



The police

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Beginner

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Theme:

Law

Topic:

The police

Task	Language focus	Learning activities	Resources
1. Can understand about the Australian police	<p>Vocabulary police, police officer, friendly, helpful, accident, robbery</p> <p>Structure I am not sure.</p>	<p>Discuss and compare the police in Australia and their country</p> <p>Know the local police number 000</p>	Worksheet 1: The Australian police

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The Australian police

Task 1:	Can understand about the Australian police
Vocabulary:	police, police officer, friendly, helpful, accident, robbery
Language structure:	I am not sure.

Note

Be aware that some learners are extremely afraid of the police due to negative experiences in their previous country. This could be a sensitive topic.

Activity instructions

Discuss and compare the police in Australia and their country

- 📄 Worksheet 1: The Australian police
- A. Together look at and discuss pictures on the worksheet.
Discuss the police in learner's country.
- B. Read statements about the police. Explain new vocabulary.
Learner responds to statements by writing Yes, No or Not sure.
- C. Compare the police in Australia to those in learner's country.
Help learner write sentences about the Australian police.

Extension activity

Know the local police number

Together visit the learner's local police station and talk to the officers. Find out the phone number for the local police.

Ensure that the learner knows to phone triple 0 in an emergency and not the local police.

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Worksheet 1: The Australian police

A. Discuss the police in your country.



B. Write **Yes**, **No** or **Not sure**.

In my country:

1. Women can be police officers.
2. People are scared of the police.
3. People pay the police to leave them alone.
4. People call the police if there is an accident.
5. People call the police if there is a robbery.
6. If a police officer asks you for your name and address you must give it.
7. The police help people.
8. The police are friendly.

C. Write sentences about police in Australia.

In Australia:

You can't pay the police.
