**Unit 3 – On duty (Reading, pp. 26-27)**

**Reading**

1. **Read the headline. What is the story about? What do these words mean in Greek?**

**siege** **gendarme** **hostage**

1. **Scan the text and explain who or what these names refer to:**

**You can do this exercise online here:**

[**https://learningapps.org/watch?v=p14fyztwc20**](https://learningapps.org/watch?v=p14fyztwc20)

1. Carcassone
2. Radouane Lakdim
3. Franҫois Molins
4. Gérard Collomb
5. Trèbes
6. Christian Guibbert
7. Arnaud Beltrame
8. Salah Abdeslam
9. **Read the text again and put the events in the correct chronological order.**
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1. The security forces outside the supermarket heard a gunshot.
2. The gendarme died of his injuries.
3. On Friday, after 10am, the attacker stole a car near Carcassone, killing a passenger and injuring the driver.
4. He walked into the supermarket and killed two people while holding several hostages.
5. He drove off in the stolen car and waited outside a military base.
6. He shot four officers near a riot police squad barracks.
7. A gendarme agreed to take the hostages’ place.
8. He drove to a supermarket in Trèbes, a small town near Carcassone.
9. The security forces entered the supermarket and shot the attacker dead.
10. **Think of a different headline for the article.**

**Vocabulary practice**

1. **Match the words / phrases in the two columns that have a similar meaning.**
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1. police officer
2. monitored
3. crimes
4. injured
5. shoot
6. attack
7. swapped places
8. carry out
9. wounded
10. assault
11. gendarme
12. under surveillance
13. offences
14. open fire
15. commit
16. exchanged himself
17. **Use the word in capital letters to form another word to complete the sentences.**
18. He died of his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a few days after the accident. INJURE
19. The police officer was praised for his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ act. HERO
20. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ managed to escape. ATTACK
21. We heard two \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from inside the building. SHOOT
22. One passenger died and another one was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wounded. SERIOUS
23. She was the only \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ member of the crew. SURVIVE
24. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Education announced some changes for the final exams. MINISTER
25. I want you to come here \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. IMMEDIATE
26. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the case is still in progress. INVESTIGATE
27. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was sentenced to 15 years in prison. CRIME
28. Kevin works as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ guard at an office building. SECURE
29. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ asked the Mayor about his plans for the new square. REPORT

**Glossary, pp. 26-27**

1. assault (n): επίθεση
2. attack (n,v): επίθεση, επιτίθεμαι to
3. attacker (n): επιτιθέμενος
4. barracks (n): στρατώνας
5. bullet (n): σφαίρα
6. carry out (v): εκτελώ, πραγματοποιώ (e.g. to carry out an attack)
7. claim (v): ισχυρίζομαι
8. culminate (v): καταλήγω, ολοκληρώνομαι
9. drug-dealing (n): διακίνηση ναρκωτικών
10. evacuate (v): εκκενώνω
11. gendarme (n) : Γάλλος χωροφύλακας (police officer)
12. hostage (n): όμηρος
13. injury (n): τραυματισμός
14. interior minister (n): υπουργός εσωτερικών
15. intelligence (n): μυστικές πληροφορίες
16. investigation (n): έρευνα
17. lung (n): πνεύμονας
18. ministry: υπουργείο
19. monitor (v): παρακολουθώ
20. movement (n): κίνημα
21. obtain (v): αποκτώ
22. offence (n): παράβαση, αδίκημα
23. outskirts (n): περίχωρα
24. petty (adj): ασήμαντος (minor, unimportant)
25. praise (v): επαινώ
26. proximity (n): εγγύτητα (closeness)
27. puncture (v): τρυπώ
28. radicalise (or radicalize) (v): ριζοσπαστικοποιώ (to make sb/sth extreme)
29. radicalism (n): ριζοσπαστισμός
30. release (v, n): αποφυλακίζω, απελευθερώνω / αποφυλάκιση, απελευθέρωση
31. rib (n): πλευρό
32. riot police (n): ΜΑΤ
33. siege (n): πολιορκία
34. squad (n): ομάδα,διμοιρία
35. state prosecutor (n): εισαγγελέας
36. storm (v): εισβάλλω
37. strike (struck, struck) (v irr): χτυπώ
38. (to be in) solitary confinement (phr): είμαι σε απομόνωση
39. suspect (n, v): ύποπτος, υποπτεύομαι
40. swap (v): ανταλλάζω
41. (to be) under surveillance (phr): είμαι υπό παρακολούθηση
42. victim (n): θύμα
43. volunteer (v, n): προσφέρω εθελοντικά, εθελοντής
44. watchlist (n): λίστα παρακολούθησης
45. wound (v, n): πληγώνω, πληγή