



THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL

Academic Success Fee and Refund Policy

- 1. Description of and reason for fee:** J.D. students who enter in or after Fall 2015 will pay an Academic Success Fee totaling \$2,750. This amount will be paid in equal installments over the student's first five semesters. Transfer students will be billed over their first three semesters. This fee will help defray costs associated with the law school's new academic success and bar readiness program. The fee is billed in fall and spring semesters. It is separate from cost of attendance and is not eligible to be covered by federal loans.
- 2. Commercial bar preparation course:** As part of this program, J.D. students will receive extensive bar-review materials, including a commercial bar-preparation course. Each student will be able to select a course from BarBri, Kaplan, or Themis. Students will make this choice at the start of their final semester.
- 3. Partial refunds:** If a student permanently withdraws from or is dismissed from the law school, the law school will refund an amount that equals \$350 for each semester the student paid. A student is not entitled to a refund if the academic success fee was paid through a school-granted scholarship or stipend arrangement.

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