

University of Houston Law Center - 2025 Standard 509 Information Report

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The Basics

Type of school	Public
Application deadline	FT March 15; PT May 15
Application fee	0
Financial aid deadline	January 15

1L Tuition and Fees 2025 - 2026

Per Annual:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	\$31,326	\$6,228	\$46,051	\$6,228	\$0	\$0
Part-Time	\$21,221	\$4,821	\$31,196	\$4,821		
Per Credit:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	\$1,011	\$6,228	\$1,486	\$6,228	\$0	\$0
Part-Time	\$1,011	\$4,821	\$1,486	\$4,821		
Tuition Guarantee Program			N			

Living Expenses 2025-2026

Estimated Living Expenses for single students

Living on Campus	\$26,086
Living Off Campus	\$26,086
Living on a Military Base	N/A
Living At Home	\$15,790

Academic Calendar

Term	Semesters
Months students may begin studying law	January, June, August
Months the Law School confers degrees	May, August, December
# of credit hours required to earn the JD	90

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

Completed Applications	3510
Offers of Admission	807
Acceptance Rate (Percent)	22.99%
Enrollees from Applicant pool	246
Enrollment Rate from Completed Applications	7.01%
Enrollment Rate from Offers of Admission	30.48%
Enrollees who deferred admission from a previous year and were not part of the current-year applicant pool	3

	All	Full Time	Part Time
Total in First-year class	249	219	30
UGPA	All	Full Time	Part Time
75th Percentile	3.90	3.90	3.92
50th Percentile	3.79	3.78	3.85
25th Percentile	3.56	3.56	3.54
# not included in UGPA calculation*	5	3	2

*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	239	212	27
75th Percentile	165	165	164
50th Percentile	163	163	160
25th Percentile	160	161	155

GRE	All	Full Time	Part Time
GRE Admissions Enrollees	5	3	2

NON-LSAT, GRE OR JDNEXT	All	Full Time	Part Time
NON-LSAT, GRE OR JDNEXT Admissions Enrollees	5	4	1

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	8
25 to 49	13
50 to 74	0
75 to 99	18
100 +	0

*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	211
Number of upper division class room course sections with an enrollment:	
Under 25	186
25 to 49	44
50 to 74	11
75 to 99	3
100 +	0
Number of seats available in law clinics last year	359
Number of law clinic seats filled last year	143
Number of field placements positions filled last year	121
Number of of seats available in simulation courses	1136
Number of of seats filled in simulation courses	828
Number of co-curricular offerings	15

Faculty Resources 2024-2025

	Male	Female	Another Gender Identity	Prefer Not to Report	People of Color	Total
Full-time faculty members	34	27	0	0	16	61
Non-full-time faculty	122	87	0	0	49	209
Total	156	114	0	0	65	270
	Full Time		Part Time		Total	
Librarians	8		1		9	

J.D. Degrees Awarded 2024-2025

Hispanics of any race	38
American Indian or Alaska Native	0
Asian	37
Black or African American	26
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0
Multiracial	15
Total People of Color	116
White	111
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	11
Total	238

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.'

Grants and Scholarships 2024-2025

	Total		Full Time		Part Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	811	100	721	89	90	11
Total # receiving grants	600	74	569	79	31	34
Less than 1/2 tuition	488	60	466	65	22	24
Half to full tuition	88	11	81	11	7	8
Full tuition	1	0	1	0	0	0
More than full tuition	23	3	21	3	2	2
75th Percentile grant amount			\$16,900		\$15,040	
50th Percentile grant amount			\$11,500		\$12,000	
25th Percentile grant amount			\$4,000		\$4,250	

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.

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	46	23	23	0	0	61	28	33	0	0	54	18	36	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	164
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Asian	45	19	26	0	0	47	16	31	0	0	42	19	23	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	136
Black or African American	14	6	8	0	0	24	9	15	0	0	20	8	12	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	62
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	8	0	8	0	0	6	0	6	0	0	7	1	6	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	25
Multiracial	22	10	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Total People of Color	135	58	77	0	0	138	53	85	0	0	126	49	77	0	0	13	2	11	0	0	412
White	96	40	56	0	0	126	69	57	0	0	132	66	66	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	361
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	18	11	7	0	0	24	12	12	0	0	21	10	11	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	65
Total	249	109	140	0	0	288	134	154	0	0	279	125	154	0	0	22	10	12	0	0	838

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	0.0
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	0.0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
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	0.0
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	0.0
Multiracial	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
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	0.0
White	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
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	0.0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

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	0.0
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	0.0
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
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	0.0
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	0.0
Multiracial	2	1	1	0	0	67.0	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	2.0	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	0.0
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	0.0
Total	2	1	1	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

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Transfers 2024-2025	
JD1 Transfers Out	3
Transfers In*	25
75th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.61
50th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.43
25th Percentile JD1 GPA	3.29

*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
Barry University	1
Denver, University of	1
Mercer University	1
New England Law Boston	1
Oklahoma City University	1
South Texas College of Law Houston	10
Southern University	1
St. Mary's University	1
Texas Southern University	7
Western New England University	1