-] (v) - оканчивать  
(высшее учебное заведение)

**graffiti** [græ'fi:tɪ] (n) - граффити  
**graph** [grɑ:f] (n) - график, кривая  
**graphology** [græ'fɒlədʒɪ] (n) - графология  
**grave** [greɪv] (n) - могила; захоронение  
**gravity** ['grævɪtɪ] (n) - сила тяжести  
**grid** [grɪd] (n) - решётка, сетка  
**grinding** ['grændɪŋ] (n) - шлифовка, полировка; огранка  
**grip** [grɪp] (n) - рукоятка  
**grisly** ['grɪzli] (adj) - вызывающий ужас  
**groove** [gru:v] (n) - борозда  
**ground** [graʊnd] (n) - грунт, земля, почва  
**guideline** ['gaɪdlaɪn] (n) - инструкция,  
руководство (по использованию)

**guilt** [ɡɪlt] (n) - вина  
**gun** [ɡʌn] (n) - огнестрельное оружие; ружьё

## - Hh -

**habit** ['hæbɪt] (n) - обычай, традиция  
**hairspray** [heə spreɪ] (n) - лак для волос  
**hammer** ['hæmə] (n) - курок, ударник  
(в огнестрельном оружии)  
**handkerchief** ['hæŋkətʃɪ:f] (n) - носовой платок  
**handle (a crime scene)** ['hændl] (v) - осмотреть, обработать, справиться со всем (на месте преступления)  
**handwriting** ['hænd,raɪtɪŋ] (n) - почерк  
**harassment** [hə'reɪsmənt] (n) - харассмент агрессия, оскорбление, притеснение

**hatch** [hætʃ] (v) - вылупляться из яйца, выводиться  
**head** [hed] (n) - голова  
**health** [helθ] (n) - здоровье  
**heart** [hɑ:t] (n) - сердце  
**heartbeat** ['hɑ:tbɪ:t] (n) - биение, пульсация сердца  
**heat** [hi:t] (n) - тепло, температура  
**height** [haɪt] (n) - высота, рост  
**hereditary** [hɪ'redət(ə)rɪ] (adj) - наследственный  
**hide** [haɪd] (n) - прятать(ся), скрывать(ся)  
**hidden** ['hɪd(ə)n] (p.p.) - спрятанный; невидимый  
**hiding-place** ['haɪdɪŋ,pleɪs] (n) - убежище, укрытие  
**high plain** [haɪ pleɪn] (n) - высокая равнина, плато  
**highlight** ['haɪlaɪt] (v) - подчёркивать, выделять  
**high-tech** [ ,haɪ'tek] (adj) - высокотехнологичный  
**hill** [hɪl] (n) - возвышение, возвышенность, холм  
**hilly** ['hɪli] (adj) - холмистый  
**hire** ['haɪə] (v) - нанимать, приглашать на работу  
**hit** [hɪt] (n) - толчок, удар  
**hit man** (n) - вышибала  
**hitchhike** ['hɪtʃhaɪk] (v) - путешествовать бесплатно  
на попутных машинах, автостопом  
**hold** [həʊld] (v) - держать, удерживать  
**hole (bullet hole)** [həʊl] (n) - дыра; отверстие  
(пулевое отверстие)  
**homicide** ['hɒmɪsaɪd] (n) - (человеко-)убийство  
**hood** [hud] (n) - капюшон  
**hook** [huk] (v) - прицеплять, подцепить;  
поймать на крючок; получить  
**hostage-taker** ['hɒstɪdʒ 'teɪkə] (n) - лицо,  
участвующее в захвате заложников  
**house** [haus] (v) - включать в себя  
**human** ['hju:mən] (adj) - людской, человеческий  
**human being** (n) - человек, человеческое существо  
**humidity** [hju:'mɪdətɪ] (n) - сырость, влажность  
**hurricane** ['hʌrɪkən] (n) - ураган  
**hurl** [hɜ:l] (v) - бросать с силой, метать  
**hurt** [hɜ:t] (v) - ранить; ушибить; травмировать  
**hydrogen peroxide** ['haɪdrədʒən pə'ɒksaɪd] (n) -  
перекись водорода  
**hypothesis** [haɪ'pɒθəsɪs] (n) - гипотеза, предположение  
**hypothetical** [ ,haɪpəu'tetɪkl] (adj) - гипотетический

## - Ii -

**i.e.** [aɪ 'i:] (om lam. «id est») - то есть, иными словами  
**identification** [aɪ,deɪntɪfɪ'keɪʃn] (n) - опознание,  
идентификация; установление личности  
**identifier** [ɪ'dentə,faɪə] (n) - метод опознавания;  
лицо, производящее идентификацию; опознание;  
идентификатор  
**identify** [aɪ'dentɪfaɪ] (v) - опознавать, распознавать;  
устанавливать личность  
**identity** [aɪ'dentɪtɪ] (n) - идентичность, подлинность  
**idiom** ['ɪdɪəm] (n) - идиома, диалект, наречие; жаргон  
**idler** ['aɪdlə] (n) - бездельник, прожигатель жизни  
**ignite** [ɪg'naɪt] (v) - зажигать; раскалять; загораться  
**illegal** [ɪ'li:g(ə)l] (adj) - незаконный, неправомерный  
**imagination** [ɪ,mædʒɪ'neɪʃn] (n) - воображение; фантазия  
**imagine** [ɪ'mædʒɪn] (v) - воображать, представлять себе



# Vocabulary

**immediate** [ɪ'mi:diət] (*adj*) - немедленный; неотложный  
**immediately** [ɪ'mi:diətli] (*adv*) - сразу, незамедлительно  
**immobile** [ɪ'məubail] (*adj*) - недвижимый; неподвижный  
**impact** ['impækt] (*n*) - вклад; сильное воздействие  
**impartial** [ɪm'pɑ:f(ə)l] (*adj*) - беспристрастный,

непредвзятый  
**impartiality** [ɪm'pɑ:f(ə)ləti] (*n*) - объективность, беспристрастность,

