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| **Across**  **7.** Area over which the court has authority to decide case  **10.** A disagreement between parties that is resolved by the court(This is what goes to court)  **12.** Has the power to review the judgment of another lower court with an appeal  **13.** This is a court decision in an earlier case with facts and laws that are similar to a case in a court at the time that will usually govern the decision of a later similar case, unless a party can show that it was wrongly decided or that it differed in some significant way  **14.** A punishment ordered by a court for a defendant who has committed a crime  **15.** a court of justice  **17.** The decision of a judge or jury  **19.** An opinion written by a justice that disagrees with the majority opinion  **20.** This term is a written statement submitted by the lawyer for each side in a case that explains to the judge why they should decide the case in favor of that lawyer's client | **Down**  **1.** An opinion agreed on by over half of the justices  **2.** Permission given to a person who is poor and cannot afford for the case to go to the Court  **3.** Latin means "friend of the court" a people interested in influencing the outcome of a lawsuit but not an actual party  **4.** A written opinion by one or more justices that agrees with the verdict but wants to put it in own words  **5.** This term is an order issued by the Supreme Court directing the lower court to send records for a case in which it will hear an appeal  **6.** The highest court in the United States  **8.** One party writes this because they disagree with the court's decision asking another court to decide if the trial was conducted correctly  **9.** The person accused of a crime  **11.** A promise to tell the truth  **16.** A judge of the supreme court of a country or state  **18.** A place where cases are decided during a tribunal |