Wyoming Board of Law Examiners

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Bar Exam Format

The Wyoming Bar Exam is a 1 1/2-day exam.

**Day 1:** Multistate Bar Exam (MBE), a 200 question, multiple-choice exam.
**Day 2:** Four hour essay session with 11 questions of which applicant must answer 10.

Subjects Tested

**MBE Subjects:** Constitutional Law, Contracts/Sales, Criminal Law/Procedure, Evidence, Real Property, Torts.

**Wyoming Essay Subjects:** Administrative Law, Business Organization, Civil Procedure, Commercial Paper, Domestic Relations, Mortgages, Oil & Gas, Sales, Secured Transactions, Trusts & Estates, Water Law plus all MBE subjects.

Bar Exam Dates

The Wyoming Bar Exam is administered on the last Wednesday and Thursday in February and July.

**2010 Winter:** February 24 - 25
**2010 Summer:** July 28 - 29

Filing Fees and Deadlines

Must be filed by November 15 for February exam and by April 15 for July exam. No late filing allowed.

**Exam fee:** $450 plus the appropriate NCBE Character Report fee.
Grading and Results

Minimum MBE scaled score of 130, an average score of 70% on the essays plus a grade of 70 or higher on at least 6 of the 10 essays is required to pass. A score on the MBE or essay section that meets minimum requirement may be preserved for 3 years. Results are generally released 8-10 weeks after the exam.

Reciprocity

**Admission on Motion:** A member in good standing of a reciprocating state bar may be admitted on motion if applicant has engaged in active practice of law 5 of 7 years preceding application and is a graduate of an ABA accredited law school. For complete details contact the Wyoming State Bar website.

**Acceptance of MBE Score:** Applicant may transfer MBE scaled score of 130 or higher achieved within three years of present exam.