**implement** ['implɪmənt] (*v*) - осуществлять; обеспечивать выполнение

**implementation** [ɪmplɪmen'teɪʃn] (*n*) - осуществление, реализация

**importance** [ɪm'pɔ:t(ə)ns] (*n*) - значимость, важность

**important** [ɪm'pɔ:t(ə)nt] (*adj*) - значительный, важный

**impression** [ɪm'preʃn] (*n*) - впечатление; отпечаток, оттиск, след (на мягкой поверхности)

**improve** [ɪm'pru:v] (*v*) - улучшать; совершенствовать

**inch** [ɪnʃ] (*n*) - дюйм

**incident** ['ɪn(t)sɪd(ə)nt] (*n*) - случай, происшествие,

**increase** ['ɪnkri:s] (*n*) - возрастание, рост

[ɪm'kri:s] (*v*) - возрастать, расти

**incredible** [ɪn'kredɪbl] (*adj*) - невероятный, немыслимый

**independent** [ɪn'dɪpendənt] (*adj*) - независимый

**independence** [ɪn'dɪpendəns] (*n*) - независимость

**indicate** ['ɪndɪkeɪt] (*v*) - указывать; означать

**indirect** [ɪn'dɪrekt] (*adj*) - *зд.* косвенный

**individual** [ɪn'dɪvɪdʒuəl], [-dʒuəl] (*n*) - человек, лицо

**individuality** [ɪn'dɪvɪdʒuələti], [-dʒu-] (*n*) - индивидуальность, личность

**individualise** [ɪn'dɪvɪdʒuəlaɪz], [-dʒuə-] (*v*) - характеризовать, детально определять

**indoor** [ɪn'dɔ:] (*adj*) - находящийся или происходящий в помещении

**indoors** [ɪn'dɔ:z] (*adv*) - внутри дома, в помещении

**inevitably** [ɪ'nevɪtəblɪ] (*adv*) - неизбежно,

**influence** ['ɪnfluəns] (*n*) - влияние, воздействие

**influential** [ɪnflu'entʃ(ə)l] (*adj*) - влиятельный

**infrared radiation** [ɪnfrə'red ,reɪdɪ'eɪʃn] - инфракрасное излучение

**inherit** [ɪn'herrɪt] (*v*) - унаследовать, перенять

**injured** ['ɪndʒəd] (*adj*) - повреждённый; раненый; травмированный

**injury** ['ɪndʒ(ə)rɪ] (*n*) - повреждение, рана, ушиб, ущерб

**ink** [ɪŋk] (*n*) - чернила

**ink pad** (*n*) - штемпельная подушка

**innocence** ['ɪnəs(ə)ns] (*n*) - невиновность

**innocent** ['ɪnəs(ə)nt] (*adj*) - невинный, невиновный

**inoffensive** [ɪnə'fensɪv] (*adj*) - безвредный, безобидный, безопасный

**input** ['ɪnpʊt] (*n*) - вложение, вклад; ввод

**insect** ['ɪnsekt] (*n*) - насекомое

**inspect** [ɪn'spekt] (*v*) - внимательно осматривать, изучать

**inspection** [ɪn'spekʃn] (*n*) - экспертиза; официальное расследование; обследование

**inspiration** [ɪnsp(ə)'reɪʃn] (*n*) - воплощение, вдохновение

**inspire** [ɪn'spaɪə] (*v*) - побуждать, способствовать, наполнить (чувствами)

**insufficient** [ɪnəsə'fɪʃ(ə)nt] (*adj*) - недостаточный

**intact** [ɪn'tækt] (*adj*) - неповреждённый, невредимый

**integrity** [ɪn'tegrəti] (*n*) - целостность; честность

**intensity** [ɪn'tensəti] (*n*) - интенсивность; мощность

**interaction** [ɪntər'ækʃn] (*n*) - взаимодействие

**internal** [ɪn'tɜ:n(ə)l] (*adj*) - внутренний

**internship** ['ɪntɜ:npʃɪp] (*n*) - стажировка, учебная практика

**interrelationship** [ɪntərɪ'leɪʃ(ə)nʃɪp] (*n pl*) - взаимоотношение, взаимосвязь

**interrogate** [ɪn'terəgeɪt] (*v*) - допрашивать

**interrogation** [ɪn'terə'geɪʃn] (*n*) - допрос

**introduce** [ɪn'trə'dju:s] (*v*) - вводить, внедрять

**introduction** [ɪn'trə'dʌkʃn] (*n*) - введение, вступление

**inventory** ['ɪnv(ə)nt(ə)rɪ] (*n*) - описание, реестр, инвентарь

**investigate** [ɪn'vestɪgeɪt] (*v*) - расследовать;

собирать сведения

**investigation** [ɪn'vestɪ'geɪʃn] (*n*) - расследование, следствие, исследование

**investigator** [ɪn'vestɪgeɪtə] (*n*) - следователь, исследователь

**invisible** [ɪn'vɪzəbl] (*adj*) - невидимый

**involved** [ɪn'vɒlvd] (*adj*) - вовлечённый, участвующий

**iris** ['aɪərɪs] (*n*) - радужная оболочка (глаза)

- Jj -

**jaw** [dʒɔ:] (*n*) - челюсть

**jigsaw** ['dʒɪɡzɔ:] (*n*) - механический лобзик, ножовка

**judicial (case)** [dʒu:'dɪʃ(ə)l] (*adj*) - судебный

**juridical** [dʒuə'ɪdɪk(ə)l] (*adj*) - юридический; законный; правовой, судебный

**jurisprudence** ['dʒuəprɪs ,pru:d(ə)ns] (*n*) - правоведение, юриспруденция

**jurist** ['dʒuərist] (*n*) - законовед, правовед, юрист

**justice** ['dʒʌstɪs] (*n*) - справедливость, правосудие

- Kk -

**keep** [ki:p] (*v*) - держать; хранить; сохранять

**keep in mind** - иметь в виду, учитывать

**key** [ki:] (*n*) - ключ, ключевой

**keystroke** [ki: strəʊk] (*v*) - нажатие клавиши

**kill** [kɪl] (*v*) - убивать, лишать жизни

**killer** ['kɪlə] (*n*) - киллер, убийца

**kit** [kɪt] (*n*) - набор, комплект

**knife (pl. knives)** [naɪf] (*n*) - нож

- Ll -

**laboratory** [lə'bɒrət(ə)rɪ] (*n*) - лаборатория

**land** [lænd] (*v*) - приземляться, оседать

**lands** [lænd] (*n*) - *зд.* фаска, нарезка (на пули)

**laptop** ['læptɒp] (*n*) - ноутбук

**larva** ['lɑ:və] (*n*) - личинка

**laser** ['leɪzə] (*n*) - лазер

**laser scanner** (*n*) - лазерный сканер

**latent** ['leɪt(ə)nt] (*adj*) - скрытый, латентный

**latex** ['leɪteks] (*n*) - латекс

**launch** [lɔ:ntʃ] (*v*) - бросать с силой, запускать, метать

**laundry** ['lɔ:ndrɪ] (*n*) - прачечная



**law** [lɔ:] (n) - закон, право  
**law enforcement** (n) - правоприменение  
**law enforcement agencies** (n pl) - правоохранительные органы  
**law enforcement officer** (n) - сотрудник правоохранительных органов  
**law-breaker** [lɔ:' breikə] (n) - правонарушитель  
**lawyer** ['lɔɪə], ['lɔ:jə] (n) - юрист; адвокат  
**lay** [leɪ] (v) - класть, положить, хоронить  
**lay eggs** - откладывать яйца  
**lay out** - эд. выставлять, ставить  
**layer** ['leɪə] (n) - слой, пласт  
**leave** [li:v] (v) - покидать, оставлять  
**legal** ['li:g(ə)l] (adj) - легальный, законный, правовой  
**length** [leŋθ] (n) - длина  
**letter** ['letə] (n) - буква; письмо  
**leverage** ['li:v(ə)ridʒ] (v) - использовать (с выгодой)  
**liberty** ['libəti] (n) - свобода, бесцеремонность  
**lie** [laɪ] (n) - ложь, неправда, обман  
**lie-detector** (n) - детектор лжи  
**lifetime** ['laɪftaɪm] (n) - продолжительность жизни  
**light** [laɪt] (n) - свет; освещение  
**lighting rigs** (n pl) - осветительные приборы  
**limit** ['lɪmɪt] (n) - граница, предел; рубеж  
**linguistics** [lɪŋ'ɡwɪstɪks] (n) - лингвистика, языковедение  
**link** [lɪŋk] (n) - связь  
(v) - соединять, связывать  
**linkage** ['lɪŋkɪdʒ] (n) - взаимозависимость, взаимосвязь  
**lipstick** ['lɪpstɪk] (n) - губная помада  
**lipstick print** (n) - отпечаток губной помады  
**liquid** ['lɪkwɪd] (adj) - жидкий, текучий  
**lividity** [lɪ'vɪdɪti] (n) - синюшность (кожи)  
**livor mortis** (n) - лат. посмертная синюшность кожи  
**loan** [ləʊn] (n) - заем, ссуда  
**mortgage loan** - ссуда под ипотеку  
**locate** [ləu'keɪt] (v) - определять местонахождение  
**location** [ləu'keɪʃn] (n) - помещение, местоположение  
**locus delicti** ['ləʊkəs] (n) - место преступления  
**log (of visitors)** [lɒg] (n) - лог, список (посетителей)  
**loop** [lu:p] (n) - петля  
**looping** ['lu:pɪŋ] (n) - петлеобразование  
**loss** [lɒs] (n) - потеря, лишение; утрата  
**loud** [laʊd] (adj) - громкий

- М м -

**machine** [mə'ʃi:n] (n) - машина, механизм; станок  
**machine gun** (n) - автомат, пулемет  
**magazine** [ˌmæɡə'zi:n] (n) - барабан (для патронов)  
**magnet** ['mæɡnət] (n) - магнит, притягательная сила  
**magnification** [ˌmæɡnɪfɪ'keɪʃn] (n) - увеличение, увеличенное изображение, крупный план  
**magnifying glass** ['mæɡnɪfaɪŋ gla:s] (n) - лупа, увеличительное стекло  
**maintain** [meɪn'teɪn] (v) - поддерживать, сохранять  
**maggot** ['mæɡət] (n) - личинка (насекомого, обычно мухи)  
**male** [meɪl] (n) - мужчина, мужского пол  
**manpower** ['mæn.pauə] (n) - рабочая сила; личный состав

