

**January 2025 Annual Disclosure by California Accredited Law Schools Under California  
Business & Professions Code Section 6061.7(a)**

Name of Law School: Monterey College of Law

Primary Address: 100 Colonel Durham St. Seaside, CA 93955

Approved Branch Campus(es): San Luis Obispo College of Law, Kern County College of Law, Empire College of Law

Law schools that are registered or accredited in the State of California but are not approved by the American Bar Association must file this disclosure at the start of each calendar year pursuant to California Business & Professions Code section 6061.7(a). Data in this report covers the 52 weeks ending September 15, 2024 unless noted. The State Bar of California's website includes a [list](#) of all law schools that are registered as unaccredited or accredited in California.

**1. Admissions Data:**

- a) Total number of first year applications received: 154
- b) Total number of first year applications admitted: 132
- c) Total number of first year applications enrolled: 88
- d) Undergraduate Grade Point Average (GPA) for all first-year students enrolled:  
75<sup>th</sup> percentile: 3.75      50<sup>th</sup> percentile: 3.5      25<sup>th</sup> percentile: 2.66
- e) Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) numerical score for all first-year students enrolled who provided an LSAT score (if LSAT is required or accepted for admission):  
75<sup>th</sup> percentile: 66      50<sup>th</sup> percentile: 51      25<sup>th</sup> percentile: 12

**2. Time and Charges to earn a JD degree as of September 15, 2024**

- a) **Total** number of semester units required to earn a JD degree: 90
- b) Estimated **total** tuition charged to **complete** a JD degree: \$ 79500
- c) Estimated **total** fees charged to **complete** a JD degree: \$ 7000

**3. Financial Aid Available to First-Year Students (if qualified):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Guaranteed Loans                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted Scholarships/Grants/Discounts: |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Student Loans                   | Total number awarded: <u>10</u> Total dollar amount awarded: \$ <u>15000</u>    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran Educations Benefits                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Scholarships/Grants:                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> California Department of Rehabilitation | Total number awarded:      Total dollar amount awarded: \$                      |

**Description of all conditions (e.g., cumulative GPA) required to maintain such scholarship**

**4. Enrollment Data**

- a. Total number of students enrolled per class in the law school's JD degree program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2021	2022	2023	2024
1st Year	66	64	82	97
2nd Year	64	53	53	54
3rd Year	43	60	53	54
4th Year	38	36	53	53
Total JD enrollment	211	213	241	258

- b. Total number of students who transferred to or from the JD program during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below:

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Transfers (to)	0	0	0	0
Transfers (from)	0	0	0	0

- c. Total number of students who did not remain enrolled in the JD program, on either a voluntary or involuntary basis, during the 52 weeks ending September 15 of the year indicated below (includes those who transferred to other schools):

	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total Attrition (#)	13	36	13	9

#### 5. Law School administrators, Faculty, and Librarians as of September 15, 2024:

- a) Number of full time-faculty: 0  
b) Number of part-time faculty: 144  
e) Number of trained and degreed librarians (full- or part-time): 0

- c) Number of full-time administrators: 16  
d) Number of part-time administrators: 12

#### 6. Required Courses and Clinical Courses as of September 15, 2024:

- a) Number of required courses for JD degree: 25  
b) Average class size for required courses: 15  
c) Number of school-sponsored clinical programs offered for credit: 13

#### 7. Employment Outcomes:

The percentage of students graduating in 2021 who were employed in 2022, 2023, or 2024 in: a) Jobs that require a JD degree; or b) jobs in which holding a JD degree is an advantage:

Total number of 2021 JD graduates: 31  
Total number of 2021 JD graduates surveyed: 31  
Total number of surveys returned: 24  
Survey response rate: 77 %

Employment Status of 2021 Grads in:	2022	2023	2024
JD degree required job	75 %	67 %	75 %
JD degree advantage job per job description	25 %	33 %	25 %

Survey conducted between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

#### 8. California Bar Examination Cumulative Passage Data Calculated using the formula set forth in Accredited Rule 4.160(D) Minimum, Cumulative Five-Year Bar Passage Rate (MPR) Reporting Period: August 1, 2018 - July 31, 2023

Cumulative percentage of students who graduated during the Reporting Period and passed any California Bar Examination during the Reporting Period or the February 2024 bar exam, if they graduated within 10 administrations of that bar exam; adjusted to exclude those pursuing licensure under CRC 9.49.1 and include those who have licensed through this option. A MPR of 40% is required of California Accredited Law Schools. 52.3 %