

The Dean and the Faculty Committee on Grades have approved for release the following grade percentiles for **students completing the first semester of study as of December 2019:**

**1Ls****Top 25%      3.65****Top 50%      3.36**

The University of Texas School of Law uses a letter grading system for evaluating classroom performance. Grades range from A+ to F. Passing a course requires a grade of D, and a student must maintain a 1.90 (C=2.00, D=1.70) average to graduate.

It is the policy of The University of Texas School of Law not to rank its students on the basis of academic standing. Therefore, students may not estimate class standing or indicate a percentile ranking on their resumes, cover letters or application materials.

Students who list their actual GPAs must report the grade to two decimal points. Students may not round their GPAs. The GPA listed must be the most current GPA as reported on the student's grade report. In calculating a grade average, points are assigned as follows:

<b>A+</b>	<b>4.30</b>	<b>B-</b>	<b>2.70</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>C+</b>	<b>2.30</b>
<b>A-</b>	<b>3.70</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>2.00</b>
<b>B+</b>	<b>3.30</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>1.70</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>1.30</b>

A letter average may be used in lieu of a numerical GPA. Students should indicate their letter average according to the following range:

<b>A+</b>	<b>4.30</b>	<b>B-</b>	<b>2.70 - 2.99</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>4.00 - 4.29</b>	<b>C+</b>	<b>2.30 - 2.69</b>
<b>A-</b>	<b>3.70 - 3.99</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>2.00 - 2.29</b>
<b>B+</b>	<b>3.30 - 3.69</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>1.70 - 1.99</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>3.00 - 3.29</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>1.30 - 1.69</b>

Students may also include seminar papers, published writing, honorary organizations, Dean's Achievement Awards for receiving the highest grade in the class, and other awards for academic excellence on their resumes.

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