**manufacture** [ˌmænjʊ'fæktʃə] (n) - производство  
**manufacturing** [ˌmænjə'fæktʃ(ə)rɪŋ] (n) - изготовление  
**map** [mæp] (v) - отображать  
**mapping** ['mæpɪŋ] (n) - составление карты, плана  
**marbling** ['mɑ:blɪŋ] (n) - окраска под мрамор  
**margin** ['mɑ:dʒɪn] (n) - поле (страницы); кромка, край  
**marijuana** [ˌmæri'wa:nə] (n) - марихуана  
**mark** [mɑ:k] (n) - знак, метка, отпечаток, след  
(v) - отмечать, оставить след  
**marker** ['mɑ:kə] (n) - метка, зарубка  
**marking** ['mɑ:kɪŋ] (n) - отметка  
**massacre** ['mæsəkə] (n) - резня; бойня  
**match** [mætʃ] (n) - спичка  
(v) - соотнести  
**matching** (n) - соотнесение  
**maths** [mæθs] (n) - математика  
**meaning** [mi:nɪŋ] (n) - значение; смысл  
**means** [mi:nz] (n) - способ, средство  
**meanwhile** [meanwhile] (adv) - при этом, пока, между тем  
**measurable** ['mez(ə)rəbl] (adj) - измеримый, умеренный  
**measure** ['meɪzə] (v) - измерять, мерить  
**measurement** ['meɪzəmənt] (n) - снятие мерок, измерение  
**measuring tape** - измерительная рулетка  
**measuring wheel** - мерный ролик  
**medical** ['medɪk(ə)l] (adj) - врачебный, медицинский  
**medical examiner** (n) - судмедэксперт  
**medicament** [mə'dɪkəmənt] (n) - лекарство, медикамент  
**medicine** ['medɪsɪn] (n) - медицина, терапия  
**melt** [melt] (v) - таять  
**mental** ['ment(ə)l] (adj) - умственный, психический  
**mentally** ['ment(ə)li] (adv) - умственно, мысленно  
**mention** ['menʃn] (n) - упоминание  
(v) - упоминать  
**merit** ['merɪt] (n) - заслуга  
**mess** [mes] (n) - беспорядок; неразбериха; грязь  
**message** ['mesɪdʒ] (n) - сообщение, послание  
**metallurgy** [me'tælədʒɪ] (n) - металлургия  
**method** ['meθəd] (n) - метод, способ  
**microscope** ['maɪkrəskəʊp] (n) - микроскоп  
**microscopy** [maɪ'krəskəpi] (n) - микроскопия  
**mind** [maɪnd] (n) - ум, умственная деятельность  
**like minds** (n pl) - единомышленники  
**minuscule** ['mɪnəskju:l] (adj) - очень маленький  
**minute** [maɪ'n(j)u:t] (adj) - маленький, мельчайший  
**mirror** ['mɪrə] (n) - зеркало  
**miss** [mɪs] (v) - пропустить  
**mixture** ['mɪksʃə] (n) - смесь, смешивание  
**mite** [maɪt] (n) - клещ  
**modus operandi** (n) - способ совершения  
**moist** [mɔɪst] (adj) - сырой; влажный, мокрый  
**moisture** ['mɔɪstʃə] (n) - влажность, сырость; влага  
**mold** [məʊld] (n) - пресс-форма; матрица; отливная форма; модель; шаблон; образец  
**molecule** ['mɒlɪkju:l] (n) - молекула  
**morgue** [mɔ:g] (n) - морг  
**mortgage** ['mɔ:ɡɪdʒ] (n) - заклад; ипотека  
**mosquito** [mɒs'ki:təʊ] (n) - комар, москит  
**moth** [mɒθ] (n) - моль, мотылёк  
**motion** ['məʊʃn] (n) - движение; сдвиг; ход (механизма)  
**motive** ['məʊtɪv] (n) - мотив, побуждение, повод



# Vocabulary

**motto** ['mɒtəʊ] (n) - девиз, лозунг  
**move** [mu:v] (v) - двигать, передвигать  
**movement** ['mu:vmənt] (n) - движение, перемещение  
**mud** [mʌd] (n) - грязь  
**mug shot** ['mʌgʃɒt] (n) - снимок преступника или подозреваемого для полицейского досье  
**mummy** ['mʌmi] (n) - мумия  
**murder** ['mɜ:də] (n) - убийство  
 (v) - совершать убийство  
**murderer** ['mɜ:d(ə)rə] (n) - киллер, убийца  
**muscle** ['mʌsl] (n) - мускул, мышца  
**mute** [mju:t] (adj) - немой  
**muzzle** ['mʌzl] (n) - зд. дуло  
**mystery** ['mɪst(ə)rɪ] (n) - тайна, загадка

## - Nn -

**nail** [neɪl] (n) - ноготь  
**naked eye** ['neɪkɪd aɪ] - невооруженным глазом  
**narrow (down)** ['nærəʊ] (v) - суживать; ограничивать  
**native** ['neɪtɪv] (n) - зд. абориген, коренной житель  
**natural** ['nætʃ(ə)r(ə)l] (adj) - естественный, природный  
**nature** ['neɪtʃə] (n) - природа  
**neatly** ['ni:tli] (adv) - аккуратно, четко, ясно  
**needle** ['ni:dl] (n) - игла  
**negative** ['negətɪv] (adj) - отрицательный  
**nickname** ['nɪkneɪm] (n) - прозвище  
**noise** [nɔɪz] (n) - шум  
**non-airtight** [nɒn-'eətaɪt] (adj) - воздухопроницаемый  
**non-porous** [nɒn-'pɔ:rəs] (adj) - непористый  
**noose** [nu:s] (n) - петля  
**notable** ['nəʊtəbl] (adj) - выдающийся, известный, значительный  
**note** [nəʊt] (n) - заметка, запись  
 (v) - отмечать  
**notion** ['nəʊʃn] (n) - идея, представление, понятие  
**noxious** ['nɒksjəs] (adj) - вредный, ядовитый  
**nurse** [nɜ:s] (v) - зд. тянуть (напиток), пить медленно, не спеша

## - Oo -

**oblique (light)** [ə'bli:k] (adj) - косой, рассеянный (свет)  
**observe** [əb'zɜ:v] (v) - проводить научные наблюдения  
**obtain** [əb'teɪn] (v) - получать; добывать  
**occur** [ə'kɜ:] (v) - происходить, случаться, совершаться  
**odd one out** - игра «Найди лишнее»  
**odontology** [ˌɒdəntɒlədʒɪ] (n) - одонтология  
**odour** ['əʊdə] (n) - запах  
**offence** [ə'fens] (n) - преступление, правонарушение  
**offender** [ə'fendə] (n) - преступник, правонарушитель  
**offer** [ɒfə] (v) - предлагать  
 (adj) - официальный, служебный  
**official** [ə'fɪʃ(ə)l] (n) - должностное лицо  
**officially** [ə'fɪʃ(ə)li] (adv) - официально  
**oil** [ɔɪl] (n) - масло  
**body oil** (n) - кожный жир  
**onlooker** [ɒn'lʊkə] (n) - зритель, зевака

**operational-investigative group** (n) - оперативно-следственная группа  
**opinion** [ə'pɪnjən] (n) - взгляд, мнение, убеждение  
**opportunity** [ˌɒpə'tju:nəti] (n) - возможность  
**organ** ['ɔ:gən] (n) - орган  
**organ pipe** ['ɔ:gən paɪp] (n) - органная труба  
**organism** ['ɔ:g(ə)nɪzəm] (n) - организм  
**origin** ['ɔrɪdʒɪn] (n) - начало, источник; происхождение  
**osteology** [ˌɒsti'ɒlədʒɪ] (n) - остеология  
**otherwise** ['ʌðəwaɪz] (adv) - иным образом; по-другому  
**outdoor** [ˌaʊt'dɔ:] (adj) - находящийся или совершающийся вне помещения  
**outdoors** [ˌaʊt'dɔ:z] (adv) - на улице  
**outfit** ['aʊtfɪt] (n) - снаряжение, экипировка, полный комплект одежды  
**outline** ['aʊtlaɪn] (n) - очертание, контур, абрис  
**outside** [ˌaʊt'saɪd] (adj) - внешний, наружный; находящийся снаружи  
 (adv) - снаружи, вовне, на открытом воздухе; на улице  
**outward** ['aʊtwəd] (adj) - наружный, внешний  
**overall** ['əʊvəɜ:l] (n) - спецодежда, рабочий комбинезон  
**overlook** [ˌəʊvə'lʊk] (v) - не заметить, просмотреть, пропустить  
**own** [əʊn] (adj) - свой, собственный

