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WELCOME TO MARQUETTE LAW SCHOOL!

HERE'S WHAT TO DO NOW:

READ INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADMITTED STUDENTS

Read the instruction packet included in this folder for everything you need to know about confirming your spot at Marquette Law School.

VISIT ADMITTED STUDENTS WEBSITE

...and visit Marquette Law School! At <https://bit.ly/2CE2XP4>, you will find so much to explore as an admitted law student. You will also see all of the opportunities to visit offered between now and April 15. Please plan to attend our Admitted Students Open House on April 4.

APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID

Submit the FAFSA form as soon as possible. Scholarship consideration begins in February. See enclosure for details.

CONTACT US:

414.288.6767

law.marquette.edu

law.admission@marquette.edu

MESSAGE US:

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VISIT VIRTUALLY!

Don't let COVID-19 keep you from exploring all that Marquette Law School has to offer:

TOUR

TAKE OUR VIRTUAL TOUR

We'd much rather greet you in person at Eckstein Hall, but until that time, please visit virtually. It's a great way to see what makes Marquette Law a special place. <https://bit.ly/33qoaKu>

TALK

TALK TO OUR STAFF

We remain at your service Monday—Friday 8:00 am—4:30 pm (CDT), just as if we were sitting at our desks in Eckstein Hall. Don't hesitate to call us at 414.288.6767. If you prefer, you may request a specific appointment time via <https://bit.ly/2WnDQfX>.

Your emails are always welcome: law.admission@marquette.edu





SOCIAL

FOLLOW US AND JOIN THE DISCUSSION

Join the Class of 2023 Facebook Group

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

Acknowledgment and Acceptance of Offer

Acknowledgment and acceptance of your offer of admission is achieved by paying your tuition deposit. Tuition deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable. The tuition deposit will be applied toward tuition costs for the first semester, after attendance has been verified.

The following non-refundable deposit is due:

An initial tuition deposit of \$450 is required to reserve your place at Marquette Law School for the semester beginning August 20, 2020. **This deposit must be received by April 15, 2020.**

Note: A *second* tuition deposit, *also* of \$450, will be additionally required and must be received by June 1, 2020. Details will be sent in May.

Paying Your Deposit:

Deposits should be paid online via: <https://bit.ly/2yMjC4b>. You may also access this link from the website for admitted students at <https://bit.ly/2CE2XP4>. Electronic checks, VISA, Mastercard, Discover, or American Express are accepted modes of online payment. As of March 18, 2020, Marquette University is functioning as an online campus for the foreseeable future. U.S. Mail delivery is uncertain. Please do not mail your deposit.

What Happens Next:

After we receive your initial deposit you will receive reminders in May about the second tuition deposit. We will continue to forward other information that you will need to prepare for your enrollment at Marquette University Law School, including details regarding new student orientation and your course schedule.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADMITTED STUDENTS

Acknowledgment of Acceptance Form

To reserve your place in the August 2020 class, please complete and return the enclosed acknowledgment of acceptance form and submit your required deposit as listed on the form. Make your check or money order payable to Marquette University or pay online via <https://bit.ly/2yMjC4b> (do not send cash) by the date indicated in the enclosed correspondence.

Tuition deposits are **non-refundable**. Tuition deposits will be credited toward your first semester tuition.

Housing

Marquette University's Office of University Apartments and Off-campus Student Services offers assistance to graduate and professional students and can help you in your search for housing. That office provides an online tenant guide which supplies information about housing options throughout the city of Milwaukee (several within walking distance of the Law School) and the surrounding area. Marquette University has limited availability of university apartments for graduate and professional students. Please find details and direct any questions to the Office of University Apartments and Off-campus Student Services at marquette.edu/offcampus or (414) 288-7281.

Financial Aid

We encourage you to apply for financial assistance by filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available online at <https://fafsa.gov>. For your convenience, we have enclosed further information about applying for financial aid and the merit scholarship process. Tuition for the 2020–2021 academic year will be announced by February.

Complete Current Coursework

Your offer of admission is contingent upon satisfactory completion of coursework at the institution in which you are currently enrolled (if applicable). "Satisfactory completion" means finishing the work with comparable or better grades than those upon which Marquette Law School offered you admission.

CheckMarq

All admitted students will be emailed information about CheckMarq, the online student information system, shortly after being admitted. You will need to use CheckMarq to process your financial aid and to access your student schedule for the fall semester. Should you misplace your CheckMarq username/password, please contact the IT Help Desk at (414) 288-7799.

Immunization Requirement

Proof of immunization, and/or disease as applicable, is required for MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella), Varicella (chicken pox) and Tetanus/Diphtheria. The information should be provided in advance of enrollment via CheckMarq.

Disability Services

Please direct inquiries to Bonnie M. Thomson, Associate Dean for Administration/Registrar, Marquette University Law School, (414) 288-3641.

Final College Transcripts

Once your final transcripts, denoting all grades and degree conferral, become available, please arrange to have official copies of your college transcripts (undergraduate as well as graduate) sent directly to the Law School Admissions Council (LSAC). Please follow process via <https://bit.ly/2qsjBQr>.

Your offer of admission is contingent upon receipt of your official college transcripts by August 1, 2020.

