The George Washington University Law School - 2025 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics

Type of school	Private
Application deadline	March 1
Application fee	0
Financial aid deadline	June 30

Academic Calendar

Term	Semesters
Months students may begin studying law	August, January
Months the Law School confers degrees	September, January, May
# of credit hours required to earn the JD	84

1L Tuition and Fees 2025 - 2026

Per Annual:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	$75,420	$0	$75,420	$0	$0	$0
Part-Time	$55,650	$0	$55,650	$0		
Per Credit:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	$2,650	$0	$2,650	$0	$0	$0
Part-Time	$2,650	$0	$2,650	$0		

Tuition Guarantee Program: N

Living Expenses 2025-2026

Estimated Living Expenses for single students

Living on Campus	N/A
Living Off Campus	$25,240
Living on a Military Base	N/A
Living At Home	$25,240

2025 First Year Class (Oct 6th 2024-Oct 5th 2025)

Completed Applications	9718
Offers of Admission	2644
Acceptance Rate (Percent)	27.21%
Enrollees from Applicant pool	595
Enrollment Rate from Completed Applications	6.12%
Enrollment Rate from Offers of Admission	22.50%
Enrollees who deferred admission from a previous year and were not part of the current-year applicant pool	17

	All	Full Time	Part Time
Total in First-year class	612	576	36
UGPA	**All**	**Full Time**	**Part Time**
75th Percentile	3.93	3.92	3.96
50th Percentile	3.86	3.86	3.88
25th Percentile	3.55	3.54	3.59
# not included in UGPA calculation*	19	11	8

*Matriculants who attended an undergraduate institution without a numerical grading system and matriculants who were fully or partially internationally educated may not have comparable UGPAs.

LSAT	**All**	**Full Time**	**Part Time**
LSAT Admissions Enrollees	573	551	22
75th Percentile	170	170	168
50th Percentile	168	168	166
25th Percentile	162	163	159
GRE	**All**	**Full Time**	**Part Time**
GRE Admissions Enrollees	5	5	0
JD-NEXT	**All**	**Full Time**	**Part Time**
JD-NEXT Enrollees	1	0	1
NON-LSAT, GRE OR JDNEXT	**All**	**Full Time**	**Part Time**
NON-LSAT, GRE OR JDNEXT Admissions Enrollees	33	20	13

Under ABA Standard 503, law schools are required to use a valid and reliable admission test to help assess an applicant's preparedness for the study of law. Because schools may choose what admission tests they will consider for admission, this section may look different for individual law schools. Only law schools with a variance from Standard 503 allowing them to use JD Next are able to report JD Next scores. Test score data for first year enrollees is presented for each type of test accepted by the law school, with one exception: where the number of students who were accepted using a particular test is fewer than 10, score percentile data is collected but not published in order to protect student privacy. In all other cases, statistical data will be presented for each test that is accepted by the particular law school. The UGPA data is aggregated across the law school's entire first year class, regardless of admission test.

In the 2025 questionnaire, law schools were given the opportunity to state whether their ability to report required demographic information was limited by university policy, or state or federal law. Depending on the individual school, there may be notable changes from prior years' data. The data reported are submitted by law schools to the Council, so all inquiries regarding a school's information should be directed to the law school.

Curricular Offerings 2024-2025

Excluding Legal Research & Writing, number of first-year course sections with an enrollment	
Under 25	0
25 to 49	11
50 to 74	1
75 to 99	33
100 +	3
*The detailed breakdown of first-year course sections by enrollment replaces “average first-year section size” from previous years’ 509 reports.	
Number of course titles, beyond the first year curriculum, offered last year	269
Number of upper division class room course sections with an enrollment:	
Under 25	348
25 to 49	73
50 to 74	18
75 to 99	10
100 +	9
Number of seats available in law clinics last year	232
Number of law clinic seats filled last year	232
Number of field placements positions filled last year	497
Number of of seats available in simulation courses	3708
Number of of seats filled in simulation courses	2046
Number of co-curricular offerings	51

