Vocabulary **Unit 3.On … duty**

assault: act of attacking a building, an area etc. in order to take control of it/επίθεση

attempt: try to do something/επιχειρώ,προσπαθώ,δοκιμάζω

barracks: buildings where soldiers live/στρατώνας

claim:say that something is true/ισχυρίζομαι,

claim: demand/απαιτώ

commit: to do something wrong or illegal/διαπράττω

congratulate:to praise someone and say that you are pleased about a special or unusual achievement/

συγχαίρω, δίνω συγχαρητήρια

convict: to decide officially or in a law court that someone is guilty of a crime/ καταδικάζω

courage: bravery/θάρρος,γενναιότητα

culminate: to happen at the end of something/κορυφώνομαι

evacuate: to move people from a dangerous place to a safer one/εκκενώνω

former: previous of an earlier time/πρώην

gendarme: member of the French police force/Γάλλος χωροφύλακας

injury: physical harm or damage to someone’s body/τραυματισμός

intelligence: secret information about other countries/μυστικές πληροφορίες

interior minister: minister responsible for domestic affairs/υπουργός εσωτερικών

investigation: official examination of the facts about a crime/αστυνομική έρευνα

merit: to deserve/αξίζω

obtain: to get, acquire/αποκτώ

offence: illegal act/παράβαση, παρανομία

outskirts: areas situated at the edge of a town or city/περίχωρα

petty: unimportant/ασήμαντος

praise: to express admiration for the achievements of a person/επαινώ

state prosecutor: lawyer who acts for the state against someone accused for a crime/εισαγγελέας

proximity: state of being near/εγγύτητα, κοντινή απόσταση

puncture: to make a small whole in something/τρυπώ

radicalize: to make someone believe in the need for extreme social or political change/ ριζοσπαστικοποιώ

radicalism: belief that there should be extreme social or political change/ριζοσπαστισμός

release: allowing someone to leave prison/αποφυλάκιση,απελευθέρωση

riot police: police who are trained to confront crowds, protests or riots/ αστυνομία αποκατάστασης τάξης

sangfroid: ability to remain calm in a difficult or dangerous situation/ ψυχραιμία

siege: situation in which an armed force surrounds a building to force people to come out/πολιορκία

solitary confinement: punishment in which a prisoner is kept alone in a separate cell/απομόνωση

squad: small group of soldiers/ μικρή ομάδα στρατιωτών

storm: to suddenly attack a place/εισβάλλω

surveillance: careful watching of a person or place to prevent a crime/ παρακολούθηση

swap: exchange/ανταλλαγή

via: through, by means of/ μέσω

watchlist: list of people whose activity is monitored to check that they are not doing something illegal/ λίστα παρακολούθησης (επικίνδυνων) ατόμων

wounded: hurt/ τραυματισμένος