

Student Application

Texas Tech University Pre-Law Academy Summer Program

Application Instructions

Application Checklist - Required Items

1. Application
2. Resume (complete, up to 2 pages)
3. At least 1 Letter of Recommendation
4. Addendum explaining "Yes" responses to any of the questions in the Character & Fitness section.
5. Date scheduled for interview

Additional Instructions

1. Use proper capitalization when entering your name and address.
2. Fully complete ALL address fields. Do not write "Same as above" or leave the "Address Valid Until" field blank.
3. Give us an email you know will continue to be valid until you intend to enroll and that you actually check. We send important announcements that require timely responses (e.g., scholarship notices). Also, please regularly check your email's spam folder to ensure you do not miss important emails.

Biographical

Prefix: _____ Name: _____
First Middle Last

Preferred First Name: _____

Demographics

Citizenship: Non-Resident Alien US Citizen US Permanent Resident

Country of Citizenship: _____

Visa Type: _____ Visa/SEVIS Number: _____

Permanent Resident Number: _____

Permanent City: _____

Permanent State/Province: _____

Permanent Country: _____

Native Language: _____

Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No

Date of Birth: _____

Gender: Choose an item.

City Place of Birth: _____

Country Place of Birth: _____

State/Province: _____

What is your race? Select one or more.

Aboriginal/Torres Strait Isl. Australian

Caucasian/White

American Indian/Alaskan Native

Hispanic/Latino

Asian

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

Black/African American

Puerto Rican

Canadian Aboriginal

Decline to Respond

If you checked the box for American Indian or Alaskan Native, are you enrolled in a tribe? Yes No
If so, please list your tribal affiliation and your Enrollment Number/CDIB. _____

If you do not wish to indicate your Enrollment Number/CDIB, indicate by checking this box: Decline

Are you related to a current member of the Texas Tech University System Board of Regents?

You may review a list of current Texas Tech University Board of Regent members at

www.texastech.edu/bor/.

Yes No

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Contact Information

Current Address

Country: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Permanent Address

Country: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Other Contact Information

Primary Email: _____ Secondary Email: _____
Mobile Phone: _____

Current Mailing Address Good Until (Date): _____
Day phone: _____ Evening phone: _____

Permanent Mailing Address Good Until (Date): _____
Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____
Texas Tech University Pre-Law Academy can send text messages to my mobile phone. Yes No

Family

Next of Kin/Emergency Contact

Prefix: _____ Name: _____
First Middle Last
Relationship to Applicant: _____
Telephone Number (Include Area Code): _____
Country: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Parent/Guardian - 1

Choose Not to Answer Deceased
Prefix: _____ Name: _____
First Middle Last
Occupation: _____ Highest Level of Education: _____

Parent/Guardian - 2

Choose Not to Answer Deceased
Prefix: _____ Name: _____
First Middle Last
Occupation: _____ Highest Level of Education: _____

Legacy Contacts

If you have any close relatives who have been students at Texas Tech University, please provide the following information.

Relative 1

Law school University
Prefix: _____ Name: _____
First Middle Last
Relationship to Applicant: _____
School Attended: _____ Degree Awarded: _____
Start Date (Month/Year): _____ End Date (Month/Year): _____

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Education

List ALL Educational Institutions Attended.

GPA (non-adjusted): _____

GPA (adjusted): _____

Institution Type: Choose an item.

Institution name: _____ Major: _____

Country State/Province City: _____

GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Start Date (Month/Year): _____ End Date (Month/Year): _____

Degree Date Degree Granted: _____

Institution Type: Choose an item.

Institution name: _____ Major: _____

Country State/Province City: _____

GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Start Date (Month/Year): _____ End Date (Month/Year): _____

Degree Date Degree Granted: _____

Institution Type: Choose an item.

Institution name: _____ Major: _____

Country State/Province City: _____

GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Start Date (Month/Year): _____ End Date (Month/Year): _____

Degree Date Degree Granted: _____

Institution Type: Choose an item.

Institution name: _____ Major: _____

Country State/Province City: _____

GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Start Date (Month/Year): _____ End Date (Month/Year): _____

Degree Date Degree Granted: _____

Have you ever attended any law school?

Yes No

Did you leave the law school under less than good standing?

Yes No

If you did not leave the law school in good standing, explain the circumstances.