## - Pp -

**pack** [pæk] (v) - упаковывать, запаковать  
**package** ['pækɪdʒ] (n) - упаковка  
**packet** ['pækɪt] (n) - пакет, пачка, связка  
**pad** [pæd] (n) - прокладка; подушечка; тампон; подкладка  
**paint** [peɪnt] (n) - краска  
**palate** ['pælət] (n) - нёбо  
**pallor** [ˈpælɔr] (n) - бледность  
**pallor mortis** - лат. посмертная бледность  
**palmprint** [pɑ:m prɪnt] (n) - отпечаток ладони  
**palm-reader** [pɑ:m 'ri:də] (n) - хиромант, предсказатель по линиям ладони  
**paper** ['peɪpə] (n) - бумага  
**particle** ['pɑ:tɪkl] (n) - частица; крупица  
**pass (for)** [pɑ:s] (v) - сойти за  
**passer-by** [ˌpɑ:sə'baɪ] (n) - прохожий, проезжий  
**paternity** [pə'tɜ:nəti] (n) - отцовство  
**path** [pɑ:θ] (n) - тропинка; тропа; дорожка  
**pathologist** [pə'θɒlədʒɪst] (n) - патолог; патологоанатом  
**pathology** [pə'θɒlədʒɪ] (n) - патология; патологическая анатомия  
**patient** ['peɪf(ə)nt] (n) - пациент  
 (adj) - терпеливый  
**pattern** ['pæt(ə)n] (n) - образчик  
**peace** [pi:s] (n) - мир  
**pellet** ['pelɪt] (n) - зд. дробинка; пуля  
**penalty** ['pen(ə)ltɪ] (n) - наказание; взыскание; штраф  
**perfect** ['pɜ:fɪkt] (adj) - совершенный, безупречный  
**perfectly** ['pɜ:fɪktli] (adv) - отлично совершенно, в полной мере  
**perform** [pə'fɔ:m] (v) - выполнять; делать, совершать



**perimeter** [pə'rimɪtə] (n) - периметр  
**perjure** ['pɜːdʒə] (v) - лжесвидетельствовать  
**permissible** [pə'mɪsəbl] (adj) - дозволенный, допустимый  
**perpetrator** ['pɜːpɪtreɪtə] (n) - правонарушитель, преступник  
**perseverance** [ˌpɜːsɪ'veɪə(ə)ns] (n) - упорство, настойчивость  
**personnel** [ˌpɜːs(ə)'nel] (n) - личный состав, персонал  
**perspiration** [ˌpɜːsp(ə)'reɪʃn] (n) - потоотделение  
**pharmacology** [ˌfɑːmə'kɒlədʒi] (n) - фармакология  
**photography** [fə'tɒgrəfi] (n) - фотография  
**phase shift** [feɪz ʃɪft] - сдвиг фазы, сдвиг по фазе  
**photo** ['fəʊtəʊ] (n) - фотография, снимок  
**high resolution photo** (n pl) - фотографии высокого разрешения  
**physician** [fɪ'zɪʃn] (n) - врач, доктор, медик  
**physics** ['fɪzɪks] (n) - физика  
**physiognomy** [ˌfɪzi'ɒnəmi] (n) - физиогномика  
**pick** [pɪk] (v) - собирать  
**pick up** (v) - поднимать, подбирать; забирать  
**pill** [pɪl] (n) - пилюля, таблетка  
**pioneer** [ˌpaɪə'niə] (n) - первооткрыватель, основоположник  
**pistol** ['pɪst(ə)l] (n) - пистолет  
**plan** [plæn] (n) - план; проект  
**plaster** ['plɑːstə] (n) - штукатурка, гипс  
**plead guilty** [pliːd 'ɡɪlti] (v) - признать вину  
**plot** [plɒt] (n) - сюжет, фабула  
**plunge (into)** [plʌndʒ] (v) - погружаться, вовлекаться  
**point** [pɔɪnt] (n) - точка  
 (v) - указывать  
**pointed** ['pɔɪntɪd] (adj) - острый; подчеркнутый  
**poison** ['pɔɪzn] (n) - яд, отрава  
**pole** [pəʊl] (n) - столб, шест  
**pollen** ['pɒlən] (n) - пыльца  
**pool** [puːl] (n) - лужа; лужица, пятно  
 (v) - накапливаться, скапливаться  
**potato beetle** [pə'teɪtəʊ 'biːtl] (n) - колорадский жук  
**pore** [pɔː] (n) - пора  
**porous** ['pɔːrəs] (adj) - пористый  
**portable** ['pɔːtəbl] (adj) - портативный, переносной  
**positive** ['pɒzətɪv] (adj) - позитивный  
**positive association** (n) - совпадение при сравнении  
**possess** [pə'zes] (v) - владеть, иметь, обладать  
**post mortem** (n) - лат. вскрытие, результаты вскрытия;  
 (adj) - посмертный  
**potato beetle** [pə'teɪtəʊ 'biːtl] (n) - колорадский жук  
**potential** [pə'tenʃ(ə)l] (n) - возможности, потенциал  
**pound** [paʊnd] (v) - сильно биться, колотиться  
**pound** [paʊnd] (n) - фунт (стерлингов)  
**pour** [pɔː] (v) - литься (о воде, свете); идти (о дыме)  
**powder** ['paʊdə] (n) - порошок, порох  
**power** ['paʊə] (n) - сила, мощь  
**powerful** ['paʊəf(ə)l], [-fʊl] (adj) - мощный, сильный  
**praise** [preɪz] (n) - хвала  
 (v) - превозносить, прославлять  
**predict** [prɪ'dɪkt] (v) - предсказывать, пророчить;  
 прогнозировать  
**prediction** [prɪ'dɪkʃn] (n) - предсказание; прогноз;  
 пророчество

**preferably** ['pref(ə)rəblɪ] (adv) - лучше, предпочтительно  
**prelab activities** - зд. деятельность экспертов  
 на месте преступления  
**premises** ['premisɪz] (n pl) - дом; владение;  
 недвижимость  
**presence** ['prez(ə)n(t)s] (n) - присутствие; наличие  
**preservation** [ˌprezə'veɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - сохранность, сохранение  
**preserve** [prɪ'zɜːv] (v) - сохранять, сберегать  
**press** [pres] (v) - нажимать, надавливать  
**pressing** ['presɪŋ] (n) - зд. нажим  
**pressure** ['preʃə] (n) - давление, воздействие, нажим  
**prevent (a crime)** [prɪ'vent] (v) - предотвращать, предупреждать (преступление)  
**prevention** [prɪ'ven(t)ʃn] (n) - предотвращение, предупреждение  
**previously** ['priːviəslɪ] (adv) - предварительно  
**primarily** [praɪ'mer(ə)li] (adv) - первоначально  
**primary** ['praɪm(ə)rɪ] (adj) - первоначальный, первичный  
**primer** ['praɪmə] (n) - запал; запальный патрон  
**print** [prɪnt] (n) - отпечаток; след  
**printout** [prɪntaʊt] (n) - распечатка  
**priority** [praɪ'ɔːrəti] (n) - первенство, преимущество, приоритет  
**prison** ['prɪz(ə)n] (n) - тюрьма  
**pristine** ['prɪstiːn] (adj) - первоначальный, нетронутый  
**private** ['praɪvɪt] (adj) - частный  
**probably** ['prɒbəblɪ] (adv) - вероятно, наверное  
**probe** [prəʊb] (n) - зонд, щуп; датчик  
**procedure** [prə'siːdʒə] (n) - процедура, порядок осуществления действия  
**process (a crime scene)** ['prəuses] (v) - обрабатывать (место преступления)  
**processing** ['prəusesɪŋ] (n) - обработка  
**profiling** [prə'faɪlɪŋ] (n) - определение профиля  
**projectile** [prɒ'dʒektail] (n) - снаряд; пуля  
**promptly** ['prɒmptli] (adv) - быстро, сразу, прямо  
**proof** [pruːf] (n) - подтверждение, доказательство  
**proper** ['prɒpə] (adj) - правильный, надлежащий  
**properly** ['prɒp(ə)li] (adv) - должным образом; как следует; правильно  
**protective** [prə'tektɪv] (adj) - защитный  
**protective clothes** (n pl) - защитная одежда  
**prove** [pruːv] (v) - доказывать  
**provide** [prə'vaɪd] (v) - снабжать; обеспечивать  
**proximity** [prɒk'sɪmɪti] (n) - близость, соседство  
**psychiatric** [ˌsaɪkɪ'ætrɪk] (adj) - психиатрический  
**psychiatrist** [saɪ'kaɪətrɪst] (n) - психиатр  
**psychiatry** [saɪ'kaɪətri] (n) - психиатрия  
**psychic** ['saɪkɪk] (adj) - психический  
**psychologist** [saɪ'kɒlədʒɪst] (n) - психолог  
**psychology** [saɪ'kɒlədʒi] (n) - психология  
**psychosomatic** [ˌsaɪkəsə'mætɪk] (adj) - психосоматический  
**public** ['pʌblɪk] (adj) - общественный; государственный  
**publicise** ['pʌblɪsaɪz] (v) - популяризировать  
**pull over (the car)** ['pul 'əʊvə] (v) - останавливать автомобиль (о полиции); съезжать на обочину и останавливаться  
**pulse** [pʌls] (n) - пульс



