

HANDOUT 11: Court Personnel Roles



Match the Court Personnel to their Role

Plaintiff
Accused
Crown Counsel
Defence Counsel

Deputy Sheriff
Defendant
Court Clerk
Judge

Jury
Witness
Police Officer

1. Person who settles legal arguments between the lawyers. _____
2. Person who files a Statement of Claim in a civil trial. _____
3. Person who swears in the witnesses at a trial. _____
4. Person who tapes all of the information or testimony given by the witnesses in a trial. _____
5. Person who protects the judge and the jury. _____
6. Person who presents evidence to the court that the government has gathered against the accused. _____
7. Person who defends the accused and attempts to create a reasonable doubt in the mind of the judge or jury. _____
8. People who listen to the facts of the case and decide whether the accused is not guilty or guilty of the offence. Consists of 12 members.

9. Person who gives facts to the court regarding the case. _____
10. Person who the government has charged with breaking the law.

11. Person who arrests the accused and files charges. _____
12. Person who files a Statement of Defence in a civil trial. _____