# Probation order

## What is a probation order?

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|  | It is a court order that you got after you went to court for your offence. | | |
|  | It is a way to help you stop offending. | | |
|  | It means a YJ officer will supervise you during this order. | | |
| At your 1st meeting with YJ | | | |
|  | Your parents or carers may be invited. | | |
|  | The YJ officer will talk to you about: | | |
|  | * your order | | |
|  | * why you did the offence | | |
| [Spiral Calendar](https://emojipedia.org/spiral-calendar-pad/) | * the days you need to see the YJ officer | | |
|  | * how they can help you stick to your order | | |
|  | * what you want to do with your life. | | |
| Rules | | | |
|  | | | You need to follow the rules.  You must: |
|  | | | * **not** break the law |
|  | | | * go to programs |
|  | | | * report to your YJ officer |
|  | | | * let your YJ officer visit you. |
|  | | | You must tell your YJ officer within 2 days if you: | |
|  | | | * move house * change schools | |
|  | | | * change jobs. | |
|  | | | You must tell and give lots of time to the YJ officer if you want to leave Queensland. | |
|  | | | Your YJ officer needs to say ‘yes’. | |
|  | | | Court can give you extra things for you to do on your order. Extra things like: | |
|  | | | * help to get off drugs and alcohol | |
|  | | | * mental health help. | |
| What if I break the rules | | | | |
|  | | | Your YJ officer will tell you what happens if you break the rules. | |
|  | | | If you break a rule, your YJ officer will give you a **warning letter**. | |
|  | | | If you keep breaking the rules, you will **go back to court**. | |
|  | | | The court will decide if you will stay on a probation order or a different order. | |
|  | | | If you offend again, the court may decide you have breached your order.  This means the court gave you rules but you did **not** follow the rules. | |
|  | | | The court may give you more punishment. | |

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| **My order** | |
|  | Number of months \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | **My 1st meeting with my YJ officer** |
|  | Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | Time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Who do I talk to in YJ?** | |
|  | **Ask for the intake officer.** |
|  | Where \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
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