# Vocabulary

- Q q -

**pupa** ['pu: pə] (n) - зоол. куколка  
**purging** ['pɜ: dʒɪŋ] (n) - продувка; промывка; очистка  
**purple** ['pɜ: pl] (adj) - пурпурный, фиолетовый цвет  
**purpose** ['pɜ: pəs] (n) - цель, намерение; замысел  
**push** [puʃ] (v) - толкать  
**putrefaction** [ˌpju: trɪ'fækʃn] (n) - гниение; разложение  
**puzzle** ['plʌzl] (n) - пазл, ребус, головоломка

**quality** ['kwɒləti] (n) - качество  
**questioned document** ['kwɛstʃənd 'dɒkjumənt] (n) - сомнительный документ, оспариваемый документ

- R r -

**radiate (out)** ['reɪdiət] (v) - излучать, распространяться  
**rag** [ræg] (n) - лоскут, тряпка  
**rags** - лохмотья, тряпье, шмотки  
**raid** [reɪd] (n) - внезапное нападение; рейд; налёт  
**raincoat** ['reɪnkəʊt] (n) - плащ, дождевик  
**range** [reɪndʒ] (n) - зд. полигон, стрельбище, тир  
**ransom** ['ræns(ə)m] (n) - выкуп  
**rape** [reɪp] (n) - изнасилование  
**ratio** ['reɪʃiəʊ] (n) - отношение, пропорция; коэффициент; соотношение  
**razor wire** ['reɪzə 'waɪə] (n) - колючая проволока  
**reach** [ri:ʃ] (n) - зд. размах (рук)  
**react** [ri'ækt] (v) - реагировать, отзываться  
**reaction** [ri'ækʃ(ə)n] (n) - реакция  
**reagent** [ˌri:'eɪdʒənt] (n) - реактив; реагент  
**rear** [riə] (adj) - задний, расположенный сзади  
**reason** ['ri:z(ə)n] (n) - причина, повод, мотив  
**reasonable** ['ri:z(ə)nəbl] (adj) - рациональный; обоснованный; корректный  
**receipt** [ri'si:t] (n) - товарный, кассовый чек  
**recidivist** [ri'sɪdɪvɪst] (n) - рецидивист  
**recognition** [ˌrekəg'nɪʃn] (n) - узнавание, распознавание  
**recognise** ['rekəgnaɪz] (v) - узнавать, опознавать, распознавать  
**reconstruct** [ˌri:k(ə)n'strʌkt] (v) - восстанавливать  
**reconstruction** [ˌri:k(ə)n'strʌkʃn] (n) - восстановление  
**record** ['rekɔ:d] (n) - запись  
**record-keeping** (n) - ведение записей, документооборот  
**recover** [ri'kʌvə] (v) - зд. найти, обнаружить  
**recovery** [ri'kʌv(ə)rɪ] (n) - зд. обнаружение  
**recruit** [ri'kru:t] (v) - вербовать, нанимать  
**rectal** ['rekt(ə)l] (adj) - прямокишечный, ректальный  
**reduction** [ri'dʌkʃn] (n) - снижение, спад  
**reeve** [ri:v] (n) - *ист.* главный судья (города или округа), управляющий феодальным поместьем  
**refer (to)** [ri'fɜ:(v)] (v) - относиться, приписывать (какому-л. классу, периоду, течению и т. п.)  
**reference** [ˌref(ə)r(ə)ns] (n) - ссылка (на к.-л. / ч.-л.); упоминание (о к.-л. / ч.-л.)  
**reflect** [ri'flekt] (v) - отражать; размышлять над  
**reflection** [ri'flekʃn] (n) - отражение, размышление

**regular** ['regjələ] (adj) - стандартный, обычный  
**reject** [ri'dʒekt] (v) - отклонять; выделять, извергать  
**relate (to)** [ri'leɪt] (v) - относиться, иметь отношение  
**relative** ['relatɪv] (n) - родственник, (adj) - относящийся к делу  
**relatively** ['relatɪvlɪ] (adv) - относительно, сравнительно  
**release** [ri'li:s] (v) - отпускать, выпускать  
**release agent** (n) - химическое вещество  
**relevant** ['reləvənt] (adj) - значимый; важный  
**rely (on)** [ri'lai] (v) - полагаться, надеяться на  
**remain** [ri'mein] (v) - оставаться  
**remains** [ri'meɪnz] (n) - останки  
**remove (organs)** [ri'mu:v] (v) - вынимать (органы)  
**repeat offender** [ri'pi:t ə'fendə] (n) - рецидивист  
**replace** [ri'pleɪs] (v) - заменять, замещать  
**report** [ri'pɔ:t] (n) - отчёт, доклад, рапорт (v) - докладывать, составлять отчёт  
**request** [ri'kwɛst] (n) - просьба; требование, запрос; заявка  
**research** [ri'sɜ:ʃ] (n) - (научное) исследование  
**researcher** [ri'sɜ:ʃə] (n) - научный работник; исследователь; учёный  
**residue** ['rezɪdju:] (n) - осадок, остаток, порох  
**respect (a rule)** [ri'spekt] (v) - соблюдать (правило)  
**respiration** [ˌresp(ə)'reɪʃn] (n) - дыхание  
**respond (to a crime scene)** (v) - реагировать (на срочный вызов на место преступления)  
**responder** [ri'spɒndə] (n) - сотрудник, исполнитель  
**first responder** (n) - полицейский, первый прибывший на место преступления  
**response** [ri'spɒn(t)s] (n) - ответ, отклик  
**responsibility** [ri'spɒnsə'bɪləti] (n) - ответственность  
**responsible** [ri'spɒnsəbl] (adj) - ответственный  
**restore** [ri'stɔ:] (v) - восстанавливать, реставрировать  
**restrict** [ri'strɪkt] (v) - сдерживать, ограничивать  
**restriction** [ri'strɪkʃn] (n) - ограничение  
**result** [ri'zʌlt] (n) - результат  
**retina** ['retɪnə] (n) - сетчатка, сетчатая оболочка (глаза)  
**return** [ri'tɜ:n] (v) - возвращать(ся); платить (тем же)  
**reveal** [ri'vi:l] (v) - обнаруживать, показывать  
**revenge** [ri'vendʒ] (n) - месть, мщение  
**revengeful** [ri'vendʒf(ə)l], [-ful] (adj) - мстительный, жаждущий мщения  
**revolutionise** [ˌrev(ə)'lu:ʃ(ə)naɪz] (v) - совершить революцию, коренным образом изменить  
**revolver** [ri'vɒlvə] (n) - револьвер  
**rewoven** [ri'wəʊv(ə)n] (adj) - заплатанный, зашитый  
**riddle** ['rɪdl] (n) - загадка  
**ridge** [rɪdʒ] (n) - бороздка, линия  
**ridiculous** [ri'dɪkjələs] (adj) - нелепый, смешной  
**rifle** ['raɪfl] (n) - винтовка  
**sniper rifle** (n) - снайперская винтовка  
**rigid** ['rɪdʒɪd] (adj) - жёсткий, твёрдый, негибкий  
**rigidity** [ri'dʒɪdɪti] (n) - жёсткость, твёрдость  
**rigor mortis** ['rɪgə] (n) - *лат.* трупное окоченение  
**rim** [rɪm] (v) - обод, край, оправа  
**rip** [rɪp] (v) - потрошить, отрывать  
**ripper** ['rɪpə] (n) - потрошитель (убийца, распарывающий тела своих жертв)



**rival** ['raɪv(ə)l] (n) - соперник; конкурент  
**roach** [rəʊʃ] (n) - таракан; окурок (сленг. бычок)  
**rob** [rɒb] (v) - грабить  
**robber** ['rɒbə] (n) - грабитель, разбойник  
**robbery** ['rɒb(ə)rɪ] (n) - ограбление, грабёж; разбой  
**rock** [rɒk] (n) - скала, горная порода  
**rolled impressions** [rəʊld ɪm'preʃ(ə)ns] (n) - откатанные отпечатки  
**rough** [rʌf] (adj) - грубый, черновой, в виде наброска  
**roughly** ['rʌfli] (n) - грубо, приблизительно, на глаз  
**rubber** ['rʌbə] (n) - резина, шина, покрывка  
**rubber tube** (n) - резиновая трубка  
**run (tests)** [rʌn] (v) - проводить (тесты)  
**rupture** ['rʌptʃə] (n) - разрыв, прорыв



