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**Elements of Crime and Categories of Punishment Quiz**

1. Name at least two places criminal law comes from.

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1. How old does a person have to be to be charged as an adult in Texas?

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1. True or False – All of the elements of an offense do not have to be proven for someone to be charged with a crime.

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1. What is required to convict a person of a crime?

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1. There are three different things that, when they exist, excuse the person who committed the crime from being charged. What are they?

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1. When a person should have been aware of a risk but they were not, their culpable mental state was

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1. When a person was aware with reasonable certainty, their culpable mental state was

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1. When a person was aware but consciously disregarded a substantial and unjustifiable risk that was a gross deviation of what a normal person would do, their culpable mental state was

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1. When a person's conscious objective was to commit the crime they committed, their culpable mental state was

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1. True or False - Ignorance of a law is not an excuse for breaking that law.

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1. List at least three general defenses to prosecution.

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1. What is the punishment for a capital felony?

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1. What kind of crime receives 2 to 20 years in prison and/or a fine up to $10,000?

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1. What kind of crime receives 180 days to 2 years in jail and/or a fine up to $10,000?

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1. What kind of crime receives 2 to 10 years in jail and/or a fine up to $10,000?

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1. What kind of crime receives up to 1 year in jail and/or up to a $4,000 fine?

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1. What kind of crime receives up to 180 days in jail and/or up to a $2,000 fine?

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1. What kind of crime receives up to a $500 fine?

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1. What is the level of punishment for criminal attempt?

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1. In criminal conspiracy, what are two or more people agreeing to commit?

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