

# CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW

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## The Basics

Type of school	Private	
Term	Semester	
Application deadline	4/1	11/1
Application fee	\$55	
Financial aid deadline	4/1	10/14
Can first year start other than fall?	Yes	
Student to faculty ratio	17.9 to 1	
# of housing spaces available restricted to law students graduate housing for which law students are eligible		

## Faculty and Administrators

	Total		Men		Women		Minorities	
	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall	Spr	Fall
Full-time	39	44	24	30	15	14	6	6
Other full-time	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1
Deans, librarians, & others who teach	12	13	4	5	8	8	2	3
Part-time	40	37	26	21	14	16	4	4
Total	92	95	55	57	37	38	13	14

## JD Enrollment and Ethnicity

	Men		Women		Full-Time		Part-Time		1st-Year		Total		JD Degr. Awd.
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
All Hispanics	45	10.6	62	12.6	92	11.7	15	11.3	41	12.5	107	11.6	20
Am. Ind./AK Nat.	3	0.7	3	0.6	5	0.6	1	0.8	1	0.3	6	0.7	3
Asian	43	10.1	71	14.4	99	12.6	15	11.3	43	13.1	114	12.4	30
Black/Af. Am.	9	2.1	16	3.2	19	2.4	6	4.5	4	1.2	25	2.7	7
Nat. HI/Pac. Isl.	1	0.2	1	0.2	2	0.3	0	0.0	1	0.3	2	0.2	0
2 or more races	5	1.2	12	2.4	16	2.0	1	0.8	6	1.8	17	1.8	0
Subtotal (minor.)	106	24.9	165	33.5	233	29.6	38	28.6	96	29.3	271	29.5	66
Nonres. Alien	2	0.5	4	0.8	6	0.8	0	0.0	1	0.3	6	0.7	0
White/Cauc.	281	66.0	296	60.0	499	63.5	78	58.6	219	66.8	577	62.8	169
Unknown	37	8.7	28	5.7	48	6.1	17	12.8	12	3.7	65	7.1	23
Total	426	46.4	493	53.6	786	85.5	133	14.5	328	35.7	919		263

## Curriculum

	Full-Time	Part-Time
Typical first-year section size	77	0
Is there typically a "small section" of the first-year class, other than Legal Writing, taught by full-time faculty	No	No
If yes, typical size offered last year		
# of classroom course titles beyond first-year curriculum	119	
# of upper division courses, excluding seminars, with an enrollment:		
Under 25	131	
25-49	30	
50-74	13	
75-99	18	
100+	6	
# of seminars	35	
# of seminar positions available	858	
# of seminar positions filled	486	68
# of positions available in simulation courses	1,830	
# of simulation positions filled	1,183	133
# of positions available in faculty supervised clinical courses	71	
# of faculty supervised clinical positions filled	62	5
# involved in field placements	156	14
# involved in law journals	63	8
# involved in moot court or trial competitions	33	1
# of credit hours required to graduate	89	

## Transfers

Transfers in	1
Transfers out	11

## Tuition and Fees

	Resident	Nonresident
Full-time	\$40,780	\$40,780
Part-time	\$28,660	\$28,660
Tuition Guarantee Program	N	

## Living Expenses

Estimated living expenses for singles		
Living on campus	Living off campus	Living at home
N/A	\$23,050	\$14,970



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**GPA and LSAT Scores**

	Total	Full-Time	Part-Time
# of apps	2,816	2,628	203
# of offers	1,295	1,228	67
# of matrics	382	355	27
75% GPA	3.49	3.48	3.66
Median GPA	3.24	3.23	3.34
25% GPA	2.99	2.99	2.94
75% LSAT	157	157	157
Median LSAT	154	154	155
25% LSAT	151	151	151

**Grants and Scholarships (from prior year)**

	Total		Full-Time		Part-Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	892		791		101	
Total # receiving grants	383	42.9	355	44.9	28	27.7
Less than 1/2 tuition	198	22.2	185	23.4	13	12.9
Half to full tuition	111	12.4	102	12.9	9	8.9
Full tuition	9	1.0	8	1.0	1	1.0
More than full tuition	65	7.3	60	7.6	5	5.0
Median grant amount			\$19,200		\$13,500	

**Informational and Library Resources**

Total amount spent on library materials	\$1,249,602
Study seating capacity inside the library	437
# of full-time equivalent professional librarians	10
Hours per week library is open	110
# of open, wired connections available to students	540
# of networked computers available for use by students	87
Has wireless network?	Y
Requires computer?	N

**JD Attrition (from prior year)**

	Academic		Other		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
1st year	41	18.8	18	8.0	59	18.8
2nd year	0	0.0	3	1.0	3	1.0
3rd year	0	0.0	2	0.7	2	0.7
4th year	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

**Employment (9 months after graduation)**

	Total	Percentage
Employment status known	218	92.0
Employment status unknown	19	8.0
Employed	189	86.7
Pursuing graduate degrees	6	2.8
Unemployed (seeking, not seeking, or studying for the bar)	17	7.8
<b>Type of Employment</b>		
# employed in law firms	134	70.9
# employed in business and industry	25	13.2
# employed in government	15	7.9
# employed in public interest	10	5.3
# employed as judicial clerks	2	1.1
# employed in academia	3	1.6
<b>Geographic Location</b>		
# employed in state	160	84.7
# employed outside the US	1	0.5
# of states where employed	12	

**Bar Passage Rates**

First-time takers	231	Reporting %	100.00
Average school %	77.93	Average state %	73.67
Average pass difference	4.26		
<b>Jurisdiction</b>			
	Takers	Passers	Pass % State % Diff %
California	213	162	76.06 73.19 2.87
Nevada	7	7	100.00 73.00 27.00
New York	4	4	100.00 86.51 13.49
Arizona	3	3	100.00 79.76 20.24
Others (2)	4	4	100.00