

Pennsylvania Bar Exam Information

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Bar Exam Format

The Pennsylvania bar exam is a two-day exam. Pennsylvania has adopted the Uniform Bar Exam (UBE).

Day 1: Six 30-minute Multistate Essay Exam (MEE) questions and two 90-minute Multistate Performance Test (MPT) questions.

Day 2: Multistate Bar Exam (MBE), a six-hour, 200-question multiple-choice exam.

Subjects Tested

Essay Examination: Consists of six essay questions. Each question will include one or more of the following topics as they relate to Pennsylvania law. Not all topics may be tested.

Topics:

- Business Organizations
- Civil Procedure
- Conflict of Laws
- Contracts
- Criminal Law
- Employment Discrimination
- Evidence
- Family Law
- Federal Constitutional Law
- Federal Income Taxes
- Professional Responsibility
- Real Property
- Torts
- U.C.C., Art. II – Sales
- Wills, Trusts and Estates

Performance Test: One performance test question is used in lieu of the MPT (Multistate Performance Test). A file will be given to applicants along with a task that must be completed given the information within the files. See [here](#) for more information.

UW Law School: Academic Enhancement Program (AEP)

Sources: <http://www.ncbex.org/> and

http://www.pabarexam.org/bar_exam_information/testsubjects.htm

MBE: Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law, Contracts, Criminal Law and Procedure, Evidence, Real Property, and Torts.

Please use the links below for information about the following topics:

Bar Exam Dates:

<http://www.ncbex.org/> - scroll down

Bar Exam Application Fees

<https://reports.ncbex.org/comp-guide/charts/chart-7/>

Grading and Results:

<https://reports.ncbex.org/comp-guide/charts/chart-8/>

Additional Information:

<https://reports.ncbex.org/comp-guide/charts/>

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