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**Activity: Media
Magistrates**

Learning objective

At the end of this activity you should be able to:

- Describe the work of a magistrate.

For the following questions, give the view of the magistrate in the clip.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fCybrBaKj8s>

1. What do magistrates do?
2. What qualities are required to be a magistrate?
3. Do you think magistrates are out of touch?
4. Are there typical sorts of cases that you deal with as a magistrate on a regular basis?
5. Do you think sentencing is generally too lenient?
6. How do you ensure sentencing is consistent?
7. How are victims considered in sentencing?
8. Would you recommend becoming a magistrate to other people?