

LAW SCHOOL APPLICATION 4-YEAR TIMELINE

Freshman & Sophomore Years

- Academic Excellence
 - No pre-law major, so select a major (and possible minor / certificate) that interests you and develop a well-rounded curriculum.
 - Focus on obtaining a strong GPA.
 - Not required, but some recommended, courses for law school.
 - Get to know your professors. You will need them for Letters of Recommendation.
- Extracurricular Activities
 - Public service
 - University activities
 - Research law school and legal careers to determine fit for you.
 - Sit in on a first year law class.
 - Avoid misconduct charges.
 - Attend a mandatory Pre-Law Orientation session.

Junior Year

- Meet with the Pre-Law Advisor for assistance with the application process.
- Maintain a strong GPA.
- Continue developing and maintaining relationships with faculty.
- Continue to investigate law schools, legal education, and legal careers and schedule campus visits at law schools of interest.
- Begin preparation for LSAT.
- Attend the UGA Law School Fair and/or on-campus law school visits.

Senior Year

- Meet with Pre-Law Advisor to draft and review your personal statement.
- Contact professors for letters of recommendation.
- Apply in the fall, preferably by December 1st. 1st LSAT should not be in December.
- Pick the best law school for you.