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Learn more about the Judges of the Supreme Court!
Use the numbers to fill in the blanks!



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The Supreme Court consists of the Chief Justice and _____ puisne Judges. The Judges are appointed by the Governor in Council from among superior court judges or Canadians who have been lawyers for at least _____ years. A Judge holds office during good behaviour, until he or she retires or attains the age of _____ years.

The Supreme Court Act provides that of the _____
judges, _____ judges are appointed from Quebec.
Traditionally, _____ judges are appointed from
Ontario, _____ from the West and _____ from the
Atlantic provinces. The Judges must devote
themselves exclusively to their judicial duties and
they must reside within _____ km thereof.

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The current Chief Justice is the Right Honourable Beverly McLachlin, who is the first woman to hold this position in the history of our country. She was appointed Chief Justice of Canada on January ______, 2000.



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