

Quiz: True or False

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1. All nine Supreme Court judges must agree in order to pass a ruling.
2. Canada has two legal systems: one is based on British common law and the other is based on French civil law.
3. In Canada, only the Prime Minister and the Governor General are not subject to the law.
4. In 1928, women were not considered to be persons under Canadian law.
5. Before 1960, Aboriginal people who chose to vote in federal elections were no longer considered to be Indians under the Indian Act.
6. A minor convicted of a violent criminal act can be tried as an adult in Canada.
7. The highest court in Canada is the Court of Queen's Bench.
8. An accused person in Manitoba can choose to have court proceedings in English or in French.
9. It is a crime in Canada to spread hate against people because of their colour, race, religion, or ethnic origin.
10. It is against the law to take a car or boat for a joyride without the owner's consent.
11. All jury trials are criminal cases.
12. A person charged with assault can ask for a jury trial instead of a trial by judge alone.
13. In a trial by jury, all twelve jurors must agree with the verdict.
14. Police officers, lawyers, and Members of Parliament are not allowed to sit on a jury.
15. A store manager has the right to detain someone accused of shoplifting until the police arrive at the store.
16. If a person is caught with stolen goods, the store manager has the right to search his or her pockets and backpack looking for more stolen items.
17. The principal does not have the right to open and search student lockers.
18. It is illegal for websites to secretly gather personal information on you.
19. It is a criminal offence to follow someone around when they don't want you to.
20. If my dad moves out of our house, this means my mother automatically has custody of the children.

