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**Criminal Justice System and the Courts Crossword Puzzle**



**Across**

1. The highest court in the federal system
2. There are 254 of these in Texas
3. Document that created the judicial branch
4. Type of case that deals with an individual’s private rights
5. Court system that deals with United States laws
6. Type of case when someone is accused of committing a crime
7. There are 18 Statutory \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Courts in Texas
8. Court that hears felony cases in Texas
9. Means by which federal judges are placed in office

**Down**

1. The Court of Criminal Appeals hears these appeals in the state of Texas
2. There are two courts of last \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Texas
3. Hears cases of city ordinance violations
4. The Texas Supreme Court is located here
5. The Supreme Court's authority to decide what is constitutional, as decided in Marbury v. Madison
6. Means by which judges in Texas are placed in office
7. Justice of the Peace does not have to be a licensed one of these
8. Court system that deals with state laws
9. Number of Supreme Court justices
10. What an appellate court hears from a lower court
11. Two court systems in the United States

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Appeal

Appointed

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Austin

Civil

Constitution

Counties

Criminal

Death Penalty

District

Dual

Elected

Federal

Judicial Review

Municipal Court

Nine

Probate

Resort

State

Supreme Court