



CALIFORNIA FIRST-YEAR LAW STUDENTS' EXAM: JUNE 2025

General Statistics Report<sup>1</sup>

Applicant Type	First-Timers		Repeaters		All Takers	
	N	% Pass	N	% Pass	N	% Pass
ABA-Approved - CA**	*		*			
ABA-Approved - Out-of-State	*		*			
CBE Accredited**	25	24.0	36	5.6	61	13.1
Other	25	56.0	19	26.3	44	43.2
Not Registered/ Closed	*		11	0.0	17	11.8
CA Unaccredited - Correspondence	*		*		19	26.3
CA Unaccredited - Distance Learning	33	27.3	22	9.1	55	20.0
CA Unaccredited - Fixed-Facility	*		*			
<b>Total</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>22.6</b>

\*Fewer than 11 applicants

\*\*Regularly enrolled students at ABA-approved and California-accredited law schools who complete their first year of law study and advance to their second year are exempt from the First-Year Law Students' Exam (FYLSX) requirement. Students, however, may elect to take the Exam on their own and some may take it to fulfill their schools' requirements.

Disqualified<sup>2</sup> and Special Students<sup>3</sup>

Applicant Type	Disqualified		Special	
	N	% Pass	N	% Pass
ABA-Approved - CA	*		*	
ABA-Approved - Out-of-State	*		*	
CBE Accredited	22	4.5	*	
Other	*		*	
Not Registered/ Closed	*		*	
Unaccredited - Correspondence	*		*	
Unaccredited - Distance Learning	*		*	
Unaccredited - Fixed-Facility	*		*	
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>57.1</b>

<sup>1</sup> These statistics were compiled using data available as of March 18, 2026.

<sup>2</sup> **Disqualified** students are those who have been disqualified from ABA-approved and California-accredited law schools and whose readmission wholly or partially may be contingent upon passing the FYLSX or who are seeking to obtain an additional year of law study credit for purposes of transferring to other schools.

<sup>3</sup> **Special** students are those who have not completed at least two years of college prior to matriculating at ABA-approved or California-accredited law schools. These students are required to take and pass the FYLSX.

## California First-Year Law Students’ Exam: June 2025 California ABA-Approved Schools

Law School	All Takers			First-Timers		
	N	Pass	% Pass	N	Pass	% Pass
SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW	*			*		

### ABA-Approved Out-of-State Schools

Law School	All Takers			First-Timers		
	N	Pass	% Pass	N	Pass	% Pass
ATLANTA’S JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL	*			*		

### California-Accredited Schools

Law School	All Takers			First-Timers		
	N	Pass	% Pass	N	Pass	% Pass
CAL NORTHERN SCHOOL OF LAW	*			*		
JFK SCHOOL OF LAW AT NATIONAL UNIV.	*			*		
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SACRAMENTO	*			*		
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SAN JOSE	*			*		
MONTEREY COLLEGE OF LAW	*			*		
NORTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA UNIV. SOL	12	2	16.7	*		
THE COLLEGES OF LAW - SANTA BARBARA	*			*		
THE COLLEGES OF LAW - VENTURA	*			*		
TRINITY LAW SCHOOL	27	3	11.1	12	2	16.7
UNIVERSITY OF WEST LOS ANGELES SCHOOL OF LAW	*			*		

### California Unaccredited Law Schools

Law School	All Takers			First-Timers		
	N	Pass	% Pass	N	Pass	% Pass
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF LAW	*			*		
OAK BROOK COLLEGE OF LAW AND GOVERNMENT POLICY	*			*		
TAFT LAW SCHOOL	*			*		
ABRAHAM LINCOLN UNIVERSITY SOL	20	1	5.0	*		
CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF LAW	26	7	26.9	18	7	38.9
PACIFIC COAST UNIVERSITY SOL	*			*		
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF LAW, VENTURA	*			*		
CALIFORNIA DESERT TRIAL ACADEMY COL	*			*		

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