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1 Read these words and the definitions. Make sure you understand them before listening to the test.

- warlord:** an unofficial leader of a military group
counter-piracy task force: an international group that fights piracy
faint-hearted: lacking in courage
compromising: revealing something embarrassing or incriminating

2 Read the first paragraph of the script. What do you think it will be about?

Presenter: Welcome to *Flick of the week*. This is a programme where we review different films and give our recommendations. Do you enjoy crime stories? Do you like thrillers with action and suspense? If so, this week is your week as we're covering films based on real crimes. There are already a lot of older, successful films such as *Catch Me If You Can*, *Bonnie and Clyde* and *Donnie Brasco*. We have chosen three more recent films with quite different stories that are all packed with action and great to watch.

3  15 Listen and choose the best answers.

- 1 The films being reviewed are films ...
 - a about fictional crimes.
 - b based on crime novels.
 - c based on crimes that really happened.
 - d about famous criminals.
- 2 The pirates hijacked the ship because they ...
 - a needed money for their families.
 - b wanted to be rich.
 - c had to pay off a military leader.
 - d enjoyed hijacking ships.
- 3 When the gang left the ship, they ...
 - a murdered Captain Phillips.
 - b took Captain Phillips and the crew hostage.
 - c stole over \$300,000.
 - d kidnapped Captain Phillips.
- 4 John Dillinger was a ...
 - a forger.
 - b thief.
 - c murderer.
 - d member of the mob.
- 5 The presenter thinks this film is not for ...
 - a nervous people.
 - b your grandparents.
 - c families.
 - d people in their early twenties.
- 6 Terry Leather decided to rob the bank because ...
 - a his ex-girlfriend persuaded him it was a good idea.
 - b MI5 told him to.
 - c his girlfriend asked him to.
 - d he needed to make some money quickly.
- 7 What was the real target of the robbery?
 - a jewellery
 - b photographs
 - c money
 - d criminal evidence
- 8 Why were other criminals looking for Terry?
 - a They thought he had stolen evidence that could be used against them.
 - b They wanted a share of the money from the robbery.
 - c They were worried he would tell the police about them.
 - d They were worried he had evidence against the corrupt policemen.