

## Bar Study Loan Application and Solicitation Disclosure



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### Loan Interest Rate & Fees

Your **starting interest rate** will be between

**7.89 %** and **12.70 %**

After the starting rate is set, your rate will then remain fixed for the term of the loan.

### Your Starting Interest Rate (upon approval)

The starting interest rate you pay will be determined after you apply. It will be based upon your credit history and other factors (chosen repayment option and co-signer credit, if applicable). If approved, we will notify you of the rate you qualify for within the stated range.

### Your Interest Rate during the life of the loan

**Your rate is fixed.** This means that your rate will remain constant over the term of your loan. For more information on this rate, see the reference notes below.

The **maximum rate** on the Bar Study Loan is the fixed rate which will be disclosed to you if you qualify.

### Loan Fees

**Origination Fee:** There is no origination fee on this loan. **Late Charges:** If your payment or any portion of your payment is more than fifteen (15) days late, you agree to pay a late charge of 5% of the payment amount. **Returned Payment Charge:** If you make a payment, and that payment (including an electronic payment) is returned or refused by your bank for any reason you agree to pay a charge of \$5.00 for each such payment returned or refused. This is in addition to any fee that your bank may also charge you. **Charges for Optional Services:** If you request and Lender agrees to provide optional services in connection with your loan, Lender may charge you and you agree to pay the fees for such services. The fees will be disclosed to you before you accept any such service. Optional services may include, but are not limited to: (1) allowing you to make an expedited payment on your loan, and (2) sending documents to you by express delivery or facsimile transmission.

### Loan Cost Examples

The total amount you will pay for this loan will vary depending upon when you start to repay it. These examples are estimates based upon the three (3) repayment options available to you while enrolled in school.

Repayment Option (while enrolled in school)	Amount Provided (amount provided directly to your school)	Interest Rate (highest possible starting rate)	Loan Term (how long you have to pay off the loan)	Total Paid over 5 years (includes associated fees)
<b>1. DEFER PAYMENTS</b> Make no payments while enrolled in school. Interest will be charged and added to your loan.	\$10,000.00	12.70 %	5 years Starting <u>after</u> the deferment period	\$ 15,142.52
<b>2. PAY ONLY THE INTEREST</b> Make interest payments but defer payments on the principal amount while enrolled in school.	\$10,000.00	12.19 %	5 years Starting <u>after</u> the deferment period	\$ 14,525.52
<b>3. MAKE FULL PAYMENTS</b> Pay both the principal and interest amounts while enrolled in school.	\$10,000.00	12.19 %	5 years Starting <u>after</u> the first disbursement	\$ 13,406.79

#### About these examples:

The repayment example assumes you remain in school for six (6) months and have a six (6) month grace period (if applicable) prior to entering repayment. All examples are based on, the highest fixed interest rate currently offered and associated fees for the repayment option shown.

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### Next Steps

#### To Apply for this Loan, Complete the Application

If you are approved for this loan, the loan terms will be available for 30 days (terms will not change during this period, except as permitted by law).

### REFERENCE NOTES

#### Interest Rate

- This loan has a fixed interest rate that will remain constant over the term of the loan.
- Borrower Benefits. Citizens One Bar Study Loan borrowers may be eligible for interest rate reductions, and other program benefits, under specific circumstances. See: [www.citizensone.com/student-loans](http://www.citizensone.com/student-loans) for more information about available borrower benefits, eligibility and applicable terms and conditions.
- Rates are typically higher without a co-signer.

#### Bankruptcy Limitations

If you file for bankruptcy, you may still be required to pay back this loan.

**Interest rates and benefits listed in this document only apply to students attending or graduated from certain eligible institutions. For questions, please call our Education Finance Specialists at 800-721-3969.**

#### Eligibility Criteria Student

- Borrowers must have graduated in the last six months OR be enrolled at least half-time in a degree granting program at an eligible law school AND within six months of graduation.
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, or have a U.S. citizen co-signer.
- Must be of legal borrowing age in their state of residence.
- International students can apply with a creditworthy U.S. citizen or permanent resident co-signer.

#### Co-signers

- Rates are typically higher without a co-signer.  
Must be of legal borrowing age in their state of residence.

#### Students At Institutions of Higher Education In Virginia

Private education loans are one tool that students use to finance their education. Your lender and your institution's Financial Aid Office provide assistance with eligibility for the loans. For borrowers who have existing private education loans, Virginia has a Student Loan Advocate to assist borrowers who are struggling with repayment. You can contact the Student Loan Advocate at: State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, James Monroe Building, 10 th Floor, 101 N. 14th Street, Richmond, VA 23219; [studentloan@schev.edu](mailto:studentloan@schev.edu); 804-786-2832. In addition, resources for prospective and current private education loan borrowers are available online at [schev.edu/privateloan](http://schev.edu/privateloan).

**More information about loan eligibility and repayment deferral or forbearance options is available in your loan application and loan agreement.**