Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Period: \_\_\_\_

Intro to Laws Part 3

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a court to hear and decide a case.
2. Some courts have "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_" jurisdiction, which means they may hear *\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*of cases; other courts have "\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_" jurisdiction, which means they may only hear *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* of cases
	1. Do you feel it would be necessary for the Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) to hear a case involving you suing your friend for $500 over allegedly damaging your cell phone?
	2. If you were caught speeding on Lakeshore Blvd. in Eastlake, which court would hear your case if you wanted to dispute it?
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has **jurisdiction** over \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ communities and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ agencies, which include the Cities of Eastlake, Kirtland, Wickliffe, Willoughby, Willoughby Hills and Willowick, and the Villages of Kirtland Hills, Lakeline, Timberlake and Waite Hill. The Court also has **jurisdiction** over the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the Cuyahoga and Lake County Metroparks located within its **jurisdiction**, the Eastlake Port Authority, and 10 other State and County Agencies.
4. Willoughby Municipal Court \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, ordinance violations and traffic cases occurring within its **jurisdiction**, civil cases (***where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or less*** is in controversy) and small claim complaints (***where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or less*** is in controversy) and landlord cases
5. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has exclusive **jurisdiction** concerning any person \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who is alleged to be a juvenile traffic offender, delinquent, unruly, abused, neglected, or dependent child.
6. The Juvenile Court also has **jurisdiction** in adult cases involving paternity, child abuse, non-support, contributing to the delinquency of minors, and failure to send children to school
7. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Painesville, General Division, has **jurisdiction** to hear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cases where the penalty imposed could be community control (probation) up to life imprisonment, or in some cases, death.
8. The court hears civil cases with no limit on the amount that can be awarded. In addition, it hears appeals from the decisions of state and local administrative agencies.
9. About 3,300 new cases are filed each year, including 1000 felony cases and 800 foreclosure cases.

