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9-Honors

LEGAL TERMS

acquittal	appeal	contempt	convict
cross-examine	defendant	evidence	jury
litigant	prosecute	solicitor	subpoena
testify	testimony	verdict	venue

1. The locality from which a jury is called and in which a trial is held is the _____.
2. A(n) _____ is a legal writ requiring one's appearance in court.
3. A(n) _____ is a body of persons sworn to hear a case and hand down a verdict.
4. The chief law officer in a city, town, or government department is a(n) _____.
5. One who is engaged in a lawsuit is a(n) _____.
6. To _____ is to bear witness under oath.
7. One against whom an action is brought is a(n) _____.
8. _____ is a declaration of fact given before a court by a witness.
9. To question a witness already examined by the opposing side is to _____.
10. Open disrespect toward the authority of a court of law is _____.
11. _____ is statements, documents, and objects admissible as testimony.
12. In a criminal case, to initiate legal or court action against someone is to _____.
13. The decision reached by a jury is the _____.
14. A(n) _____ is the judgment of a jury or judge that a person is not guilty.
15. To _____ is to request a transfer of a case to a higher court for a new trial.
16. To _____ is to find guilty by verdict of a court.