**sacred** ['seɪkrɪd] (adj) - священный; святой  
**safe** [seɪf] (adj) - безопасный  
**safety** ['seɪftɪ] (n) - безопасность  
**saliva** [sə'laɪvə] (n) - слюна  
**sample** ['sɑːmpl] (n) - образец, образчик, проба (для научного или медицинского исследования)  
**sand** [sænd] (n) - песок; гравий  
**satellite** ['sæt(ə)laɪt] (n) - спутник; сопровождающее лицо  
**savage** ['sævɪdʒ] (n) - зд. дикарь (человек, принадлежащий первобытному обществу)  
**scan** [skæn] (v) - сканировать, внимательно изучать  
**scanner** ['skænə] (n) - сканер  
**scanning** ['skæniŋ] (n) - сканирование  
**scar** [skaː] (n) - рубец, шрам  
**schema** ['ski:mə] (n) - набросок, чертеж  
**science** ['saɪəns] (n) - наука  
**scientific** [ˌsaɪən'tɪfɪk] (adj) - научный  
**scientific branch** (n) - научная отрасль  
**scientific discipline** (n) - научная дисциплина  
**scientifically** [ˌsaɪən'tɪfɪk(ə)li] (adv) - научно; с научной точки зрения  
**scientist** ['saɪəntɪst] (n) - учёный; научный работник  
**scissors** ['sɪzəz] (n pl) - ножницы  
**scope** [skəʊp] (n) - масштаб, предел, размах  
**scrap** [skræp] (n) - клочок, кусочек, обрывок  
**scrape** [skreɪp] (v) - обдирать, царапать  
**scratch** [skrætʃ] (v) - царапать, расцарапать, скрести  
**screen-play** ['skriːnpleɪ] (n) - сценарий, киносценарий  
**screwdriver** ['skruːdraɪvə] (n) - отвёртка  
**scrupulously** ['skruːpjələsli] (adv) - скрупулёзно, досконально, тщательно, точно  
**seal** [si:l] (n) - печать; клеймо (v) - опечатывать, пломбировать  
**sealed tube** (n) - герметично запечатанная пробирка  
**search** [sɜːʃ] (n) - поиск, обыск, прочесывание (места преступления) (v) - искать, обыскивать, прочесывать (место преступления)  
**searcher** ['sɜːʃə] (n) - лицо, производящее обыск, досмотр  
**secondary** ['sek(ə)nd(ə)rɪ] (adj) - вторичный  
**sedan** [si'dæn] (n) - седан (с закрытым кузовом)

**sediment** ['sedɪmənt] (n) - отстоявшийся слой, осадок  
**seemingly** ['siːmɪŋli] (adv) - по-видимому, на вид  
**semen** ['si:mən] (n) - семя, сперма  
**sentence** ['sentəns] (n) - приговор (v) - приговаривать  
**separate** ['sep(ə)reɪt] (v) - отделять, разделять ['sep(ə)rət] (adj) - отдельный, автономный  
**separately** ['sep(ə)rətli] (adv) - отдельно, раздельно  
**separation** [ˌsep(ə)reɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - отделение; разделение; разъединение  
**sequence** ['si:kwən(t)s] (n) - последовательность; ряд; очерённость  
**serial** ['sɪəriəl] (adj) - серийный  
**series** ['sɪəriːz] (n) - серия; сериал  
**serology** [sə'relədʒɪ] (n) - серология  
**serum** ['sɜːrəm] (n) - сыворотка  
**servant** ['sɜːv(ə)nt] (n) - слуга, служащий  
**set up** [set] (v) - устанавливать  
**setup** ['setʌp] (n) - структура, система; установка  
**severe** [si'viə] (adj) - строгий; серьёзный, тяжёлый  
**severely** [si'viəli] (adv) - строго, сурово, жёстко  
**shadow** ['ʃædəʊ] (n) - тень  
**shallow (grave)** ['ʃæləʊ] (adj) - неглубокая могила  
**shape** [ʃeɪp] (n) - форма, очертание  
**shards** [ʃɑːds] (n) - кусочки, черепки  
**share** [ʃeə] (v) - делить(ся); разделять (что-л. с кем-л.)  
**sharp** [ʃɑːp] (adj) - острый  
**shell** [ʃel] (n) - зд. гильза (патрона)  
**shift** [ʃɪft] (n) - сдвиг, передвижение  
**shire** ['ʃaɪə] (n) - графство; жители графства  
**shoe covers** [ʃuː'kʌvəz] (n pl) - бахилы  
**shoeprint** [ʃuː'prɪnt] (n) - отпечаток обуви  
**shot** [ʃɒt] (n) - выстрел  
**shotgun** ['ʃɒtgʌn] (n) - дробовик  
**shriek** ['ʃriːk] (n) - пронзительный крик, вопль  
**sight** [saɪt] (n) - зрение; взгляд; вид; прицел  
**sign** [saɪn] (n) - знак; символ (v) - подписывать (документ)  
**signature** ['sɪgnəʃə] (n) - подпись  
**significantly** [sɪɡ'nɪfɪkəntli] (adv) - многозначительно  
**silent** ['saɪlənt] (adj) - безмолвный, немой  
**similarity** [ˌsɪmɪ'lærəti] (n) - подобие, сходство  
**simulate** ['sɪmjəleɪt] (v) - имитировать, копировать  
**simultaneously** [ˌsɪm(ə)'teɪmɪəsli] (adv) - одновременно  
**sin (сокр. от sine)** [sɪn] (n) - синус  
**single** ['sɪŋɡl] (adj) - один, единственный  
**site** [saɪt] (n) - позиция, площадь, место, сайт  
**size** [saɪz] (n) - размер, величина  
**skeletal** ['skelɪt(ə)l] (adj) - скелетный  
**skeletal remains** (n pl) - останки скелета  
**skeleton** ['skelɪt(ə)n] (n) - скелет  
**skeletonisation** [ˌskelɪt(ə)'naɪzɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - скелетирование  
**sketch** [skeɪʃ] (n) - эскиз, набросок (v) - рисовать эскиз, делать набросок  
**sketchist** ['skeɪʃɪst] (n) - зарисовщик  
**skid marks** [skɪd mɑːks] (n) - следы от юза, заноса (автомобиля)  
**skill** [skɪl] (n) - умение; навык  
**skim** [skɪm] (v) - едва касаться, нестись, скользить  
**skin** [skɪn] (n) - кожа (человека)



# Vocabulary

**skirt** [skɜ:t] (n) - юбка  
**skull** [skʌl] (n) - череп  
**slant** [sla:nt] (n) - наклон  
**slide** [slaid] (n) - зд. предметное стекло (микроскопа)  
**slight** [slait] (adj) - небольшой, незначительный  
**slip** [slip] (n) - скольжение  
 (v) - скользить  
**sloping (forehead)** ['sləʊpɪŋ] (adj) - покатый (лоб)  
**smashed** [smæʃt] (adj) - с силой сломанный, выбитый  
**smear (of blood)** [smiə] (n) - пятно, мазок (крови)  
**smell** [smel] (n) - обоняние, запах; аромат  
**smooth** [smu:ð] (adj) - гладкий, ровный  
**snapshot** ['snæpʃɒt] (n) - снимок, кадр  
**soft** [sɒft] (adj) - мягкий  
**soil** [sɔɪl] (n) - грунт, земля, почва  
**sole** [səʊl] (n) - подошва  
**solid** ['sɒlɪd] (adj) - твёрдый, прочный, крепкий  
**solution (of a crime)** [sə'lu:ʃn] (n) - решение,  
 раскрытие (преступления)  
**solve (a crime)** [sɒlv] (v) - раскрыть (преступление)  
**sound** [saʊnd] (n) - звук; громкость  
**sound wave** - звуковая волна  
**source** [sɔ:s] (n) - источник  
**space** [speɪs] (n) - пространство, расстояние  
**spacing** ['speɪsɪŋ] (n) - интервал, промежуток  
**span** [spæn] (v) - зд. охватывать, распространяться  
**spatial** ['speɪʃ(ə)l] (adj) - пространственный;  
 занимающий какое-л. пространство  
**spatter** ['spætə] (n) - небольшое количество, капля  
**spectator** [spek'teɪtə] (n) - очевидец, свидетель  
**spectral** ['spektr(ə)l] (adj) - спектральный  
**spectrograph** ['spektrə'grɑ:f] (n) - спектрограф  
**spectrometry** [spek'træmətri] (n) - спектрометрия  
**speculate** ['spekjəleɪt] (v) - зд. полагать, допускать  
 предполагать  
**speech** [spi:tʃ] (n) - речь; выступление; обращение  
**speed** [spi:d] (n) - скорость; темп  
**spilling** ['spɪlɪŋ] (n) - проливание  
**spin** [spɪn] (n) - крутить(ся), вертеть(ся)  
**spine** [spain] (n) - зд. игла, колючка, шип  
**spiny** ['spaini] (adj) - колючий, колючий  
**spiral** ['spaɪə(ə)l] (n) - спираль  
**splash** [splæʃ] (n) - пятно, брызганье  
**splinter** ['splɪntə] (n) - щепка  
**wood splinters** (n pl) - деревянные щепки  
**spot** [spɒt] (n) - пятно, пятнышко, капля  
**spread** [spred] (v) - распространяться  
**square** [skweə] (n) - квадрат  
**stab** [stæb] (n) - удар (ножом, кинжалом)  
 (v) - колоть, ранить кинжалом, ножом  
**staff** [sta:f] (n) - штат служащих; личный состав; кадры  
**stain** [steɪn] (n) - пятно  
**stainless-steel** - нержавеющая сталь  
**stalk** [stɔ:k] (v) - подкрадываться (к дичи);  
 скрыто преследовать; выслеживать  
**stamp** [stæmp] (n) - штамп, печать, клеймо  
**statement** ['steɪtmənt] (n) - утверждение  
**stature** ['stætʃə] (n) - рост  
**steady** ['stedi] (adj) - прочный, твёрдый; надёжный  
**steal** [sti:l] (v) - воровать, красть

