

Law Schools at a Glance

25 Top Ranked Law Schools from US News and World Report

Law School	Overall Acceptance Rate	Median GPA	Median LSAT	Student/Faculty Ratio	Tuition	Tuition (out-of-state)	Average Indebtedness	Cost of Living	% Employed in State	Employed at Graduation	Employed at 10 Months
1 Yale	9.5%	3.89	173	6.8:1	\$59,865		\$121,815	\$17,000	5%	84.5%	84.5%
2 Stanford	10.7%	3.87	171	7.3:1	\$58,236		\$137,625	\$13,205	44%	88.2%	89.2%
3 Harvard	16.6%	3.86	172	11.6:1	\$60,638		\$153,172	\$22,262	10%	87.3%	91.0%
4 Chicago	20.7%	3.90	170	7.5:1	\$59,541		\$134,148	\$16,830	35%	90.3%	90.8%
5 Columbia	20.3%	3.70	172	6.7:1	\$65,260		\$159,769	\$17,738	77%	87.2%	89.6%
6 NYU	29.8%	3.81	169	8.2:1	\$61,622		\$167,646	\$23,500	73%	88.9%	90.3%
7 Pennsylvania	17.0%	3.90	169	8.8:1	\$60,988		\$156,725	\$15,030	13%	92.3%	93.9%
8 Michigan	23.7%	3.78	168	10.2:1	\$55,012	\$58,012	\$146,309	\$14,240	12%	83.1%	87.6%
8 Virginia	19.9%	3.86	169	9.3:1	\$56,300	\$59,300	\$155,177	\$12,922	17%	82.0%	87.2%
10 Duke	20.2%	3.76	169	8.3:1	\$59,912		\$137,829	\$13,302	14%	88.0%	92.3%
10 Northwestern	17.8%	3.81	168	6.4:1	\$59,850		\$154,923	\$14,040	39%	79.5%	88.5%
12 UC-Berkeley	23.0%	3.79	166	13.8:1	\$48,703	\$52,654	\$145,260	\$20,128	61%	80.2%	87.1%
13 Cornell	24.1%	3.73	167	9.2:1	\$61,485		\$158,128	\$16,766	55%	86.9%	91.3%
14 Texas - Austin	27.1%	3.70	167	8.9:1	\$33,995	\$50,480	\$103,417	\$12,620	82%	65.0%	81.4%
15 Georgetown	26.4%	3.77	167	9.2:1	\$57,576		\$166,027	\$20,412	38%	70.4%	75.4%
15 UCLA	28.0%	3.74	167	10.6:1	\$45,338	\$51,832	\$118,291	\$17,719	84%	61.8%	81.2%
17 Vanderbilt	32.3%	3.70	167	11.4:1	\$53,150		\$127,434	\$14,662	22%	69.7%	83.2%
18 Washington in St. Louis	31.9%	3.67	168	9.3:1	\$53,506		\$93,768	\$14,400	32%	61.1%	85.6%
19 Southern California	30.0%	3.76	165	11.3:1	\$60,339		\$140,745	\$16,500	89%	69.5%	77.0%
20 Iowa	45.7%	3.61	161	10.2:1	\$24,930	\$43,214	\$74,128	\$10,602	42%	68.5%	84.9%
20 Notre Dame	30.3%	3.71	164	10.6:1	\$54,297		\$123,924	\$9,900	6%	60.9%	79.3%
22 Emory	36.9%	3.78	165	11.4:1	\$53,350		\$120,804	\$17,972	57%	55.2%	81.8%
23 Boston	29.4%	3.68	164	11.1:1	\$51,210		\$104,755	\$13,050	54%	56.7%	78.4%
23 Minnesota	44.5%	3.76	164	8.8:1	\$43,244	\$51,590	\$106,436	\$12,320	56%	64.8%	72.5%
25 Arizona State	41.9%	3.64	161	10.8:1	\$27,226	\$43,896	\$97,780	\$12,688	79%	66.8%	85.2%

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46	BYU	43.8%	3.80	162	12.3:1	\$12,310	\$24,620	\$58,133	\$12,252	59%	46.6%	65.4%
44	Utah	49.3%	3.50	158	7.3:1	\$26,758	\$50,216	\$91,982	\$9,936	89%	54.8%	76.2%
8	Virginia	19.9%	3.86	169	9.3:1	\$56,300	\$59,300	\$155,177	\$12,922	17%	82.0%	87.2%
25	Arizona State	41.9%	3.64	161	10.8:1	\$27,226	\$43,896	\$97,780	\$12,688	79%	66.8%	85.2%
10	Duke	20.2%	3.76	169	8.3:1	\$59,912		\$137,829	\$13,302	14%	88.0%	92.3%
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41	William & Mary	40.6%	3.75	162	10.0:1	\$32,000	\$41,000	\$90,028	\$10,035	39%	48.9%	75.8%
30	George Washington	38.9%	3.71	165	15.5:1	\$56,244		\$145,240	\$19,810	53%	58.9%	76.6%
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62	UNLV	34.4%	3.52	157	9.6:1	\$26,749	\$38,649	\$97,361	\$14,140	90%	56.5%	77.1%
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30	Washington	26.9%	3.68	163	7.7:1	\$32,721	\$44,112	\$120,554	\$14,625	77%	50.8%	77.0%
36	Colorado	34.3%	3.69	162	10.0:1	\$31,831	\$38,623	\$100,499	\$12,906	83%	53.5%	81.1%
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