

# My Trip to the Courthouse

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Philadelphia County

# Getting Ready to Leave for Court

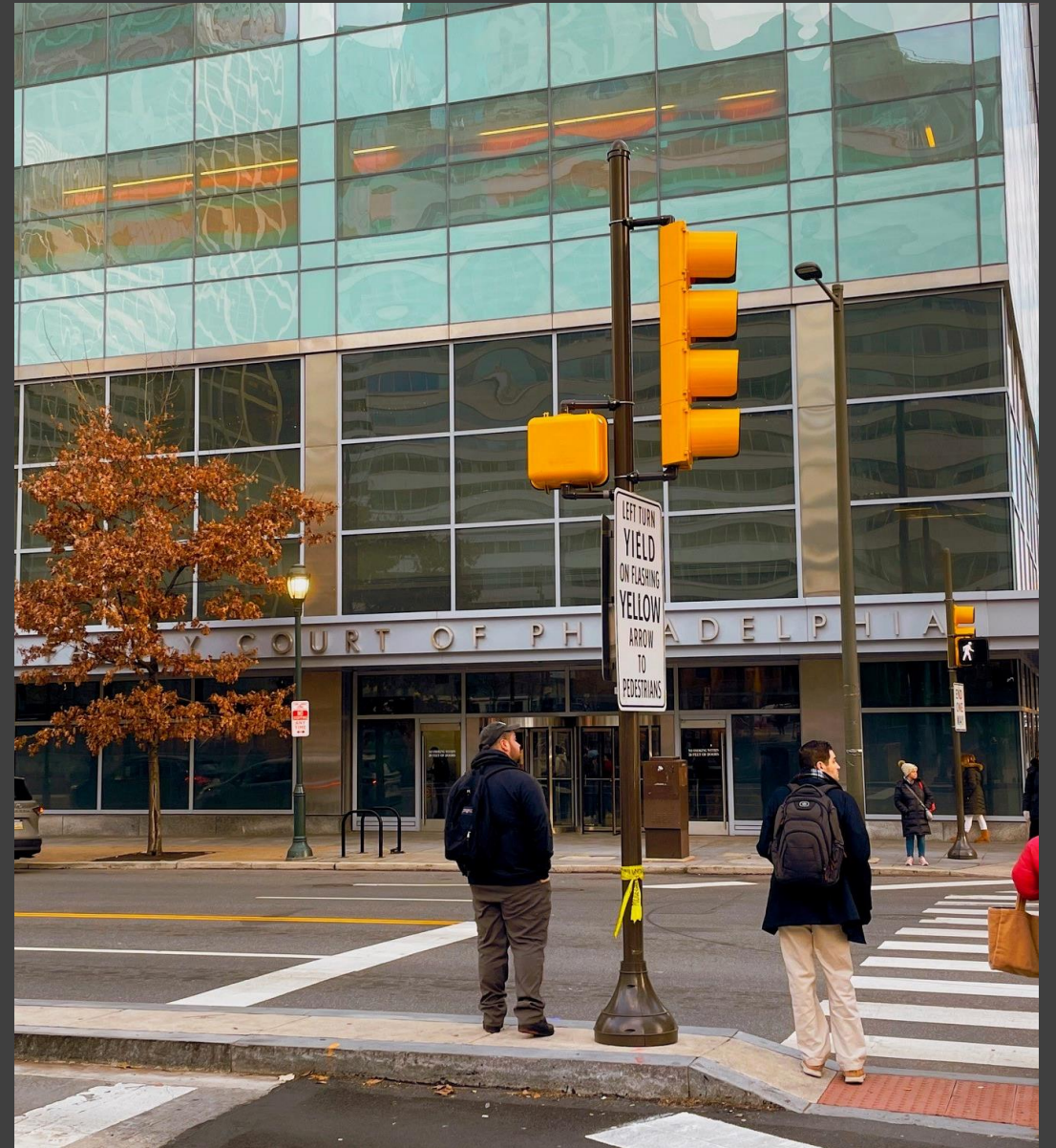
Before we leave for court, we may want to pack a bag in case we have to wait a long time to see the judge.

We might want to take a fidget or favorite toy.

The courthouse might also be loud. We should pack my noise reduction headphones.



# The Courthouse



# Arriving at the Courthouse

When we get to the courthouse, we will have to go through large revolving doors to get inside the courthouse.



# Security



Once we are inside the courthouse, we will need to go through security. They may look through my bag and put it through a machine. This is okay! Security helps keep everyone safe. We want to be safe too!



## Riding the Elevators

We will need to ride the elevator to get to my courtroom.

It is a very short ride, so it will be okay.



# Walking to the Courtroom

We will walk through the hallway to get to our courtroom.

There might be a lot of people and noise in the hallway.



# Waiting Area

We may have to wait outside the courtroom until we are invited inside.

That is because the courthouse is busy, and everyone is taking their time to make careful decisions.

It is important to stay with my grown-up.

If I need to go the bathroom, I just need to ask the grown-up with me.



# New Friend at the Courthouse



We may also make new friends at the courthouse.

Willow is a friendly dog who can sit with me during my court hearing.



## Inside the Courtroom

When we are invited into the courtroom, we will see a lot of people. We will be asked to sit in a special spot. The judge will sit at the front of the courtroom. The Judge will want to see me and ask me questions. That is because the Judge wants to know me!

# Leaving the Courthouse



When we leave the courthouse we may have to wait for a ride or walk to public transportation. It will be noisy on the street. There are lots of cars and people. I need to remember to stay with my grown-up.

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