LEXIS NEXIS Academic Infrastructure

LexisNexis stands as a premier provider of legal research, digital libraries, and academic learning tools, ensuring that our faculty and students have access to the same authoritative resources relied upon by attorneys, judges, and law firms across the nation.

Lexis+ Research Platform

- Comprehensive Legal Research Access to case law, statutes, regulations, law reviews, legal news, and secondary sources.
- Shepard's Citations The industry-standard tool for checking whether a case is still "good law."
- Generative AI (Lexis+ AI Protégé) Drafting assistance, citation validation, and research summaries using trusted content
- News & Business Content Exclusive access to major outlets (Washington Post, the Wall Street Journal, and the New York Times)
- Faculty/Student Support Teaching tools, webinars, guides, and a faculty portal.

LexisNexis Digital Library (Matthew Bender Treatises & eBooks)

- Authoritative Legal Treatises Expert-written books on specialized areas of law
- Unlimited Access Students and faculty can use these online without copy limits.
- Matching Print Program Free or discounted print copies to supplement digital access (shipping cost applies).
- Preferred Customer Pricing TSU receives bundled pricing as a high-volume subscriber

Study Aid Package

- Student Success Resources Digital access to the "Understanding" and "Q&A" series across core subjects (Contracts, Torts, Evidence, Criminal Law, Constitutional Law, etc.).
- Exam Prep Tools Includes *Skills & Values* and *Mastering* series to help students with practice questions, hypotheticals, and bar exam preparation.
- Unlimited Users The Entire student body can access without restrictions

4. Additional Benefits

- Training & Support On-campus representatives, orientation sessions, and ongoing faculty/student workshops.
- Continuous Updates 1.2 million new legal documents added daily across databases.
- Accreditation & Quality Provides resources expected of accredited law schools (ABA compliance support).

Financial Approval/Request

This briefing provides a consolidated financial and academic overview of the LexisNexis agreements. The agreements collectively enhance legal research, faculty resources, and student exam readiness.

Year	Lexis+	Digital Library	Study Aids	Total Annual
	(Research)		Ecosytem (ebooks)	Cost
Year 1 (2025–26)	\$53,174.77	\$99,247	\$23,224	\$175,646
Year 2 (2026–27)	\$54,770.02	\$103,217	\$24,153	\$182,140
Year 3 (2027–28)	\$55,865.42	\$107,345	\$25,119	\$188,329

Historical Spend

Year	Lexis+
	(Research)
Year 1 (2024–25)	\$54,661.94
Year 2 (2023–24)	\$52,095.75
Year 3 (2022–23)	\$46,376.04

^{*}First year of adopting the Digital Library

Dominant Providers in the U.S. Legal Research and Education Market

In the U.S. legal research and education market, three providers collectively dominate more than 90% of the institutional landscape. Each holds a distinct leadership position based on its core strengths, technology, and user base across law schools, law firms, and government entities.

Provider	Flagship Platforms	Market Strengths
LexisNexis (RELX Group)	Lexis+, Lexis+ AI, Nexis	Leads in academic and AI innovation;
	Uni, LexisNexis Digital	combines research, analytics, and learning
	Library, Matthew Bender	tools; strong penetration in law schools
	treatises, Law School Study	and legal departments.
	Aids	
Westlaw (Thomson Reuters)	Westlaw Precision, Practical	Leads in litigation research and firm
	Law, ProView eBooks	adoption; extensive case law coverage;
		highly regarded editorial system
Bloomberg Law (Bloomberg	Bloomberg Law	Leads in business and regulatory
Industry Group)		intelligence; integrates financial, legal,
		and docket data; strong adoption in
		corporate and regulatory programs.

Why Lexis Nexis? Comprehensive Academic Integration

- ✓ Institutional and Financial Value: The only platform that unites legal research, academic study aids, and digital library content under a single institutional license.
- ✓ Aligns directly with the core curriculum and accreditation standards of the American Bar Association (ABA).
- ✓ The first-to-market legal research provider with a fully deployed AI-driven platform (Lexis+ AI) tailored for law schools.
- ✓ Peer and Industry Adoption: Over 95% of ABA-accredited law schools maintain institutional access to LexisNexis. Widely used by courts, government agencies, and Fortune 500 legal departments,