



Duncanville
City of Champions

Theft

You will need to complete a **TYPED** 500-word essay on theft.

Times New Roman, Font size 12, 1-inch margins, no one-and-a-half or double-spacing.

Pre-check your essay for plagiarism at www.quetext.com before submitting

- What are the title, chapter, and section in the Texas Penal Code that defines theft?
- What are the 7 classes of theft in the Penal Code and what are their differences? Also, how do their punishments differ? *hint: you committed a class C misdemeanor offense*
- Reasons laws against theft are in place
- Consequences of theft (to you)
- Negative effects violating theft laws can have on businesses, communities, and family
- Reasons why you chose to commit this crime

Be sure to have your **TYPED** essay turned in by the due date and that you also comply with the orders you were given in the courtroom to keep this from being a conviction on your record.

Please contact the Duncanville Municipal Court if you have any questions.

******hint: Texas Constitution and Statutes -www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us******

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