**steel** [sti:l] (n) - сталь  
**cold steel weapon** - холодное оружие  
**stick** [stɪk] (v) - клеить; привязывать; заколоть  
**sticker** ['stɪkə] (n) - стикер, наклейка, этикетка  
**sticky** ['stɪki] (adj) - клейкий, липкий; вязкий; тягучий  
**stiff** [stɪf] (adj) - окоченелый  
**stiffening** ['stɪf(ə)nɪŋ] (n) - окоченение (процесс)  
**stiffness** ['stɪfnəs] (n) - окоченение  
**still** [stɪl] (adv) - до сих пор, (всё) ещё  
**stopping distance** (n) - тормозной путь  
**stranger** ['streɪndʒə] (n) - незнакомец, посторонний,  
 чужой человек  
**strangle** ['stræŋgl] (v) - задушить, удавить  
**strength** [streŋθ] (n) - сила  
**striation** [straɪ'eɪʃn] (n) - полоска; бороздка  
**strict** [strikt] (adj) - строгий; жёсткий  
**strike** [straɪk] (n) - удар  
 (v) - ударять(ся), наносить удар, бить  
**string** [strɪŋ] (n) - верёвка, струна  
**stringing** ['strɪŋɪŋ] (n) - натягивание нитей (в баллистике)  
**strip** [stri:p] (n) - полоса  
**strong** [strɒŋ] (adj) - сильный, прочный, твёрдый  
**struggle** ['strʌgl] (n) - борьба  
**studious** ['stju:diəs] (adj) - старательный, трудолюбивый,  
 усердный  
**subdivision** [ˌsʌbdɪ'vɪʒn] (n) - зд. подраздел,  
 подразделение  
**substance** ['sʌbst(ə)ns] (n) - вещество  
**suffer** ['sʌfə] (v) - страдать, пострадать  
**sugarcoat** ['ʃʊgəkəʊt] (v) - приукрашивать  
**suggest** [sə'dʒest] (v) - предлагать  
**suggestion** [sə'dʒesʃn] (n) - предложение  
**suicide** ['s(j)u:ɪsaɪd] (n) - самоубийство, самоубийца  
**suit** [s(j)u:t] (n) - комплект, костюм  
**summary** ['sʌm(ə)rɪ] (n) - краткое изложение, резюме  
**support** [sə'pɔ:t] (n) - поддержка; помощь  
 (v) - поддерживать  
**supporter** [sə'pɔ:tə] (n) - сторонник  
**surface** ['sɜ:fɪs] (n) - поверхность  
**surgeon** ['sɜ:dʒ(ə)n] (n) - хирург  
**surgery** ['sɜ:dʒ(ə)rɪ] (n) - хирургия  
**suspect** ['sʌspekt] (n) - подозреваемый  
**suspend** [sə'spend] (v) - зд. арестовать; подвешивать  
**suspended** [sə'spendɪd] (adj) - подвешенный  
**suspicious** [sə'spiʃəs] (adj) - подозрительный  
**swab** [swɒb] (n) - тампон  
**cotton swab** (n) - ватная палочка  
**SWAT (special weapons and tactics)** [swɒt] (n) -  
 полицейский спецназ  
**sweat** [swet] (n) - испарина, пот  
**sweating** ['swetɪŋ] (n) - потение  
**Swiss army knife** (n) - швейцарский нож  
**sword** [sɔ:d] (n) - меч; шпага  
**syringe** [sɪ'rɪndʒ] (n) - шприц

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**tangent** ['tændʒ(ə)nt] (n) - тангенс  
**tank** [tæŋk] (n) - бак, резервуар, цистерна, чан  
**tape** [teɪp] (n) - лента  
**tape lift** (n) - клейкая лента для снятия отпечатков пальцев  
**target** ['tɑːɡɪt] (n) - цель, мишень  
**task** [tɑːsk] (n) - задача  
**team** [tiːm] (n) - команда  
**technician** [tek'nɪʃ(ə)n] (n) - технический работник, лаборант  
**technique** [tek'niːk] (n) - техника, метод, способ  
**technology** [tek'nɒlədʒi] (n) - технология  
**template** ['templeɪt], [-lɪt] (n) - образец, трафарет, шаблон  
**temporal** ['temp(ə)r(ə)l] (adj) - временный  
**temporarily** ['temp(ə)r(ə)r(ə)lɪ] (adv) - временно, на время  
**term** [tɜːm] (n) - термин; срок; длительность, продолжительность  
**terminal** ['tɜːmɪn(ə)l] (n) - конец; конечный пункт (adj) - заключительный, конечный  
**test** [test] (n) - проверка, испытание; тест, исследование, анализ (v) - тестировать; проводить тесты  
**test tube** ['test tjʊːb] (n) - пробирка  
**testify** ['testɪfaɪ] (v) - выступать в качестве свидетеля; давать (свидетельские) показания  
**testimony** ['testɪməni] (n) - свидетельское показание  
**texture** ['tekstʃə] (n) - строение, структура; фактура  
**textured surface** - текстурированная поверхность  
**theft** [θeft] (n) - воровство, кража  
**thief** [θiːf] (n) - вор, похититель  
**thirsty** ['θɜːsti] (adj) - томимый жаждой, испытывающий жажду  
**thread** [θred] (n) - нитка  
**threat** [θret] (n) - опасность, угроза  
**threaten** ['θret(ə)n] (v) - грозить, угрожать  
**thrift store** [θɪft stɔː] (n) - комиссионный магазин, секонд-хэнд  
**throat** [θrəʊt] (n) - горло, гортань; глотка  
**through** [θruː] (prep) - через, сквозь; в течение  
**throughout** [θruːaʊt] (prep) - через, по всей площади (adv) - повсюду, везде  
**throw** [θrəʊ] (v) - бросать, кидать, метать  
**throw away** - упустить (возможность), тратить  
**throw off** - выбросить  
**thumb** [θʌm] (n) - большой палец (руки)  
**tick** [tɪk] (v) - ставить «птичку», галочку  
**tie** [taɪ] (n) - верёвка, шнурок; галстук; связка (v) - завязывать, привязывать, связывать  
**time of the day** (n) - время суток  
**timeline** [taɪmlaɪn] (n) - временная лента  
**tiny** ['taɪni] (adj) - очень маленький, крошечный  
**tire** ['taɪə] (n) - шина, покрышка  
**tissue** ['tɪʃuː] (n) - ткань, материя  
**title** ['taɪtl] (n) - заглавие, название, наименование  
**toe** [təʊ] (n) - палец ноги  
**tool** [tuːl] (n) - инструмент; оборудование; станок  
**tooth (teeth)** [tuːθ] (n) - зуб (зубы)  
**toothpick** ['tuːθpɪk] (n) - зубочистка  
**topography** [tə'pɒɡrəfi] (n) - топография; географические особенности местности

