



Federal Courts' National Educational Outreach that Involves, Informs, Inspires, and Ignites

CASES HANDLED IN FEDERAL COURTS

This is a teaching tool that simplifies key concepts for students. Find more information in the educational resources section of uscourts.gov

Simplified



WHAT KINDS OF LEGAL ISSUES COME TO FEDERAL COURTS?



CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS • INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS • FEDERAL ISSUES

- U.S. Constitution
- Criminal Laws Made by Congress
- Federal Laws and Regulations
- Crimes on Federal Land
- Habeas Corpus Petitions



CASES THAT CROSS STATE LINES

- State v. State
- Individuals and Businesses in Different States
- Transportation and Business Transactions Across State Lines



CASES THAT CROSS INTERNATIONAL LINES

- International Commerce Regulations
- International Trade Laws
- Foreign States and Foreign Nationals
- Admiralty Laws



CASES INVOLVING FINANCE, STOCK MARKET, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

- Bankruptcy
- Stock Market-Related Issues
- Patent, Copyright, Intellectual Property

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