

Introduction: Questions about the Michigan Supreme Court

In order to discover students' prior knowledge of this subject, these questions may be delivered by the teacher and a subsequent discussion may be led.

1. What does the Michigan Supreme Court do?
2. Can you name any former or current Michigan Supreme Court justices?
3. Where is the state Supreme Court located?
4. Has Michigan always had a Supreme Court?
5. Has this Court always been located in Lansing?
6. Is there a jury involved in a state Supreme Court case?
7. Can any lawyer argue a case in front of the Michigan Supreme Court?
8. Do you know of any particular cases or issues that have been in front of the Court in recent years?
9. What sort of cases does the Michigan Supreme Court hear?