Campus Visits

We encourage you to visit Marquette University Law School. You may wish to mark your calendar for our admitted students open house on Saturday, April 4, 2020. Please check our website at <https://bit.ly/2zrL4mf> for the most up-to-date information about visiting the Law School. Contact Stephanie Nikolay, Director of Admissions and Recruitment, at (414) 288-6767 to arrange an individual appointment.

Dates to Remember (subject to change)

Fall Semester 2020

August 20–21	New student orientation
August 24	Fall classes begin
September 7	Labor Day holiday
Nov. 25–29	Thanksgiving holiday
Dec. 7–17	Final exams
Dec. 20–Jan. 12	Winter break

Spring Semester 2021

January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday
January 19	Spring classes begin
March 14–21	Spring break
April 2–4	Easter holiday
May 3–13	Final exams

TIMELINE FOR ADMITTED MARQUETTE LAW STUDENTS

October

File the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible after October 1, 2019

February

Early February Notification of merit-based scholarships typically begins

Mid February Announcement of 2020–2021 tuition

March

Early March Notification of Federal student loan eligibility begins

April

4 Admitted students open house

15 First deposit deadline (See your acknowledgment of acceptance form to confirm your deposit(s) and deadline(s).)

May

Early May Accept your financial aid (if applicable) on CheckMarq; complete and submit a Grad PLUS Credit Authorization form to the Office of Student Financial Aid (if you expect to utilize a Grad PLUS loan).

June

1 Second deposit deadline (Your enrollment confirmation form will indicate your deposit and deadline.)

Early June Contact your undergraduate college/university registrar to arrange for your final transcript submission. (This is required of all incoming students; see Instructions for Admitted Students for further details.)

Mid June Incoming Students Barbecue

Late June Notification of first-year course registration (Note: the Law School's Registrar will email all first-year students when course schedules have been posted in CheckMarq.)

July

Early July Tentative schedule for Orientation posted

August

Early August Class assignments posted online via CheckMarq

Mid August First semester tuition bill from the University posted online via CheckMarq

20 Orientation begins

24 First day of classes

Important Telephone Numbers

Office hours are typically 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Central Time

Law School Services

Office of Admissions

(414) 288-6767

Office of the Registrar

Law School

(414) 288-3641

Office of Student Development

(414) 288-0636

University Services

Office of the Bursar

(414) 288-4000

Office of the Registrar

Marquette Transcript Requests

(414) 288-4000

Office of Student Financial Aid

(414) 288-4000

Office of Student Health Services

(414) 288-7184

Office of University Apartments and Off-campus Student Services

(414) 288-7281



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Law School students who wish to be considered for Federal financial aid (i.e. student loans) at Marquette University must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA is available online at <https://fafsa.gov>.

If you hope to secure student loans for the upcoming academic year, we strongly encourage you to submit the FAFSA as soon as possible after October 1, 2019.

We suggest you take the following steps to ensure that your financial aid application is processed accurately and quickly:

1. Gather your 2018 tax information. We recommend that you file the FAFSA as soon as possible after October 1.

All Marquette law students (full-time and part-time) are considered independent for financial aid purposes. Therefore, only your income and assets (and those of your spouse, if applicable) will be evaluated to determine whether you qualify for student loans.

2. Apply for a Federal Student Aid ID (FSAID) online at <https://fsaid.ed.gov>. This will serve as your electronic signature on your FAFSA application.
3. Complete the FAFSA online at <https://fafsa.gov>. Be sure to complete all sections about you, your school plans, and your financial information. Entering students for the upcoming fall semester should complete the online FAFSA on or after October 1, 2019. Be certain that you select and complete the FAFSA for the upcoming academic year.
4. List Marquette University. **Our school code is 003863.**
5. Provide your electronic signature (FSAID).
6. **Submit** your information.
7. **Print out** and keep a copy of your submitted information for your records.

Within two to four weeks of submitting the FAFSA, you will receive a Student Aid Report (SAR) via email. Check the SAR for accuracy and follow up on any requests for additional information. If you have special or extraordinary circumstances, or if you have specific questions about the financial aid (loan) application process, please call, email, or visit Marquette University's Office of Student Financial Aid – telephone: (414) 288-4000; email: financialaid@marquette.edu; or visit Zilber Hall, and ask to speak with a financial aid counselor.

TUITION AND ENTERING STUDENT BUDGET

Full-time tuition for the 2019–2020 academic year is \$47,550, or \$23,775 per semester. Part-time tuition for the 2019–2020 academic year is \$1,880 per credit. The most up-to-date student budgets for full-time and part-time students at Marquette Law School are available on our website at <https://bit.ly/2lge4JH>. Tuition for the 2020–2021 academic year is expected to be announced by mid-February.

SCHOOL CODE FOR FAFSA APPLICATION: 003863

LAW SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

Applicants offered admission to the Law School are considered for available merit scholarship awards on the basis of the admission application. If you are awarded a scholarship you will be contacted separately by the Admissions Committee via U.S. Mail. *Notification of merit-based scholarships typically begins in early February.* Most Marquette law students, including those who receive scholarships, will rely upon a combination of loan programs to help finance their education and to pay for living expenses while in law school. Timely submission of the FAFSA is highly recommended.



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