

CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW - 2020 Standard 509 Information Report

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Type of school	Private
Application deadline	4/1/21, 11/1/21
Application fee	\$0
Financial aid deadline	4/1/21, 9/30/21

Academic Calendar

Term	Trimester
Months students may begin studying law	August, January
Months the Law school confers degrees	September, January, June
# of credit hours required to earn the JD	90

Curricular Offerings 2019-2020

	2019-2020
Typical first-year section size, excluding Legal Research & Writing	78
Number of course titles, beyond the first year curricular, offered last year	82
Number of upper division class room course sections with an enrollment:	
Under 25	136
25 to 49	52
50 to 74	4
75 to 99	10
100 +	8
Number of seats available in law clinics last year	107
Number of field placements positions filled last year	124
Number of seats available in simulation courses	1122
Number of seminars	11
Number of co-curricular offerings	17

2020 First Year Class (Oct 6th 2019-Oct 5th 2020)

	2020
Completed Applications	1615
Offers of Admission	856
Acceptance Rate (Percent)	53.00%
Enrollees from Applicant pool	233
Enrollment rate from Completed Applications	14.43%
Enrollment rate from Offers of Admission	27.22%
Other first-year enrollees	16

	All	Full Time	Part Time
Total in First-year class	249	220	29

	All	Full Time	Part Time
LSAT			
75th Percentile	154	154	153
50th Percentile	152	152	151
25th Percentile	149	149	149
# not included in LSAT calculations	12	10	2

	Number Enrolled	75th Percentile	50th Percentile	25th Percentile
Other Admissions Tests				
GRE	12			
Verbal Reasoning		158	152	151
Quantitative Reasoning		153	149	146
Analytical Writing		4.5	4.5	4

	All	Full Time	Part Time
UGPA			
75th Percentile	3.47	3.47	3.39
50th Percentile	3.24	3.26	3.06
25th Percentile	2.95	2.99	2.72
# not included in UGPA calculations	3	3	0

J.D Enrollment as of October 5th 2020

	JD1				JD2				JD3				JD4				Total
	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	
Hispanics of any race	64	28	36	0	72	30	42	0	64	24	40	0	0	0	0	0	200
American Indian or Alaska Native	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Asian	16	9	7	0	16	6	10	0	9	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	41
Black or African American	6	1	5	0	5	2	3	0	9	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	20
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	9
Two or More Races	16	2	14	0	11	4	7	0	11	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	38
Total Minority	108	42	66	0	106	44	62	0	97	36	61	0	0	0	0	0	311
White	109	42	67	0	122	46	76	0	100	46	54	0	0	0	0	0	331
Nonresident Alien	3	1	2	0	8	4	4	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	14
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	5	4	1	0	10	6	4	0	11	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	26
Total	225	89	136	0	246	100	146	0	211	89	122	0	0	0	0	0	682

Faculty Resources 2019 - 2020

	Male	Female	Other	Minority	Total
Full-time faculty members	17	16	0	8	33
Non-full-time faculty	42	38	0	16	80
Total	59	54	0	24	113
	Full Time	Part Time	Total		
Librarians	7	0	7		
Administrators	19	1	20		

J.D. Degrees Awarded 2019-2020

Hispanics of any race	49
American Indian or Alaska Native	1
Asian	20
Black or African American	12
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	4
Two or More Races	10
Total Minority	96
White	98
Nonresident Alien	4
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	9
Total	207

1L Tuition and Fees 2020 - 2021

Per Trimester:	Resident	Annual Fees	Non-Resident	Annual Fees	Other	Annual Fees
Full-Time	\$ 28,040	\$ 150	\$ 28,040	\$ 150	\$ 0	\$ 0
Part-Time	\$ 20,920	\$ 150	\$ 20,920	\$ 150		
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			

Grants and Scholarships 2019-2020

	Total		Full Time		Part Time	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total # of students	709	100	594	84	115	16
Total # receiving grants	500	71	357	60	143	124
Less than 1/2 tuition	187	26	143	24	44	38
Half to full tuition	221	31	153	26	68	59
Full tuition	88	12	58	10	30	26
More than full tuition	4	1	3	1	1	1
75th Percentile grant amount			\$ 64,992		\$ 54,540	
50th Percentile grant amount			\$ 40,620		\$ 30,732	
25th Percentile grant amount			\$ 28,494		\$ 18,912	

Living Expenses 2020-2021

Estimated Living Expenses for singles

Living on Campus	\$ 0
Living Off Campus	\$ 26,140
Living At Home	\$ 14,020

Conditional Scholarships 2019-2020

Students Matriculating in	# Entering with	# Reduced or Eliminated
2019-2020 Academic Year	5	0
2018-2019 Academic Year	10	1
2017-2018 Academic Year	191	67

Please note that due to the COVID-19 pandemic, some schools reduced/eliminated conditional scholarships for the duration of the pandemic.

Academic Attrition 2019-2020

	JD1					JD2				JD3				JD4				UL
	T	M	W	O	%	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	%
Hispanics of any race	4	2	2	0	8.2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.4
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
Asian	2	1	1	0	11.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	1	1	0	0	14.3	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
Two or More Races	1	0	1	0	2.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total Minority	8	4	4	0	6.5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.5
White	3	3	0	0	2.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Nonresident Alien	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
Total	11	7	4	0	3.9	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.2

Other Attrition 2019-2020

	JD1					JD2				JD3				JD4				UL
	T	M	W	O	%	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	T	M	W	O	%
Hispanics of any race	1	1	0	0	2.0	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
Asian	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Black or African American	1	1	0	0	14.3	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
Two or More Races	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total Minority	2	2	0	0	1.6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
White	4	2	2	0	2.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Nonresident Alien	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
Total	6	4	2	0	2.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

Transfers 2019-2020	
JD1 Transfers Out	9
Transfers In*	0
75th Percentile JD1 GPA	0.00
50th Percentile JD1 GPA	0.00
25th Percentile JD1 GPA	0.00
*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.	