

Graduate Assistantship Stipends

Graduate Assistantships provide tuition remission at an in-state status, a percentage of your fees, and a modest monthly stipend. Graduate Assistants are responsible for all other fees and must pay fees by the fee payment deadlines posted by the Tennessee Tech Bursar Office each semester.

1. Graduate Assistants will receive payments each semester per contract and the pay schedule listed below:

<u>fall</u>	<u>spring</u>	<u>summer</u>
• September	January	June
• October	February	July
• November	March	
• December	April	

2. A Graduate Assistantship contract may be issued for one (1) or two (2) semesters or for twelve months.
3. Appointments based solely on external funding could be for a twelve-month period (or less), but fees would be paid per the grant/contract.
4. All Graduate Assistants are to meet the workload requirements as set forth in the Tennessee Tech Standard Assistantship Contract. Failure to fulfill the terms of this contract can result in a termination of the student's assistantship at any time without advanced notice.
5. There will be no change in monthly stipend amounts and no Graduate Assistantship service is required for the following University Holidays for both fulltime and halftime Graduate Assistants:

New Year's Day
M.L. King Day
Memorial Day
Independence Day
Labor Day
Thanksgiving Holiday
Christmas Holiday

MONTHLY STIPEND SCHEDULE FOR GRADUATE ASSISTANTS

* Minimum Stipend Amount

College Department/Unit	Stipend Per Month*
College of Arts and Sciences	
Biology	\$1,200.00
Chemistry	\$1,200.00
English	\$1,000.00
Mathematics	\$1,200.00

College Department/Unit	Stipend Per Month*
Environmental Sciences (Ph.D.)	\$1,541.00
College of Business Administration	
M.B.A., full assistantships	\$550.00
College of Education	
Curriculum and Instruction	\$500.00
Teacher Education	\$500.00
Learning Resources Center	\$500.00
Health and Physical Education	\$500.00
Counseling and Psychology	\$625.00
Ph.D.	\$1,000.00 (12 months)
College of Engineering	
All Departments and Centers of Excellence	
Graduate Assistants (M.S.)	\$1,200.00
Graduate Assistants (Ph.D.)	\$1,500.00
Graduate Assistants (Ph.D.), Special Projects	\$1,500.00 (12 months)
Administrative Support Services	
Institutional Research	\$800.00
President's Office	\$750.00
Student & Academic Support Offices:	
Honors Program; Provost's Office; Bursar's Office;	\$450.00 – 750.00
International Education; Athletics; Financial Aid	
Student Services:	
Eagle Card; Student Affairs; Fitness Center;	\$450.00 – 750.00
Student Activities Office	