

PRIORITY PROCESS GENERAL OVERVIEW

1. Students have TWO priorities to use during their career at the Law School. Summer Starters who request a Foundation Course (footnote #23) in their first Winter term will receive "priority" status for that request.
2. The purpose of using a priority is to *increase your chance* of securing a seat in a seminar, practice/simulation course, and/or upper-class course.
- 3. Using a priority does NOT guarantee enrollment in a seminar, practice/simulation course or upper-class course!**
4. PRS will NEVER "spend" a priority used for a designated Prof Pick class (footnote #9 in the term class schedule) but its use could convey serious interest on your behalf.

In general, the Priority Registration System (PRS) assigns students to seminars and courses based on the use of a priority.

Priority used?

YES

NO

Placed in the **first group** of students PRS considers for the class.

Placed in the **second group** of students PRS considers for the class.

1. The academic level does **not** matter.
2. First year students have as much of a chance as third year students.
3. PRS assigns students to the class in *random order*.

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2. Within each academic level students are assigned in *random order*.

Academic Levels:
5 and 6 = 3Ls and LLMs
3 and 4 = 2Ls
2 = 1Ls

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1. The priorities are "spent" to secure a seat in the class.
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PRS goes to the second group of students.

End PRS processing for the class.