

Each year, the crime rate increases. What are the causes of crime and what could be done to prevent this rise in criminal activity?

It is needless to say that in many countries the rate of crime is increasing. (While poverty and crime can be cited as the most common....)While poverty and lack of education are the most common causes of it, the measures for preventing it ~~to~~ to become more rampant might be found only in ~~by~~ improving social economies and enhancing education levels.

Firstly, Poverty and the lack of education, which are entwined with each other, are the most common causes of all crimes. Many impoverished people, especially those who may be ~~are maybe~~ indolent and illiterate, ~~they~~ always place the blame of their situations on politics or social fissures. They do so because they want to create a pretext for satisfying themselves and finding an easy way for achieving their aspirations and ambitions. Most of these people ~~do not~~ have meager education and often are addicted to drugs. Barring becoming rich, many impoverished people perpetrate crime only because they are not educated enough to distinguish between wrong and right.

Secondly, there is incontrovertible evidence that governments can prevent the growing number of criminals significantly and expeditiously. For example, governments not only can raise society's awareness of the grave consequences of the lack of education, but also they can dedicate more budgets to education. Moreover, since poverty is another cause of crime, in many developed countries impoverished people can live under/by some social welfare. These courses of action can prevent wrongdoers from wrongdoing.

To sum up, from the author's perspective, the most important causes of crime can be traced to poverty and education. However, by improving the social economy and raising individuals' education levels, the burgeoning rate of crime can be reduced.