

Vanderbilt University Law School - 2023 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics

Type of school	Private
Application deadline	April 1
Application fee	\$70
Financial aid deadline	February 1

Academic Calendar

Term	Semesters
Months students may begin studying law	August
Months the Law School confers degrees	May
# of credit hours required to earn the JD	88

Curricular Offerings 2022-2023

	2022-2023
Typical first-year section size, excluding Legal Research & Writing	57
Number of course titles, beyond the first year curriculum, offered last year	179
Number of upper division class room course sections with an enrollment:	
Under 25	91
25 to 49	45
50 to 74	14
75 to 99	4
100 +	2
Number of seats available in law clinics	126
Number of field placement positions filled	81
Number of seats available in simulation courses	710
Number of seminars	17
Number of co-curricular offerings	33

2023 First Year Class (Oct 6th 2022-Oct 5th 2023)

	2023		
Completed Applications	5554		
Offers of Admission	931		
Acceptance Rate (Percent)	16.76		
Enrollees from Applicant pool	163		
Enrollment rate from Completed Applications	2.93		
Enrollment rate from Offers of Admission	17.51		
Other first-year enrollees	4		
	All	Full Time	Part Time
Total in First-year class	167	167	0
LSAT	All	Full Time	Part Time
75th Percentile	171	171	0
50th Percentile	170	170	0
25th Percentile	164	164	0
# not included in LSAT calculations	0	0	0
UGPA	All	Full Time	Part Time
75th Percentile	3.96	3.96	0
50th Percentile	3.89	3.89	0
25th Percentile	3.65	3.65	0
# not included in UGPA calculations	1	1	0
GRE	All	Full Time	Part Time
GRE Admissions Enrollees			
75th Percentile GRE Verbal Reasoning			
50th Percentile GRE Verbal Reasoning			
25th Percentile GRE Verbal Reasoning			
75th Percentile GRE Quantitative Reasoning			
50th Percentile GRE Quantitative Reasoning			
25th Percentile GRE Quantitative Reasoning			
75th Percentile GRE Analytical Writing			
50th Percentile GRE Analytical Writing			
25th Percentile GRE Analytical Writing			

J.D Enrollment as of October 5th 2023

	JD1					JD2					JD3					JD4					Total
	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T
Hispanics of any race	17	7	10	0	0	14	7	7	0	0	22	12	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	16	7	9	0	0	14	4	10	0	0	14	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44
Black or African American	18	5	13	0	0	18	3	15	0	0	16	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	10	3	7	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Total People of Color	61	22	39	0	0	49	14	35	0	0	55	27	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	165
White	101	46	54	0	1	111	56	54	0	1	106	52	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	318
US nonresident	2	1	1	0	0	6	3	3	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	4	2	2	0	0	10	3	7	0	0	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Total	168	71	96	0	1	176	76	99	0	1	168	81	87	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	512

Faculty Resources 2022 - 2023

	Male	Female	Another Gender Identity	Prefer Not to Report	People of Color	Total
Full-time faculty members	28	25	0	0	7	53
Non-full-time faculty	70	34	0	0	19	104
Total	98	59	0	0	26	157
	Full Time		Part Time		Total	
Librarians	6		0		6	

1L Tuition and Fees 2023 - 2024

Per Annual:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	\$69,998	\$2,186	\$69,998	\$2,186	\$0	\$0
Part-Time	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Per Credit:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Part-Time	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Tuition Guarantee Program			No			

J.D. Degrees Awarded 2022-2023

Hispanics of any race	15
American Indian or Alaska Native	0
Asian	10
Black or African American	13
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
Two or More Races	0
Total People of Color	39
White	148
Us nonresident	1
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	12
Total	200

Living Expenses 2023-2024

Estimated Living Expenses for singles	
Living on Campus	\$33,344
Living Off Campus	\$33,344
Living At Home	\$33,344

Conditional Scholarships 2022-2023

The school does not award scholarships that may be reduced or eliminated based on law school academic performance other than failure to maintain good academic standing. Therefore, the school does not complete a 'conditional scholarship retention chart.'

Grants and Scholarships 2022-2023

	Total		Full Time		Part Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	531	100	531	100	0	0
Total # receiving grants	449	85	449	85	0	
Less than 1/2 tuition	258	49	258	49	0	
Half to full tuition	181	34	181	34	0	
Full tuition	0	0	0	0	0	
More than full tuition	10	2	10	2	0	
75th Percentile grant amount				\$40,987		\$0
50th Percentile grant amount				\$33,000		\$0
25th Percentile grant amount				\$21,167		\$0

Academic Attrition 2022-2023

	JD1						JD2					JD3					JD4					UL
	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	%	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	%
Hispanics of any race	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total People of Color	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
US nonresident	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Other Attrition 2022-2023

	JD1						JD2					JD3					JD4					UL
	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	%	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	T	M	W	AGI	PNR	%
Hispanics of any race	1	0	1	0	0	7.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Asian	2	0	2	0	0	13.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total People of Color	3	0	3	0	0	6.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
White	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
US nonresident	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	3	0	3	0	0	2.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

Transfers 2022-2023

JD1 Transfers Out	2
Transfers In*	19
75th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.72
50th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.55
25th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.39
*GPA Percentiles provided if School has 12 or more transfers in. If more than 5 but less than 12 transfers in only 50th percentile will be provided.	

Schools from which Students Transferred (for schools matriculating more than 5 transfer students)	# of Transfer Students
Alabama, University of	1
Arizona State University College of Law	1
Arkansas, Fayetteville, University of	1
CaliforniaHastings, University of	1
Georgia, University of	1
Houston, University of	2
Kansas, University of	1
Kentucky, University of	1
Loyola Marymount UniversityLos Angeles	1
Maryland, University of	2
Miami, University of	2
Tennessee, University of	1
Texas Tech University	1
Washington And Lee University	1
Washington, University of	1
William And Mary School of Law	1