**torch** [tɔːʃ] (n) - осветительный прибор, фонарь  
**torn** [tɔːn] (adj) - оборванный  
**torso** ['tɔːsəʊ] (n) - корпус, торс, туловище  
**touch** [tʌʃ] (v) - касаться, трогать, притрагиваться  
**toxicology** [ˌtɒksɪ'kɒlədʒi] (n) - токсикология  
**toxin** ['tɒksɪn] (n) - токсин, яд  
**trace** [treɪs] (n) - след, отпечаток; незначительное количество, остатки (чего-л.); следы (v) - следить; отслеживать  
**trace evidence** (n) - следы, трасологическая улика  
**track** [træk] (n) - след, отпечаток (шин) (v) - отслеживать, выслеживать  
**trail** [treɪl] (v) - идти по следу, преследовать  
**training** ['treɪnɪŋ] (n) - обучение, образование, подготовка  
**trait** [treɪt] (n) - характерная черта, особенность  
**trajectory** [trə'dʒekt(ə)rɪ] (n) - траектория  
**transfer** [træn(t)s'fɜː], [trɑːn-] (v) - перевозить, транспортировать  
**transient** ['trænzɪənt], ['trɑːn-] (adj) - недолговечный  
**transit** ['træn(t)sɪt] (n) - поездка, перевозка, транзит  
**trash** [træʃ] (n) - хлам, отбросы; мусор; макулатура  
**trauma** ['trɔːmə] (n) - травма  
**treatment** ['triːtmənt] (n) - обращение; обработка; трактовка  
**trial** ['traɪəl] (n) - испытание; судебный процесс  
**triangle** ['traɪəŋɡl] (n) - треугольник  
**trigger** ['trɪɡə] (n) - спусковой крючок (у оружия)  
**true** [truː] (adj) - верный, правильный, достоверный  
**truth** [truːθ] (n) - правда; истина, истинность  
**trunk** [trʌŋk] (n) - ствол (дерева); туловище, тело (человека или животного)  
**try** [traɪ] (v) - пытаться, стараться; рассматривать (дело в суде)  
**tsunami** [tsuːnɑːmi] (n) - цунами  
**tube** [tjuːb] (n) - трубка, пробирка  
**tweezers** ['twiːzəz] (n pl) - пинцет  
**twins** [twɪnz] (n pl) - близнецы; двойники, двойня  
**identical twins** (n pl) - однояйцевые близнецы  
**typewriting** ['taɪp,raɪtɪŋ] (n) - печатание на машинке; напечатанный текст

- А -

**ultimately** ['ʌltɪmətli] (adv) - окончательно; в конечном счёте, в конце концов  
**ultraviolet** [ˌʌltrə'vaɪələt] (n) - ультрафиолетовый свет (adj) - ультрафиолетовый  
**ultraviolet light** (n) - ультрафиолетовый свет  
**unbreakable** [ʌn'breɪkəbl] (adj) - неломкий, небьющийся  
**unchanged** [ʌn'ʃeɪndʒd] (adj) - неизменившийся, оставшийся прежним  
**unconscious** [ʌn'kɒŋʃəs] (adj) - без сознания, в обмороке; бессознательный  
**unconsciousness** [ʌn'kɒŋʃəsənəs] (n) - бессознательность; бессознательное состояние  
**un-contract** [ʌnkən'trækt] (v) - расслаблять(ся)  
**uncountable** [ʌn'kaʊntəbl] (adj) - неисчислимый  
**undamaged** [ʌn'dæmɪdʒd] (adj) - неповреждённый



# Vocabulary

**undergo** [ˌʌndəˈɡəʊ] (v) - испытывать, подвергаться (чему-л.)  
**underline** [ˌʌndəˈlaɪn] (v) - подчёркивать  
**undestroyed** [ˌʌndɪˈstrɔɪd] (adj) - целый, неразрушенный  
**undetected** [ˌʌndɪˈtektɪd] (adj) - не обнаруженный, неоткрытый, скрытый  
**undetected** [ˌʌndɪˈtektɪd] (adj) - невзорвавшийся  
**undisturbed** [ˌʌndɪˈstɜːbd] (adj) - не потревоженный; ненарушенный, нетронутый  
**unfortunately** [ˌʌnˈfɔːtʃ(ə)nətli] (adv) - к несчастью, к сожалению  
**unidentified** [ˌʌnɪˈdentɪfaɪd] (adj) - неопознанный, неизвестный  
**unique** [juːˈniːk] (adj) - уникальный, единственный в своём роде, исключительный  
**uniquely** [juːˈniːkli] (adv) - единственно; однозначно  
**unmask** [ˌʌnˈmɑːsk] (v) - обнаруживать; демаскировать  
**unnoticed** [ˌʌnˈnəʊtɪst] (adj) - незамеченный  
**unsigned** [ˌʌnˈsaɪnd] (adj) - неподписанный  
**unpleasant** [ˌʌnˈplez(ə)nt] (adj) - неприятный  
**unrecognisable** [ˌʌnˈrekəɡnaɪzəbl] (adj) - неузнаваемый  
**urgency** [ˈɜːdʒ(ə)nsɪ] (n) - безотлагательность, срочность  
**urgent** [ˈɜːdʒ(ə)nt] (adj) - срочный, неотложный  
**urine** [ˈjuːrɪn] (n) - моча

## - V -

**vacuum cleaner** [ˈvækjuːmˌkliːnə] (n) - пылесос  
**vain** [veɪn] (adj) - напрасный, бесполезный, тщетный  
**valid** [ˈvælɪd] (adj) - имеющий силу; правомерный; надёжный, действенный  
**validity** [vəˈlɪdəti] (n) - юридическая сила, обоснованность  
**valley** [ˈvæli] (n) - долина, низина  
**value** [ˈvæljuː] (n) - ценность; важность  
**van** [væn] (n) - фургон  
**vegetation** [ˌvedʒɪˈteɪʃn] (n) - растительность  
**vehicle** [ˈviːkl̩], [ˈviːkl̩] (n) - транспортное средство  
**vein** [veɪn] (n) - вена; кровеносный сосуд  
**velocity** [vɪˈləsəti] (n) - скорость; быстрота  
**veracity** [vəˈræsəti] (n) - правдивость  
**vessel** [ˈves(ə)l] (n) - анат. сосуд  
**view** [vjuː] (n) - вид, изображение, осмотр, точка зрения  
**violation** [ˈvaɪələtə] (n) - нарушение  
**violent** [ˈvaɪələ(ə)nt] (adj) - жестокий, бесчеловечный, насильственный  
**violent crime** - насильственное преступление  
**visible** [ˈvɪzəbl̩] (adj) - видимый, видный  
**visual** [ˈvɪʒuəl] (adj) - зрительный, визуальный, видимый, зримый  
**vlogger** [ˈvlɒɡə] (n) - видеоблоггер; пользователь, который занимается записью так называемых видеоблогов - постов, где основным видом контента является видеоизображение  
**voice** [voɪs] (n) - голос  
**voiceprint** [ˈvoɪsˌprɪnt] (n) - голосовой отпечаток  
**volatile** [ˈvɒlətaɪl] (adj) - зд. летучий, быстро испаряющийся

## - W -

**waist** [weɪst] (n) - талия  
**wallet** [ˈwɒlɪt] (n) - бумажник  
**warm** [wɜːm] (adj) - тёплый  
**water supply** [ˈwɔːtə səˈplaɪ] - водоснабжение  
**wave** [weɪv] (n) - волна  
**weapon** [ˈwepən] (n) - орудие, оружие  
**wear** [weə] (v) - носить  
**weigh** [weɪ] (v) - взвешивать, оценивать, рассматривать  
**well** [wel] (n) - ячейка, колодец, углубление  
**wet** [wet] (adj) - мокрый, влажный; непросохший  
**wheel** [wiːl] (n) - колесо  
**wherever** [weəˈrevə] (adv) - где бы (то) ни было, куда бы (то) ни было  
**whole** [həʊl] (adj) - весь, целый; полный, невредимый  
**wholly** [ˈhəʊli] (adv) - полностью, целиком  
**whorl** [wɜːl] (n) - завиток  
**wide** [waɪd] (adj) - широкий; обширный, большой  
**widely** [ˈwaɪdli] (adv) - широко, в различных местах  
**widen** [ˈwaɪd(ə)n] (v) - расширять, расширяться  
**widespread** [ˈwaɪdspreɪd] (adj) - широко распространённый  
**width** [wɪθ], [wɪdθ] (n) - ширина, широта  
**wildfire** [ˈwaɪldfaɪə] (n) - пожар (разрушительной силы)  
**will** [wɪl] (n) - зд. завещание  
**wireless** [ˈwaɪələs] (adj) - беспроводной, беспроводной  
**witness** [ˈwɪtnəs] (n) - свидетель, очевидец  
**wood** [wud] (n) - дерево (материал); древесина (adj) - деревянный, древесный  
**worm** [wɜːm] (n) - червяк; глист; гусеница; личинка  
**worth** [wɜːθ] (adj) - достойный, заслуживающий  
**wound** [wuːnd] (n) - рана; ранение (v) - ранить  
**wounded** (adj) - раненый  
**wrist** [rɪst] (n) - запястье

## - Y -

**yard** [jɑːd] (n) - внутренний двор; ярд (мера длины, равная 3 футам или 91,44 см)

## - Z -

**zip tie** [zɪp taɪ] (n) - стяжка, хомут; пластмассовые наручники  
**zoology** [zuˈɒlədʒɪ], [zəu-] (n) - зоология

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