

**GENERAL STATISTICS REPORT
FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION¹
OVERALL STATISTICS**

Applicant Group	First-Timers			Repeaters			All Takers		
	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
General Bar Examination	1361	728	53.5	3437	1144	33.3	4798	1872	39.0
Attorneys' Examination	249	143	57.4	154	68	44.2	403	211	52.4
Total	1610	871	54.1	3591	1212	33.8	5201	2083	40.0

GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS

Law School Type	First-Timers			Repeaters			All Takers		
	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
CA ABA Approved	524	313	59.7	1636	723	44.2	2160	1036	48.0
Out-of-State ABA	251	127	50.6	569	220	38.7	820	347	42.3
CA Accredited	112	32	28.6	590	71	12.0	702	103	14.7
CA Unaccredited	18	1	5.6	168	9	5.4	186	10	5.4
Correspondence	95	34	35.8	107	13	12.1	202	47	23.3
Law Office/Judges' Chambers	0	0	0.0	2	0	0.0	2	0	0.0
US Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam ²	271	194	71.6	148	71	48.0	419	265	63.2
Foreign Attorneys Taking the General Bar Exam ³	81	25	30.9	198	36	18.2	279	61	21.9
4-Year Qualification ⁴	9	2	22.2	16	0	0.0	25	2	8.0
Others ⁵	0	0	0.0	3	1	33.3	3	1	33.3
Total	1361	728	53.5	3437	1144	33.3	4798	1872	39.0

¹ These statistics were compiled using data available as of the date results from the examination were released.

² Attorneys admitted in other jurisdictions less than four years must take and those admitted four or more years may elect to take the General Bar Examination.

³ Attorneys admitted in foreign jurisdictions must take the General Bar Examination.

⁴ Applicants may qualify to take the General Bar Examination through a combination of four years of law study without graduating from a law school.

⁵ Applicants in this category qualified to take the examination but do not meet the requirements for allocation to any of the other categories.

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
NUMBER OF TAKERS AND PERCENT PASSING BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION FIRST-TIME TAKERS ONLY***

School Type	White		Black		Hispanic		Asian		Other Minority	
	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	316	68.7	20	40.0	45	35.6	57	49.1	35	57.1
Out-of-State ABA	138	58.0	13	23.1	13	46.2	41	43.9	25	56.0
CA Accredited	68	32.4	12	8.3	16	25.0	9	44.4	3	0.0
CA Unaccredited	14	7.1	0	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0
Correspondence	68	42.6	5	20.0	6	16.7	13	23.1	2	0.0
Other	216	69.9	14	35.7	21	33.3	48	50.0	40	52.5
Total*	820	61.0	64	28.1	103	33.0	169	45.6	106	51.9

NUMBER OF TAKERS AND PERCENT PASSING BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP: REPEATERS*

School Type	White		Black		Hispanic		Asian		Other Minority	
	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	872	44.2	95	37.9	227	38.3	277	51.3	128	44.5
Out-of-State ABA	266	44.7	65	20.0	59	26.4	105	45.7	59	32.2
CA Accredited	340	15.0	67	3.0	75	13.3	49	6.1	42	7.1
CA Unaccredited	79	5.1	26	7.7	37	5.4	11	9.1	13	0.0
Correspondence	74	13.5	5	0.0	4	0.0	16	6.3	7	28.6
Other	159	40.9	38	18.4	39	17.9	55	25.5	66	18.2
Total*	1790	35.4	296	20.3	441	27.4	513	40.7	315	29.5

*Totals are for those reporting racial/ethnic group.

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
NUMBER OF FIRST-TIMERS AND REPEATERS PASSING BY GENDER***

School Type	First-Timers				Repeaters			
	Males		Females		Males		Females	
	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass	Took	% Pass
CA ABA Approved	270	58.5	254	61.0	784	40.7	852	47.4
Out-of-State ABA	146	49.3	104	52.9	309	41.7	260	35.0
CA Accredited	61	32.8	51	23.5	309	12.9	282	11.0
Unaccredited	10	10.0	8	0.0	95	2.1	73	9.6
Correspondence	62	33.9	33	39.4	77	10.4	30	16.7
Other	183	63.4	175	58.9	210	26.2	156	34.0
Total*	732	53.0	625	54.1	1784	31.0	1653	35.8

* Totals are for those reporting gender.

