

Eyewitness Testimony Observations

1. How much should police, juries and judges rely on eyewitness testimony?
2. What likely convinced the jury to vote that Ron was guilty? Why?
3. Why do you think Jennifer was not convinced that Bobby Poole was the actual perpetrator?
4. If it takes more than 10-15 seconds for victims to recognize the perpetrator, the victim's brain may be unintentionally tricking them into choosing someone—even if it's the wrong person. Should police departments apply these findings? Why or why not?
5. Should other states adopt North Carolina's process with artificial intelligence or independent investigators conducting the line up identification? Why or why not?