



INDIAN SCHOOL AL WADI AL KABIR

Class: VIII	Department: Social Science	Sub: Civics
Worksheet No: 11	Topic: Understanding Our Criminal Justice System	Year: 2022-23

I	Multiple Choice Questions :-
1	Who pleads on behalf of an accused person in a trial in the court? a) Public prosecutor. b) Defence lawyer. c) Police. d) All of these.
2	Who among the following does not play a role in the criminal justice system? a) The Police. b) The Public. c) The Judge. d) The Defence Lawyer.
3	Who cannot be called to the police station only for questioning? a) A boy under 15 years b) Women c) Government Employees d) Both (a) and (b)
4	What is the full form of 'FIR'? a) First Investigation Report b) First Information Report c) Final Investigation Report d) Final Information Report
5	The act of keeping an accused in custody by the police is known as: - a) Cross-examine b) Detention c) FIR d) All of these
II	Fill in the blanks: -
6	----- provides the Right not to be ill-treated or tortured during arrest or in custody. Article 22.
7	The Constitution ensures that every individual charged with a crime have to provide a----- Fair Trial.
8	A criminal offence is regarded as ----- Public wrong.
9	The Person who is called upon in the court to give a first-hand account of what is seen, heard or knows about an offence is ----- Witness.
10	----- represents the interest of the state in the trial of a crime. The Public Prosecutor.
III	Very short answer type questions: -
11	Name the officers who play key role in the criminal justice system. The Police, the Public Prosecutor, the Defence lawyer and the Judge play key role in the criminal justice system.
12	What is the role of the police in a crime? The role of the police is to investigate any complaint about the commission of a crime.
13	Who decides whether an accused person is guilty or innocent? The judge decides whether an accused person is guilty or innocent.
14	Where does the judge conducts the trial? The judge conducts the trial impartially in an open court.
15	What does an accused mean?

	This refers to the person who is tried by a court for a crime.
IV	Answer the following: -
16	<p>What is a charge sheet?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A charge sheet is formal document of accusation prepared by the police. • It is the final report, which describes a crime that has been committed. • Once it is submitted in the court, prosecution proceeds against the accused.
17	<p>What is the role of a judge in the judicial system?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The judge conducts the trial impartially in an open court. • The judge hears all the witnesses and any other evidence presented by the prosecution and the defence. • The judge decides whether the accused person is guilty or innocent on the basis of the evidence presented and in accordance with the law. • If the accused is convicted, then the judge pronounces the sentence. • The judge may send the person to jail or impose a fine or both, depending on what the law prescribes.
18	<p>Write a brief note on the criminal procedure in the Criminal Justice System in India.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A crime is first reported by the victim to the police and the police file a FIR or First Information Report. • Then the police begin the investigation and arrest the suspected person or persons. • The police then file a charge sheet in the Magistrate's Court. • The trial begins in court. The Public Prosecutor represents the victim and the accused can defend themselves with the help of a lawyer. • Once the trial is over the accused is either convicted or acquitted. If convicted, the accused can appeal to the higher court.