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Lawyers and judges want to make sure that all Californians are treated fairly.
LAWYERS AND JUDGES MAKE SURE A PERSON WHO IS ACCUSED OF A CRIME GETS A FAIR TRIAL.
JUDGES AND LAWYERS HELP PEOPLE WHO WANT TO ADOPT A CHILD...

AND ALSO HELP KIDS WHO DON'T HAVE A HOME FIND ONE.
LAWYERS ALSO HELP PEOPLE WHO WANT TO START A COMPANY OR BUSINESS BY MAKING SURE THEY KNOW WHAT LAWS MUST BE FOLLOWED...
...AND ALSO HELPING BUSINESS OWNERS MAKE COMPANIES SAFE PLACES TO WORK
LAWYERS AND JUDGES MAKE SURE THAT LAWS KEEP OUR WATER AND AIR CLEAN AND SAFE.

LAWYERS HELP PEOPLE WHO WANT TO BUY A HOUSE BY MAKING SURE THE SELLER IS HONEST WITH THE BUYER.

LAWYERS HELP PEOPLE MAKE WILLS SO THAT AFTER THOSE PEOPLE DIE, THEIR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN KNOW WHAT SHOULD BE DONE WITH THEIR THINGS.
LAWYERS HELP ELECTED OFFICIALS MAKE LAWS AND RULES THAT ARE FAIR TO EVERYBODY.
WHEN PEOPLE CANNOT AGREE ABOUT SOMETHING, LIKE WHERE A BOUNDARY IS BETWEEN TWO HOUSES, THE JUDGE WILL HELP DECIDE WHAT IS FAIR FOR EVERYBODY.

JUDGES HELP MAKE SOMEONE A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES.
JUDGES ARE LIKE UMPIRES-
THEY MAKE SURE RULES ARE FOLLOWED
AND THEY ARE FAIR TO BOTH SIDES.
CREATING GREATER DIVERSITY IN THE LEGAL PROFESSION BEGINS IN KINDERGARTEN AND CONTINUES THROUGH LAW SCHOOL. FROM COMIC BOOKS TO OUR DIVERSE LAWYER VIDEO SERIES, TO SENDING LAWYERS INTO THE CLASSROOM, TO MENTORING STUDENTS IN COLLEGE, WE ARE COMMITTED TO DEMYSTIFYING WHAT A LAWYER DOES AND WHAT A LAWYER LOOKS LIKE. DAY BY DAY, YEAR BY YEAR, WE ARE PLANTING SEEDS THAT THE PROFESSION IS WITHIN REACH.

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