

The barrister

I spent the second week of work experience with a barrister. Unfortunately the week I went to the barrister he didn't have anything going on in court.

I went to the Four Courts everyday and watched cases going on there in the different courtrooms like the Supreme Court, the District Court and the Master's court.

I had the opportunity to talk to different barristers about what it is like to study law and become a barrister. There was a lot of waiting around between cases and waiting for your appeal to heard, and I found it difficult to be patient.

I discovered that I wouldn't be interested ever in studying law, but I am glad I did the week there because I now know more about the profession and the day-to-day life of a barrister.