Section 2 - Mock trial layout

The following section contains the layout guide for the mock trial. Use this guide for the script of the mock trial. As you will decide the content, this guide may change.

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| part | MAIN SPEAKERS | What? |
| 1 | **Judge, court clerk, defendant, prosecutors, defence attorney** | **Opening statements**  How does a trial start? What do the judge say? What does the court clerk or bailiff say? What is the interaction between the judge and the lawyers of both sides? What do the attorneys say, to whom (opening statements) and in what order? |
| 2 | **Prosecutor & Witness #1;**  **Defence attorney & Witness #1** | **Direct Examination #1:** The prosecutor calls his/her witness and asks questions. Physical evidence, called exhibits, may be entered into the record.  **Cross-examination #1:** The defence counsel asks the witness questions, trying to discredit the witness and cast doubt on the testimony |
| 3 | **Prosecutor & Witness #2;**  **Defence attorney & Witness #2** | **Direct Examination #2:** The prosecutor calls his/her witness and asks questions. Physical evidence, called exhibits, may be entered into the record.  **Cross-examination #2:** The defence counsel asks the witness questions, trying to discredit the witness and cast doubt on the testimony |
| 4 | **You go on till all witnesses for the prosecution and and victims have been heard** | Make sure you mix with your counterparts, so have a Dutch attorney interview an Indian witness or the other way around. Remember you need to learn how to cooperate in a global setting |
| 5 | **Defence attorney & Witness #1, prosecutors & Witness #1** | **Direct Examination #1**: Now it's the defence lawyers turn to call his/her witnesses and asks questions. Physical evidence, called exhibits, may be entered into the record.  **Cross-examination #1:** The prosecutor asks the witnesses questions, trying to discredit the witness and cast doubt on the testimony |
| 6 | **You go on till all witnesses for the defence and the defendants have been heard** | The prosecutor can only cross examine the defendants if they are asked to take the stand by their own lawyers first, if the defendant agrees to testify the prosecutors are allowed to ask them questions after their testimony. In our court case our defendants agree on testifying on their own behalf and will take the stand |
| 7 | **Judge** | **Concluding the Presentation of the Evidence**  What do the judges say? What kind of jury instructions are there? |
| 8 | **Prosecutor and defence attorney** | **Closing Arguments:** What are the closing arguments of the two counsels? To whom are they speaking? |
| 9 | **Judges & Jury** | **Verdict of Guilty or Not Guilty:** Although you may not know what the jury decide, you can still decide how the judges will ask the jury for the verdict. How will the judges respond to both "guilty" or "not guilty"? Write down both possibilities. |