

Summer 2021

# Baby Bar Diagnostic

# Timing of the Exam

- June TBA
- You will have approximately two weeks to complete the four hour exam.
- You can pause the exam as you take it.
- Reach out to me if you have any challenges finishing the exam during that time.

# Makeup of the Exam

- 4 hours long – can be done at different times
- The exam tests both substantive knowledge and skills.
  
- Contains 80 MC questions
- 2 essay questions, and
- 1 modified Performance Test.

# Subjects Tested

- Criminal Law
- Real Property
- Civil Procedure
- Torts
- Contracts

# Purpose of Baby Bar diagnostic

- Provide you and us information at this point in time (Summer 2021) about your performance on a practice exam.

Simply study for your finals.

Do not study for the baby bar diagnostic.

# What it is not meant to do

- It is not meant to predict your performance on the actual bar exam, but, instead, to provide opportunity for you and us to work together to identify strategies to improve your performance in some areas and maintain your strengths in other areas.

# Moving Forward

- The actions you and we take over the next several months will determine your success on the exam.
- We are here to support you in identifying the steps that will maximize your performance when you do take the bar exam.

# Graduation Requirement

- Completing the exam
- No particular score required



# Individual Student Report

- After the exam in late July or early August, the school receives a report from Kaplan.
- The report contains both individual results for each student and results by cohort.

# The Reports

- The primary goal for the report is to identify strength and gaps in knowledge and skillsets.
- To facilitate a partnership between students, professors, and academic support on improving a student's performance
- Individual report identifies strengths and weaknesses in terms of both substantive knowledge and skillset.

# Promote Self-Efficacy on Bar Exam

- Support students' goal of passing the bar the first time

and

- Provide tools to help you

# The Report

- [Sample ISR for Baby Bar Diagnostic.pdf](#)

# Online Resources

- <https://law.rwu.edu/student-experience/academic-success/resources>

<https://lawguides.rwu.edu/digitalresources/V-Z>

<https://lawguides.rwu.edu/digitalresources/L-N>

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Questions?

