

## Hashkééjí Nahat'á (Judicial Branch)

The Navajo Nation operates a two-level court system. Cases begin in trial courts and may be appealed to the Supreme Court. District court judges make decisions at the trial level and Supreme Court justices make decisions at the appellate level. There are 12 trial courts located within 11 judicial districts of the Navajo Nation. The Supreme Court is located in Window Rock and is headed by the Chief Justice.

The Peacemaking Program, the Office of Probation and Parole Services and the Judicial Conduct Commission are also a part of the Judicial Branch