[Click here to enter text.](#)

Standardized Testing

LSAT

Test Date: _____ Test Score: _____

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Character and Fitness

Because of the high ethical standards to which lawyers are held, failing to disclose an act or event such as the ones described below is often more significant and leads to more serious consequences than the act or event itself. Failing to provide truthful answers or to inform the Academy of any changes to your answers may result in the withdrawal of an admission offer.

Although affirmative answers to the questions below may not necessarily preclude admission to Texas Tech Pre-Law Academy, persons who have been convicted of offenses other than minor traffic violations may have difficulty in gaining admission to the bar. (Licensing agencies often require you to include your law school application as part of your application for admission to the bar. The bar admissions process often includes a full criminal background check. Any discrepancies between your law school application and the results of that check could jeopardize your ability to be admitted to practice law.)

If you are uncertain how to answer the following questions, you may place an anonymous telephone call to an admissions official at Texas Tech University School of Law. Do not rely upon the advice of any other individual in answering these questions, including judges, attorneys, prelaw advisors, or admissions officials at other law schools.

Applicants should be aware that the qualifications for admission to the bar, including those related to character and fitness, vary from state to state. Prior to matriculation, applicants seeking to engage in the practice of law are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the rules of the state in which they intend to seek admission, especially those rules relating to registration, deadlines, residency requirements, character and fitness, and courses that may be required during law school. Applicants who are concerned about their eligibility to practice law should contact the Board of Law Examiners (or the appropriate committee) in the state in which the applicant intends to practice. A Comprehensive Guide to Bar Admission Requirements, which includes coverage of character and fitness requirements and contact information for each state, is available on the website of the National Conference of Bar Examiners <http://www.ncbex.org/bar-admissions/>.

Have you ever been suspended, warned, placed on academic or disciplinary probation, disciplined, expelled, or requested or advised to withdraw from any postsecondary school, college, university, professional school, or law school? If so, you must attach a statement providing complete details. Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of an offense, placed on probation, or granted deferred adjudication or any type of pretrial diversion? You may exclude minor traffic violations, HOWEVER you must report ALL such offenses involving drugs or alcohol, including minor traffic offenses. Also, you must report all "Failure to Appear" convictions resulting from any offense. You must report any conviction for failure to maintain financial responsibility (legally required auto insurance). You are NOT required to disclose offenses, arrests, tickets, or citations that have been expunged, sealed, or subject to an order of nondisclosure. However, we strongly recommend that you obtain a copy of the court order verifying that status. If you fail to disclose required information that was in fact not expunged, sealed, or subject to an order of nondisclosure, you may be subject to disciplinary action. Yes No

If, after submitting this application, you are convicted of an offense, placed on probation, or granted deferred adjudication or any type of pretrial diversion that would require you to answer "Yes" to the previous question, you must inform the School of Law immediately. You must also attach a statement providing complete details. Answering "Yes" to this item indicates you acknowledge this obligation and agree to comply with it. Yes No

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Interests

What three factors are most important to you in selecting a law school?

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|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuition Rate | <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Curriculum |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bar Passage Rate | <input type="checkbox"/> Location | <input type="checkbox"/> Placement Statistics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Size of Student Body | <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Degree/Certificate Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Student/Faculty Ratio |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Reputation | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Which of the following sources of information influenced your decision to apply to Texas Tech Pre-Law Academy?

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|---|---|-----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Law Advisor | <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate Professor | Other Please Explain: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honors College Advisor | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer/Judge (non-alumnus) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Website or Internet Search | <input type="checkbox"/> Current Law Student | |

List all law schools to which you intend to apply.

Certification

By submitting this application, I certify that the information I have provided, including any supplemental materials, is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further agree to promptly notify Texas Tech University Pre-Law Academy of any changes to this information or of any further information that might affect my consideration as an applicant. I understand that falsifications, misrepresentations, or omissions on this application may result in the withdrawal of an admission offer or disciplinary action by the law school, which may include suspension for one or more semesters, revocation of a conferred degree, or denial of a law license by the state in which I seek to practice. If admitted, I understand I have an ongoing duty to timely report any incidents that occur post-admission that would have been required to be disclosed if they had occurred pre-admission.

_____ I agree with the above statement (Please Initial). Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signed Name: _____