

UK Supreme Court

Hears appeals on points of law in cases of major public importance

The Court of Appeal

Hears appeals on points of law in criminal and civil cases from all courts

The High Court

Hears complex or important civil cases in and appeals from county court

County Courts

Hear a wide range of civil actions including Small Claims and family cases

The Crown Court

Hears all serious criminal cases.

Magistrates' Courts (including Youth Courts and Family Proceedings)

Hears less serious criminal cases, cases involving juveniles and civil and family cases.

Coroners' Courts

Investigate unexplained deaths.

The Enforcement of Judgments Office

Enforces civil judgments