

# Louisiana Bar Exam Information

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## Bar Exam Format

The Louisiana Bar Exam is a three-day exam including nine separate essay exams over Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Five code essay exams test on the Louisiana Civil Code and the Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure. The Multistate Bar Exam (MBE) is not used.

## Subjects Tested

**Code Subject Essays:** Civil Code I (Persons, Community Property, Property and Acquisitive Prescription); Civil Code II (Successions, Donations and Trusts); Civil Code III (Liberative Prescription, Obligations, Contracts, Security Rights, Sales, Leases and other Civil Code Book III topics); Louisiana Code of Civil Procedure; Torts.

**Non-Code Subject Essays:** Business Entities and Negotiable Instruments; Constitutional Law; Criminal Law, Procedure and Evidence; Federal Jurisdiction and Procedure.

## Bar Exam Dates

The Louisiana Bar Exam is administered on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday in a week of February and July.

## 2010 Exam Locations/Dates

Kenner (New Orleans area): February 8, 10, 12

Baton Rouge, Kenner (New Orleans area): July 26, 28, 30

## Filing Fees and Deadlines

Please refer to Louisiana Supreme Court Rule XVII. For detailed information about filing dates and fees, contact the [Louisiana Committee on Bar Admissions](http://www.lascba.org) at 800-314-1530.

**Exam fee:** \$550

#### Grading and Results

A passing score is 70% (seven separate essay exams, including four code subject essays, must be passed). Results are generally released in mid-April for the February exam and mid to late October for the July exam.

#### Reciprocity

**Admission on Motion:** Louisiana does not provide for admission on motion. Examination is required of all applicants.