

Law Day

The IndyBar celebrated Law Day on May 1 with a Career Fair organized by the bar's Paralegal Committee at Shortridge Magnet High School for Law and Public Policy. The fair showcased careers in the legal field that do not require a law degree in order to present a more rounded perspective of the opportunities within the field. Representatives from a variety of careers, including paralegals, administrative assistants, bailiffs, legal software specialists, court reporters, information technology specialists, court clerks and probation officers, among others, helped to educate more than 225 students on the important components of the justice system.

At left, Indianapolis Bar Association Paralegal Committee member Jodie L. Bergeron, Cohen & Malad LLP, educates students on the duties of a paralegal at Law Day 2012.



Above left, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department officers explained to students what qualities and education are necessary for a career in law enforcement. Above right, students learn about what it means to work as a probation officer.