

ACADEMIC RANKINGS

CLASS OF 2007

June 14, 2007

St. Mary's University School of Law has a tradition of strict grading. The faculty prohibits awarding the grades of *A* or *A-* to more than 15% of the students in a course. Because of this limit and because we do not give *A+s*, few students can maintain an *A* average. Our grading scheme is described below.

Letter-Grade System	Grading Regulations
A 4.00	Median Grade must be a <i>B-</i> .
A- 3.67	No more than 15% of grades may be
B+ 3.33	<i>As</i> or <i>A-s</i> .
B 3.00	No more than 15% of grades may be
B- 2.67	<i>C-s</i> , <i>Ds</i> , or <i>Fs</i> .
C+ 2.33	Median Grade is on a "sliding scale" of <i>B-</i> to <i>B+</i>
C 2.00	in classes of 20 or fewer.
C- 1.67	
D 1.00	
F 0.00	

Listed below are the percentile rankings for the Class of 2007. The list includes cumulative grade-point averages earned for graduates of August 2006, December 2006 and May 2007. Also listed is the letter grade equivalent of each average. A total of 243 graduates were included in the calculations.

<u>PERCENTILES</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Grade</u>
2%	3.53	B+
5%	3.36	B+
10%	3.28	B
25%	2.91	B-
33%	2.84	B-
MEDIAN	2.67	C+

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CLASS OF 2008

June 20, 2007

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Letter-Grade System	Grading Regulations
A 4.00	Median Grade must be a B-.
A- 3.67	No more than 15% of grades may be
B+ 3.33	As or A-s.
B 3.00	No more than 15% of grades may be
B- 2.67	C-s, Ds, or Fs.
C+ 2.33	Median Grade is on a "sliding scale" of B- to B+
C 2.00	in classes of 20 or fewer.
C- 1.67	
D 1.00	
F 0.00	

Listed below are the percentile rankings for the class. The list includes cumulative grade-point averages earned through the spring semester of 2007. Also listed is the letter grade equivalent of each average. A total of 226 students were included in the calculations.

<u>PERCENTILES</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Grade</u>
2%	3.51	B+
5%	3.30	B
10%	3.17	B
25%	2.95	B-
33%	2.84	B-
MEDIAN	2.67	C+

ACADEMIC RANKINGS

CLASS OF 2009

June 14, 2007

St. Mary's University School of Law has a tradition of strict grading. The faculty prohibits awarding the grades of *A* or *A-* to more than 15% of the students in a course. Because of this limit and because we do not give *A+s*, few students can maintain an *A* average. Our grading scheme is described below.

Letter-Grade System

A	4.00
A-	3.67
B+	3.33
B	3.00
B-	2.67
C+	2.33
C	2.00
C-	1.67
D	1.33
F	0.00

Grading Regulations

The median grade in all first-year courses must be a *C+*.

No less than 10% and no more than 20% of the grades must be *A's*, *A-'s* or *B+'s*.

No fewer than 10% and no more than 20% of the grades must be *C-'s*, *D's*, or *F's*.

Listed below are the percentile rankings for the class. The list includes cumulative grade-point averages earned through the spring semester of 2007. Also listed is the letter grade equivalent of each average. A total of 240 students were included in the calculations.

<u>PERCENTILES</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Grade</u>
2%	3.54	B+
5%	3.31	B
10%	3.18	B
25%	2.85	B-
33%	2.71	B-
MEDIAN	2.52	C+

Spring 2007 Academic Rankings Additional Percentiles

June 20, 2007

The GPA cut offs for each 2% interval for the top half of each class (e.g., top 2%, 4%,....48%, 50%), as well as the highest GPA in the class, is provided below.

Percentile	Class of 2007	Class of 2008	Class of 2009
#1 GPA		3.79	3.85
2%	3.53	3.51	3.54
4%	3.41	3.33	3.34
6%	3.35	3.29	3.28
8%	3.31	3.19	3.24
10%	3.28	3.17	3.18
12%	3.19	3.08	3.14
14%	3.14	3.06	3.09
16%	3.10	3.03	3.02
18%	3.05	3.02	2.97
20%	3.03	3.01	2.93
22%	2.94	2.99	2.90
24%	2.91	2.95	2.87
26%	2.90	2.93	2.82
28%	2.89	2.91	2.80
30%	2.87	2.88	2.74
32%	2.85	2.86	2.72
34%	2.83	2.83	2.70
36%	2.81	2.82	2.68
38%	2.79	2.81	2.66
40%	2.77	2.78	2.63
42%	2.73	2.77	2.61
44%	2.72	2.75	2.58
46%	2.71	2.74	2.56
48%	2.70	2.71	2.54
50%	2.67	2.67	2.52