

B1 Dialog #6 Talking about crime

Hi there.

Today we are going to talk about crime. If you want to understand us better, you can download PDF transcripts in the description. Please also follow our Instagram. We are posting a lot of useful things there as well.

Basic vocabulary:

a crime - преступление, преступность.
a murder - убийство
a murderer - убийца
a victim - жертва

Больше слов с переводом в конце документа.

So Anya

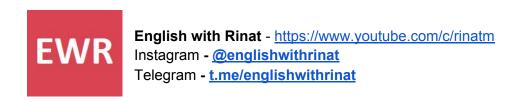
- (1) Have you ever been a victim of crime? Ты когда-нибудь была потерпевшей в преступлении?

 No I haven't. Hope I will never be a victim (жертва) of crime.
- (2) Are you afraid of becoming a victim of crime? Ты боишься стать жертвой преступления?

 Sometimes. You never know what might happen.
- (3) Is crime a problem where you live? Там, где ты живешь, преступность является проблемой?

 Moscow is a big city. Criminality here is higher of course, but I can't say that it's a problem. We never faced it (никогда с этим не сталкивались). And I hope that we won't face it ever.
- (4) Does the government talk a lot about combating crime? В правительстве много говорят о борьбе с преступностью?

 There is always news about it, but I don't usually watch this.
- (5) Do you worry about Internet crime?



No I don't. It might be a problem for children. So parents should **look after** (присматривать) them and control what they do online.

- (6) Is anyone capable of turning to crime? Каждый ли способен совершить преступление?
 - People are different. I think that most of us are good, but there are many bad people that are capable of turning to crime.
- (7) Who are the world's biggest war criminals? Кто самые большие военные преступники в мире?

 Hitler of course. He brought a lot of **grief** (горе) to people all over the world.

 And to our country the most.
- (8) Have you ever thought of fighting crime by becoming a police officer? Вы когда-нибудь думали о том, чтобы стать полицейским и бороться с преступностью?
 - This is a hard job and not everybody can do this. To be honest, I've never thought of becoming a police officer.
- (9) Do you think the punishment always fits the crime? Наказание всегда соответствует преступлению?

 No I don't. There are a lot of people that are innocent and that were prisoned by mistake (сели в тюрьму по ошибке). This is a big problem for each country.
- (10) Do you have any crime prevention tips? У вас есть какие-нибудь советы, как предотвратить преступление?

 The best tips are to run and to scream.
- (1) Have you ever committed a petty crime? Вы когда-нибудь совершали мелкое преступление?
 - I don't know. It depends on what you call a crime. When I was a teenager, I used to go by train without payment and ran from checking clerks (проверяющие контролеры).



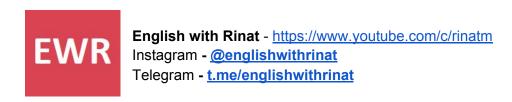
(2) Have you ever witnessed a serious crime? - Вы когда-нибудь были свидетелями серьезного преступления?

No I haven't. Hope it's not going to happen to me ever.

- (3) How can governments reduce crime? Как правительства могут снизить преступность?

 It's a hard question. From my point of view the government should do everything to make our lives better. When people live well, I don't think they need to commit crimes (совершать преступления). That's my opinion, but I might be wrong of course.
- (4) Is violent crime a big problem in your country? Являются ли насильственные преступления большой проблемой в вашей стране? I think yes. I haven't checked the statistics, but I think that there are a lot of violent crimes in Russia.
- (5) Is juvenile crime on the increase in your country? Растет ли в вашей стране преступность среди несовершеннолетних? *I don't think so. I need to google it (загуглить это).*
- (6) Is organized crime a big problem in your country? Организованная преступность большая проблема в вашей стране?

 We used to have a lot of organized crime in the 90s. Now it's not a common thing.
- (7) What is hate crime? Что такое преступление на почве ненависти? When somebody doesn't like another person and kills him.
- (8) When can you say, "It's a crime to do nothing"? Когда можно сказать: «бездействие преступление»?



- When somebody needs help and you are just **passing by** (проходишь мимо). It's a crime to do nothing. But this question is not easy.
- (9) Have you ever reported a crime? Вы когда-нибудь сообщали о преступлении?

No I haven't. I don't think that it's a pleasant thing to report about.

Преступления на английском языке (Crime).

скачать аудиофайл с произношением

vandalism	умышленная порча имущества
burglary	кража со взломом
assault	нападение, угроза физическим насилием
gang violence	групповое насилие
drunk driving	вождение автомобиля в нетрезвом состоянии
illegal drugs	употребление запрещенных наркотиков
arson	поджог
shoplifting	кража в магазине
identity theft	хищение личной информации



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victim	жертва
mugging	ограбление с насилием
murder	убийство
gun	пистолет
commit a crime	совершить преступление
steal	украсть, своровать

Общественная безопасность (Public Safety).

Walk with a friend.	Не гуляйте в одиночку.
Stay on well-lit streets.	Оставайтесь на ярко освещенных улицах.
Conceal your PIN number.	Не показывайте другим свой пин-код (например, в банкомате).
Protect your purse or wallet.	Берегите сумочку или бумажник.
Lock your doors.	Запирайте двери.
Don't open your door to strangers.	Не открывайте двери незнакомцам.
Don't drink and drive.	Не употребляйте спиртное за рулем.



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Be aware of your surroundings.	Смотрите по сторонам и будьте бдительны.
Report suspicious packages.	Сообщайте о подозрительных пакетах.
Report crime to the police.	Сообщайте в полицию о преступлениях.