In June 2014, the American Bar Association approved Penn State University's proposal to operate two independent and fully accredited law schools: Penn State's Dickinson Law in Carlisle and Penn State Law in University Park, PA. The law schools will operate as separately accredited institutions beginning in fall 2015. However, because the two locations admitted students on a unified basis from 2006 to 2014, historic data from these years reflects unified statistics.

**PROFILE**

Data based on FA2013 entering class.

- **AGE RANGE**: 21 - 55
- **21.29% MINORITY**
- **AVERAGE AGE**: 24

**LSAT**

Data based on FA2013 entering class.

- **75%**: 160
- **MEDIAN**: 158
- **25%**: 154

**GPA**

Data based on FA2013 entering class.

- **75%**: 3.78
- **MEDIAN**: 3.58
- **25%**: 3.28

**BREAKDOWN OF COSTS**

Breakdown of costs is for the academic year.

- **Tuition**: $42,720
- **Tuition After Commonwealth Scholars Grant**: $22,720+
- **Fees**: $554
- **Books**: $1,536
- **Housing**: $5,400
- **Food**: $3,600
- **Utilities**: $2,322
- **Transportation**: $1,900
- **Miscellaneous Expenses**: $2,900 (clothing, laundry, medical expenses, recreation, and personal care)

All disclosures required by ABA Standard 509 can be found at www.dickinsonlaw.psu.edu. *All Pennsylvania residents will receive a $20,000 tuition grant upon matriculation to Dickinson Law.*
Of the 200 graduates in the Class of 2013 known to be seeking work, 145 reported themselves employed 9 months after graduation (i.e., 72.5%).

All admitted students are considered automatically for merit scholarships, which vary in amount but may include full tuition. Dickinson Law merit scholarships are renewable in the second and third years as long as the recipient remains in good standing under the honor code and academic rules. Need-based aid is available for qualifying students.