

### Civil vs. Criminal Courts Quiz

1. How many types of laws are there?

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2. What are the types of laws referred to in the above question?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

3. What type of law enforcement officers enforce the types of laws discussed?

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4. What is a reason peace officers need to know the difference between the laws?

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5. What is it called when officers are called out to calls that they cannot enforce any laws on?

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6. What would an example of the above be?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

7. What are officers expected to do during these calls?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

d. \_\_\_\_\_

8. In what type of law might officers have to testify?

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9. In what type of law is the prosecutor the one who brings the charges and the defendant the one on trial?

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10. In what type of law is the plaintiff or petitioner the one bringing the case and the one defending the respondent?

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11. What kind of civil law includes redress for harm done to another that is not criminal?

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12. What kind of civil law regulates varied legal transactions between groups and individuals?

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13. What are violations of statutory law called?

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14. In what type of law is the punishment monetary, time spent in jail or prison, probation, community service, or all of the above, plus a report of this on a defendant's criminal record if found guilty?

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15. In what type of law is the punishment often times monetary which is paid to another person or institution?

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16. What kind of law concerns the private rights of individuals and organizations in which the government provides a public forum for the resolution of disputes?

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17. What kind of law involves the violation of statutory laws in which the state (the government) is the prosecutor?

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18. What kind of law has the burden of proof of "beyond a reasonable doubt"?

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19. What kind of law has the burden of proof of "preponderance of the evidence"?

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20. What kind of law deals primarily with individual or property rights?

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21. Some examples of this type of law are arson, rape, and armed robbery.

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22. In this type of law, determination of guilt results in punishment.

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23. This kind of law deals with public concepts of proper behavior and morality.

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24. With this kind of law the court remedy is relief from or compensation for the violation of legal rights.

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25. What kind of law has strict rules of procedure that are used to evaluate evidence?

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