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS
CALIFORNIA ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
California Western School of Law	70	48	69	113	47	42
Chapman University School of Law	14	5	36	55	24	44
Golden Gate University School of Law	46	19	41	123	47	38
Loyola Law School-Los Angeles	45	28	62	114	66	58
McGeorge School of Law	25	19	76	130	67	52
Pepperdine University School of Law	14	12	86	59	35	59
Santa Clara University School of Law	29	21	72	105	56	53
Southwestern University School of Law	40	30	75	128	62	48
Stanford Law School	14	11	79	10	10	100
Thomas Jefferson School of Law	57	27	47	105	26	25
University of California - Berkeley	11	9	82	29	16	55
University of California - Davis	9	4	44	46	21	46
University of California - Hastings College of the Law	17	13	76	68	38	56
University of California - Los Angeles	13	9	69	41	25	61
University of San Diego School of Law	30	23	77	72	33	46
University of San Francisco School of Law	15	9	60	77	36	47
University of Southern California The Law School	1	0	0	35	16	46
Western State University College of Law	29	9	31	140	31	22
Whittier Law School	45	17	38	186	67	36
Total	524	313	60	1636	723	44

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS
CALIFORNIA ACCREDITED, NOT ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
Cal Northern School of Law	3	1	33	18	1	6
Empire College School of Law	4	0	0	18	2	11
Glendale University College of Law	1	0	0	14	2	14
Humphreys College School of Law	0	0	0	11	2	18
John F. Kennedy University School of Law	23	5	22	63	5	8
Lincoln Law School of Sacramento	1	1	100	37	8	22
Lincoln Law School of San Jose	1	0	0	47	4	9
Monterey College of Law	2	1	50	15	4	27
New College of California School of Law	5	0	0	32	4	13
San Fernando Valley College of Law	8	3	38	20	1	5
San Francisco Law School	2	0	0	26	2	8
San Joaquin College of Law	1	0	0	39	9	23
Santa Barbara College of Law	7	5	71	17	3	18
Southern California Institute of Law -- Santa Barbara	0	0	0	7	0	0
Southern California Institute of Law -- Ventura	2	0	0	16	1	6
Trinity Law School	17	4	24	49	3	6
University of La Verne College of Law*	8	1	13	29	9	31
University of West Los Angeles School of Law	13	4	31	101	6	6
Ventura College of Law	14	7	50	25	5	20
Schools No Longer in Operation	0	0	0	6	0	0
Total	112	32	29	590	71	12

* School was provisionally approved by the American Bar Association February 13, 2006. The school's graduates, however, qualified to take the examination prior to the school's approval by the ABA. For this examination, the school's graduates have been allocated to the school under the California-accredited law school category.

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS
CALIFORNIA UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
American College of Law	2	0	0	40	2	5
California Southern Law School	6	1	17	33	2	6
Desert College of Law	0	0	0	1	0	0
Irvine University College of Law	0	0	0	2	0	0
Larry H. Layton School of Law	0	0	0	3	1	33
Pacific Coast University School of Law	1	0	0	13	0	0
Pacific West College of Law	1	0	0	12	0	0
Peoples College of Law	1	0	0	8	1	13
Ridgecrest School of Law	3	0	0	7	0	0
University of Northern California Lorenzo Patino School of Law	3	0	0	29	1	3
Western Sierra Law School	1	0	0	13	0	0
Schools No Longer Registered	0	0	0	7	2	29
Total	18	1	6	168	9	5

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS
CALIFORNIA CORRESPONDENCE LAW SCHOOLS**

LAW SCHOOL	FIRST-TIMERS			REPEATERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
Abraham Lincoln University	11	1	9	32	2	6
Concord Law School	53	23	43	30	6	20
Newport University School of Law	4	0	0	5	1	20
Northwestern California University School of Law	6	0	0	6	0	0
Oak Brook College of Law & Government Policy	5	5	100	8	1	13
Southern California University For Professional Studies College of Law	5	0	0	5	1	20
University of Honolulu School of Law	1	0	0	0	0	0
West Coast School of Law	1	0	0	0	0	0
West Haven University	0	0	0	1	1	100
William Howard Taft University	8	5	63	15	1	7
Schools No Longer Registered	1	0	0	5	0	0
Total	95	34	36	107	13	12

**FEBRUARY 2006 CALIFORNIA BAR EXAMINATION
GENERAL BAR EXAMINATION STATISTICS
OUT-OF-STATE ABA SCHOOLS WITH 10 OR MORE TAKERS**

Law School	Took	Pass	%Pass	Took	Pass	%Pass
American University	3	2	67	18	11	61
Arizona State University	5	4	80	6	2	33
Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law	7	2	29	9	3	33
Columbia University	6	5	83	7	4	57
George Washington University	6	2	33	9	4	44
Georgetown University	6	5	83	16	8	50
Gonzaga University	0	0	0	18	9	50
Harvard Univ. Law School	5	4	80	10	7	70
Hofstra University	5	1	20	5	1	20
Lewis and Clark College	2	0	0	10	5	50
New England School of Law	3	1	33	21	4	19
New York University	7	7	100	12	7	58
Northwestern University	1	0	0	11	4	36
Rutgers-The State University-Camden	1	0	0	11	5	45
Syracuse University	3	0	0	16	5	31
Texas Southern University	2	0	0	8	1	13
Thomas M. Cooley Law School	9	4	44	17	2	12
Tulane University	6	4	67	8	5	63
University of Denver	2	0	0	12	0	0
University of Iowa	3	2	67	13	7	54
University of Michigan	19	16	84	5	5	100
University of Oregon	3	0	0	13	6	46
Vermont Law School	2	0	0	8	3	38
Washington University	3	2	67	8	4	50
All Other Out-Of-State Schools	142	66	46	298	108	36
TOTAL	251	127	51	569	220	39