

Federal & State Court Systems Diagram

Directions: Working individually or in a group of two, you will draw two separate diagrams to represent the hierarchy of the federal and a state of your own choosing court systems. Follow the rubric below when creating your diagrams.

Criteria	Points
Federal Court System	
Include the names of all courts involved in the Federal Court System	0 1 2 3 4 5
List what types of cases are heard or what type of jurisdiction each court holds	0 1 2 3 4 5
Give the locations of the courts	0 1 2 3
Clearly define the hierarchy of the courts	0 1 2 3
State Court System (Choose one)	
Include the names of all courts involved in your state's court system	0 1 2 3 4 5
List what types of cases are heard or what type of jurisdiction each court holds	0 1 2 3 4 5
Give the locations of the courts	0 1 2 3
Clearly define the hierarchy of the courts	0 1 2 3
Overall	
Both diagrams are easy to read	0 1 2 3
Contains accurate information	0 1 2
Includes a bibliography of sources used in MLA Format	0 1 2 3
Total	_____/40