Faculty Resources 2024-2025

	Male	Female	Another Gender Identity	Prefer Not to Report	People of Color	Total
Full-time faculty members	56	64	2	0	28	122
Non-full-time faculty	346	181	0	2	126	529
Total	402	245	2	2	154	651

	Full Time	Part Time	Total
Librarians	16	0	16

J.D. Degrees Awarded 2024-2025

Hispanics of any race	21
American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Asian	64
Black or African American	39
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0
Multiracial	15
Total People of Color	142
White	331
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	95
Total	568

Grants and Scholarships 2024-2025

	Total		Full Time		Part Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	1679	100	1543	92	136	8
Total # receiving grants	1296	77	1202	78	94	69
Less than 1/2 tuition	879	52	814	53	65	48
Half to full tuition	389	23	363	24	26	19
Full tuition	27	2	24	2	3	2
More than full tuition	1	0	1	0	0	0
75th Percentile grant amount			$40,000		$30,000	
50th Percentile grant amount			$28,000		$20,000	
25th Percentile grant amount			$20,000		$14,000	

The term "full tuition scholarships" refers to scholarships that cover tuition and mandatory fees. The term "more than full tuition" refers to scholarships that cover more than tuition and mandatory fees.

Conditional Scholarships 2024-2025

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.'

J.D Enrollment as of October 5th 2025

	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	52	23	29	0	0	45	15	30	0	0	47	14	33	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	146
American Indian or Alaska Native	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Asian	96	37	58	0	1	66	21	44	0	1	54	21	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	216
Black or African American	48	20	28	0	0	48	8	40	0	0	49	19	29	0	1	4	1	3	0	0	149
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
Multiracial	23	8	15	0	0	23	7	16	0	0	29	18	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75
Total People of Color	221	89	131	0	1	182	51	130	0	1	179	72	106	0	1	6	3	3	0	0	588
White	348	171	173	0	4	317	133	181	0	3	268	143	124	0	1	6	5	1	0	0	939
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	43	17	19	0	7	70	29	39	0	2	87	31	54	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	201
Total	612	277	323	0	12	569	213	350	0	6	534	246	284	0	4	13	9	4	0	0	1728

Since reports in 2024, “US nonresident” is no longer a separate category, and nonresidents have been added in the appropriate race/ethnicity and gender categories.

Academic Attrition 2024-2025

	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	0.0
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	0	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	0.0
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
Multiracial	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	0	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	0.0
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	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

Academic attrition refers to those students who discontinued their education at a time when they were not in good academic standing as defined by the Law School. It includes both students who have been dismissed because they did not satisfy the minimum standards of progress established by the Law School to continue their legal studies at that school, and students who discontinued their enrollment at the school at a time when their GPA was below that required for good academic standing as of the end of the first year.
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Other Attrition 2024-2025

	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	0.0
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	1	1	0	0	3.0	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
Multiracial	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	2	1	1	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
White	3	3	0	0	0	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	1	1	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0
Total	6	5	1	0	0	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

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Transfers 2024-2025	
JD1 Transfers Out	33
Transfers In*	46
75th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.47
50th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.41
25th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.26

*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
American University	15
CaliforniaSan Francisco, University of	1
Case Western Reserve University	1
Catholic University of America, The	3
Denver, University of	1
Elon University	1
Fordham University	1
Hofstra University	2
Loyola Marymount UniversityLos Angeles	1
Maryland, University of	1
Mcgeorge School of Law	1
Miami, University of	1
New England Law | Boston	2
New Hampshire, University of	2
New York Law School	1
Penn State University	1
Pittsburgh, University of	2
Quinnipiac University	1
Richmond, University of	1
South Carolina, University of	1
Southern California, University of	1
Southern University	1
St. John's University	1
Syracuse University	2
William & Mary	1