



Trial continues of Philly woman in child rape case

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PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Philadelphia prosecutors are calling more trial witnesses to describe the ordeal a 5-year-old suffered after she was abducted from school.

A woman who worked at the girl's after-school program is accused of luring her from her kindergarten classroom last year and sexually assaulting her.

Prosecutors say 21-year-old Christina Regusters acted alone. The evidence includes computer searches about how to hide DNA and rape evidence. However, the judge is not letting jurors hear about Regusters' alleged interest in sexually violent Japanese animation.

The trial began Monday and is expected to last about two weeks.

A family lawyer suing the school district over the girl's ordeal says she has permanent injuries, both physical and psychological.

But lawyer **Thomas Kline** says the now 7-year-old girl is ready to testify.