



## Section Five

- Courtroom Behavior



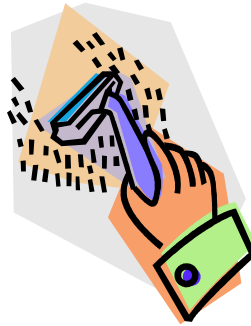
When you go to Court, how should you dress?





# How to dress for Court :

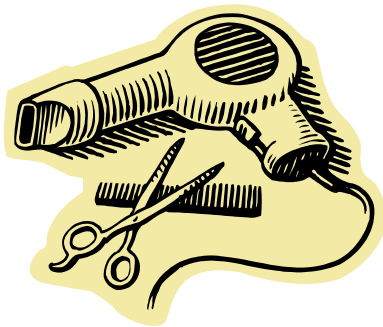
- Be clean and well groomed





# How to dress for Court :

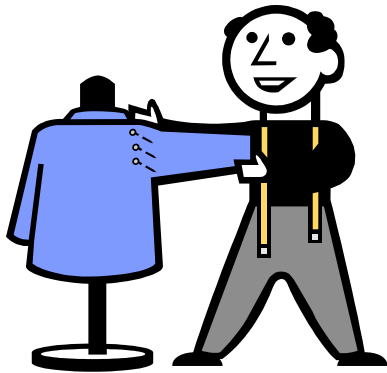
- Don't forget to comb your hair





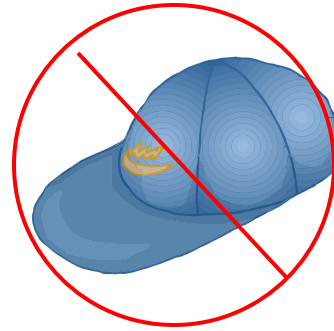
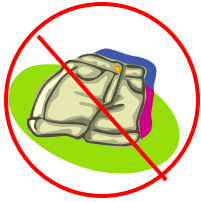
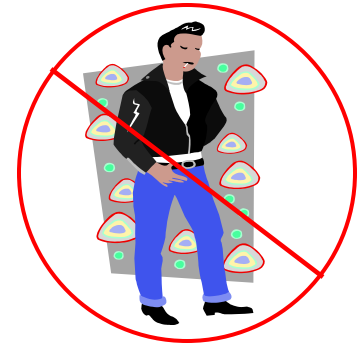
# How to dress for Court :

- Your clothing should be clean and neat





- And conservative





When you go to Court, how should you act?





# How to act in Court :

- Don't gesture or call out to your relatives or friends who are in the courtroom

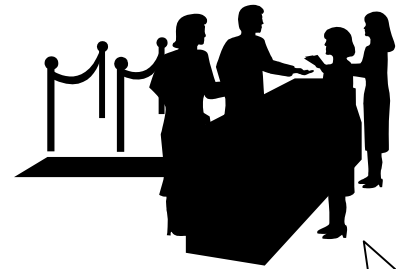






# How to act in Court :

- Be respectful to the Judge
- Address the Judge as “Your Honor”
- Always stand up when you speak to the Judge



Thank you,  
Your Honor.



# How to act in Court :

- Also show respect to the attorneys, bailiff, court employees and witnesses.





# How to act in Court :

- Sit quietly next to your attorney



- Pay attention and listen to what is being said



- Speak out loud **ONLY** when the Judge asks you a question





# How to act in Court :

- Whisper or write a note to your attorney when:
  - ✿ someone says something you don't understand, or
  - ✿ to tell or ask your attorney about something





What should you do if you're asked a question you don't understand?





If you're asked a question that you don't understand :



- Ask to have the question repeated

- If you're still unsure,



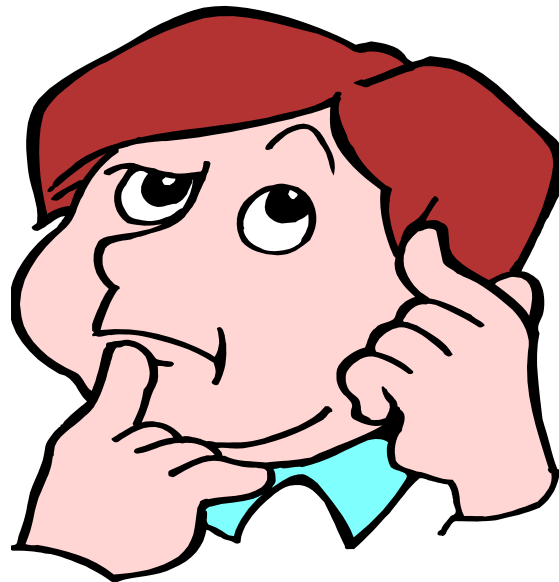
- ask to have the question reworded or explained

- keep asking until you do understand





What should you do if a witness says something that's not true?





If someone says something that's  
not true



- Whisper or write a note to your attorney







- Don't make comments, gestures, or facial expressions to the witnesses





What will happen if you are  
Rude? Disrespectful? Angry?  
in the Courtroom?





# Rude? Disrespectful? Angry?

- Scolded by the Judge



- Restrained by the Bailiff



- Removed from the courtroom



- Contempt of Court = fine and /or jail time

