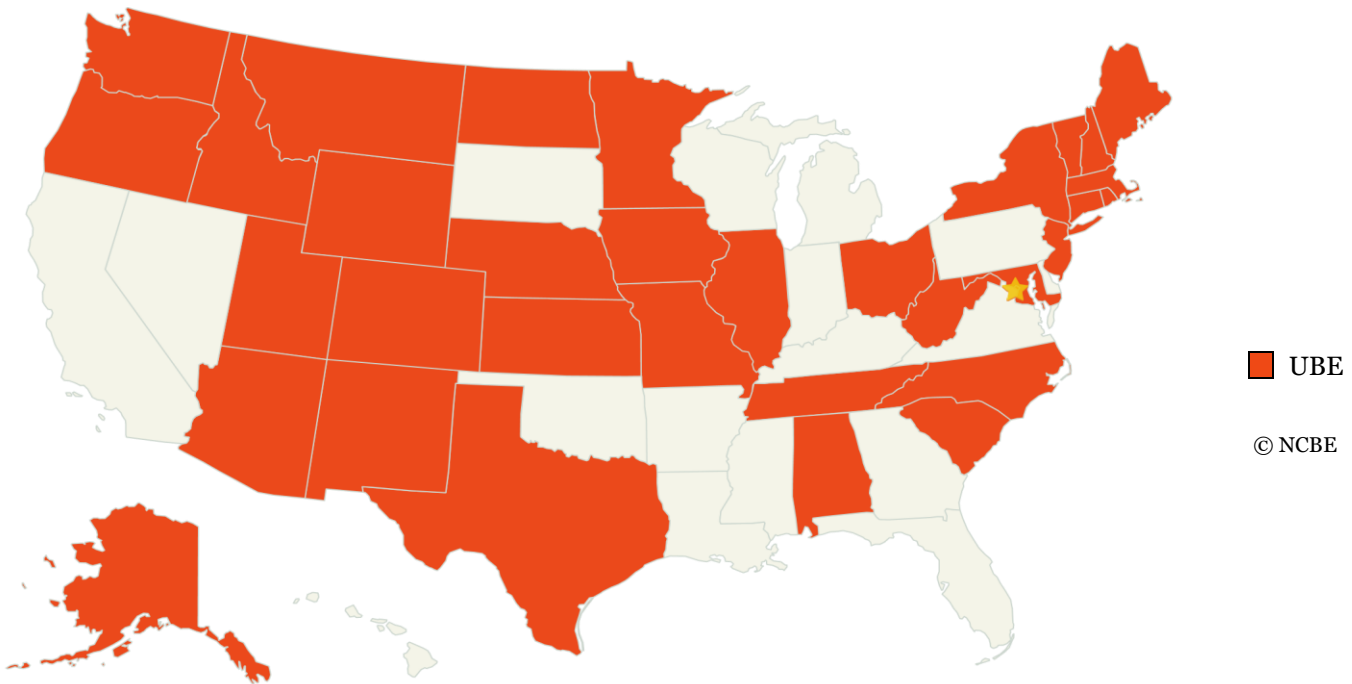




### Uniform Bar Exam (UBE)



### UBE Basics

#### Minimum Passing UBE Score\*

#### Jurisdiction-Specific Law Component Requirement

<b>260</b>	Alabama, Minnesota, Missouri, New Mexico, North Dakota
<b>266</b>	Connecticut, D.C., Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maryland, Montana, New Jersey, New York, South Carolina, Virgin Islands
<b>270</b>	Massachusetts, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming
<b>272</b>	Idaho
<b>273</b>	Arizona
<b>274</b>	Oregon
<b>276</b>	Colorado, Maine, Rhode Island
<b>280</b>	Alaska

<b>None</b>	Alaska, Colorado, Connecticut, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Rhode Island
<b>Before Admission</b>	Alabama, Arizona, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, Montana, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virgin Islands, Washington
<b>After Admission</b>	D.C., Idaho, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Oregon, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Wyoming

\* A score that does not meet the minimum passing score in the testing jurisdiction may be portable to another jurisdiction if the score is at or above the level required in the receiving jurisdiction. Illinois and Maryland will adopt the UBE effective July 2019. Ohio will adopt the UBE effect July 2020. Texas will adopt the UBE effective February 2021. Texas has yet to announce its minimum passing score or whether it will require a jurisdiction-specific law component.



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### Timeline\*

<b>December Grads 3L/4L Year:</b>	<b>May Grads 3L/4L Year</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Summer:</b> Research character and fitness requirements for the jurisdiction</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Fall:</b> Research character and fitness requirements for the jurisdiction</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>August:</b> Apply for Bar loans</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>January:</b> Apply for Bar loans</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>September:</b> Submit any character and fitness requirements for the jurisdiction</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>February:</b> Submit any character and fitness requirements for the jurisdiction</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>December:</b> Graduation + Bar Review Begins</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>May:</b> Graduation + Bar Review Begins</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>February:</b> Bar Exam</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>July:</b> Bar Exam</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Spring:</b> Bar result available</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Fall:</b> Bar result available</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>May:</b> Law School loan grace period ends</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>November:</b> Law School loan grace period ends</li> </ul>

The Uniform Bar Exam will consist of:

- Six, 30-minute essays;
- Two, 90-minute performance tests; and
- 200 multiple choice questions in six hours: Multistate Bar Examination (MBE).

### **SAMPLE 2-DAY SCHEDULE (February or July)**

Written Day	
Multistate Essay Examination (MEE) Six, 30-minute Essays 3 Hours	Multistate Performance Test (MPT) Two, 90-minute PTs 3 Hours
Multistate Bar Exam Day	
Multiple Choice Questions (100) 3 Hours	Multiple Choice Questions (100) 3 Hours

### Helpful Bar Exam Links

A summary of requirements and USD-specific bar exam information:

<http://www.sandiego.edu/law/student-affairs/bar-exam/>

Contact information and summary of bar admission information for Uniform Bar Exam jurisdictions:

<https://www.ncbex.org/jurisdiction-information/>

MPRE information:

<https://www.ncbex.org/exams/mpre/>

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### Financial Considerations

Register with the State Bar*	Varies
Character & Fitness Application*	Varies
Register for the MRPE	\$119
Bar Exam Registration Fee*	Varies
Bar Exam Laptop Fee*	Varies
Bar Prep Course	\$3,900
Rent/Bills for May 15 to August 1	\$4,500
Living Expenses/Food	\$3,000

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### The following subjects may be tested on the Uniform Bar Exam:

<u>On the multiple choice (MBE) section:</u>	<u>On the essay (MEE) section:</u>
Federal Civil Procedure	<i>All MBE subjects</i>
Constitutional Law	Business Associations
Contracts	Conflict of Laws**
Criminal Law	Family Law
Criminal Procedure	Secured Transactions
Federal Evidence	Trusts & Estates
Real Property	
Torts	

\* Check the individual jurisdiction for specific information regarding dates, filing deadlines, and fees.

\*\* Conflict of Laws is not tested as a stand-alone subject; it is embedded in other subjects.