

# Teen arrested for plotting attack at Taylor Swift concert

### Description

In a stunning turn of events, Austrian authorities have made a third arrest in connection with the thwarted plot to attack three Taylor Swift concerts, a plan that has left fans heartbroken but united in solidarity in Vienna.

The main suspect, a 19-year-old, had nefarious intentions to harm the thousands gathered outside Ernst Happel Stadium during the concerts, aiming to cause mass casualties with knives or explosives. His devious plot was thankfully foiled by law enforcement officials.

Two other suspects, including a 17-year-old Austrian and an 18-year-old Iraqi citizen, were also apprehended in relation to the scheme. While the 18-year-old had pledged allegiance to terrorist groups, he was not directly involved in the planned attack.

The atmosphere in Vienna remains somber as fans come to terms with the cancellation of the concerts. Despite the disappointment, Swifties have shown resilience by coming together, singing Taylor Swift's songs, swapping friendship bracelets, and finding solace in each other's company.

Swift herself has remained silent on the matter, but her fans continue to show unwavering support for the artist they admire. This incident, reminiscent of past tragedies at concerts, serves as a stark reminder of the ever-present threat of extremism.

Authorities are conducting a thorough investigation into the suspects and their connections, emphasizing the need to combat terrorism in all its forms. The swift action taken by law enforcement has potentially averted a major catastrophe, underscoring the importance of vigilance and security measures at public events.

As the investigation unfolds, the global community stands in solidarity with Vienna, holding onto the hope for a safer and more secure future, where music and joy can once again reign supreme.

# **Vocabulary List:**

- 1. Thwarted /'0wo:rtid/ (adjective): Prevented from accomplishing a purpose.
- 2. Nefarious /nəˈfɛr.i.əs/ (adjective): Wicked or criminal in nature.
- 3. Apprehended /, ap.r1'hend1d/ (verb): Caught or arrested especially by law enforcement.
- 4. **Solidarity** /,spl.I'dær.I.ti/ (noun): Unity or agreement of feeling or action among individuals with a common interest.
- 5. Catastrophe /kə'tæstrəfi/ (noun): An event causing great and often sudden damage or suffering.
- 6. **Extremism** /ɪk'stri:.mɪ.zəm/ (noun): The holding of extreme political or religious views that may incite violence.



## **Comprehension Questions**

#### **Multiple Choice**

1. What was the main suspect's age in connection with the thwarted plot?

Option: 17 Option: 18 Option: 19 Option: 20

2. Where did the main suspect aim to cause mass casualties during the concerts?

Option: Outside Ernst Happel Stadium Option: Inside the concert venue Option: At a nearby park Option: On public transportation

3. Which country's citizenship did the 18-year-old suspect hold?

Option: Austrian Option: German Option: Iraqi Option: French

4. What did fans do to show resilience and solidarity after the concert cancellation?

Option: Protested outside the stadium Option: Engaged in violent actions Option: Sang Taylor Swift's songs swapped friendship bracelets found solace in each other's company Option: Boycotted all future Taylor Swift events

5. What is the main emphasis of the authorities during the investigation?

Option: Bringing public figures to justice Option: Improving public transportation Option: Combating terrorism in all its forms Option: Enhancing tourism in Vienna

6. What key message does the swift action taken by law enforcement underscore?

Option: The importance of cultural events Option: The significance of sports activities



Option: The need for stricter traffic regulations Option: The importance of vigilance and security measures at public events

### Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. 19 2. Outside Ernst Happel Stadium 3. Iraqi 4. Sang Taylor Swift's songs swapped friendship bracelets found solace in each other's company 5. Combating terrorism in all its forms 6. The importance of vigilance and security measures at public events

# Vocabulary quizzes

#### Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is the meaning of thwarted?

Option: A. Hindered or stopped Option: B. Supportive or encouraging Option: C. Easy or straightforward Option: D. Bright or sunny

- 2. Which term refers to holding extreme political or religious views?
  - Option: A. Solidarity Option: B. Extremism Option: C. Holistic Option: D. Apology
- 3. What do complexities refer to?

Option: A. Simple problems Option: B. Complicated issues Option: C. One-dimensional challenges Option: D. Straightforward tasks

4. Autoimmune is related to disorders in which the body attacks its own \_\_\_\_\_

Option: A. Bones Option: B. Organs Option: C. Skin Option: D. Neurons

5. What does the term "regret" generally mean?

Option: A. Happiness Option: B. Sorrow or remorse



Option: C. Acceptance Option: D. Pride

- 6. What does "revolutionize" indicate? Option: A. Maintain status quo Option: B. Implement small changes
  - Option: C. Completely change and transform
  - Option: D. Follow established norms

7. Decoherence is a phenomenon in physics related to the loss of \_\_\_\_\_\_ in quantum systems.

- Option: A. Momentum Option: B. Energy Option: C. Entanglement Option: D. Stability
- 8. What does "methodology" primarily refer to?
  - Option: A. No specific approach Option: B. A systematic way of doing things Option: C. Random procedures Option: D. One-time experiment
- 9. What field of study combines astronomy and physics?

Option: A. Quantum mechanics Option: B. Geology Option: C. Astrophysics Option: D. Psychology

10. What does "advocacy" involve?

Option: A. Opposing opinions

- Option: B. Promoting a cause or idea
- Option: C. Remaining silent
- Option: D. Indecisiveness

#### Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The suspect was finally \_\_\_\_\_\_ by the authorities after weeks of investigation.

12. Macroscopic objects are visible to the naked \_\_\_\_\_\_.

13. He offered a sincere \_\_\_\_\_\_ for his mistake.



- 14. The company \_\_\_\_\_\_ its efforts to meet the deadline.
- 15. An \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a doctor who specializes in hormone-related disorders.
- 16. The controversial decision led to a severe \_\_\_\_\_\_ from the public.
- 17. The earthquake was a \_\_\_\_\_\_ causing widespread destruction.
- 18. The artist was known for his \_\_\_\_\_\_ paintings that left viewers puzzled.
- 19. The dancers moved in perfect \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the music.
- 20. In the study the scientists found that smoking was \_\_\_\_\_\_ with a higher risk of lung

cancer.

#### Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. After the natural disaster the community came together in to support those affected.

22. The team experienced when they realized they had lost the championship.

23. The holistic approach to healthcare considers the entire person including their physical mental and emotional well-being.

24. The coach implemented a training program that significantly improved the team's performance.

25. A genuine can help repair relationships and rebuild trust.

26. The discovery of the new species had significant for biodiversity conservation.

- 27. The plot of the movie centered around a plan to overthrow the government.
- 28. Quantum physics explores the mysterious phenomenon of between particles.

29. According to Einstein's theory of relativity massive objects create a pull in space-time.

30. He expressed deep for his actions and its consequences.



### Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. A. Hindered or stopped 2. B. Extremism 3. B. Complicated issues 4. B. Organs 5. B. Sorrow or remorse 6. C. Completely change and transform 7. C. Entanglement 8. B. A systematic way of doing things 9. C. Astrophysics 10. B. Promoting a cause or idea

**Gap-Fill:** 11. apprehended 12. eye 13. apology 14. accelerated 15. endocrinologist 16. backlash 17. catastrophe 18. enigmatic 19. synchronized 20. correlated

**Matching sentence:** 1. Solidarity 2. Dismay 3. Holistic 4. Transformative 5. Apology 6. Implication 7. Nefarious 8. Entanglement 9. Gravitational 10. Regret

#### CATEGORY

1. Entertainment - LEVEL6

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