

CRIMINAL JUSTICE and **COLLEGE STUDENTS**



TECHNOLOGY AND THE COURTS

List three ways that technology has influenced a decision you made today. Did you happen to write the answers on a piece of paper, or did you use technology to record your answers? Next, review your list and identify how the technological influences on your life potentially influence the courts. Finally, consider two

technological strategies that may be used to improve the courts. For example, could the courts e-mail jurors or witnesses instead of using postal mail? Explain how your own ideas about technology might advance court processes as well as the potential drawbacks. Discuss your ideas with a small group of classmates.