

**Graduate Assistant Stipends
2008 - 2009**

9-Month Appointments

Rank	Minimum Salary Rate	.15 FTE	.30 FTE	.45 FTE
GTA/GRA/GAA I	\$ 19,260.00			
Academic Year Amount		\$ 2,889.00	\$ 5,778.00	\$ 8,667.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 321.00	\$ 642.00	\$ 963.00
GTA/GRA/GAA II *	\$ 21,240.00			
Academic Year Amount		\$ 3,186.00	\$ 6,372.00	\$ 9,558.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 354.00	\$ 708.00	\$ 1,062.00
GTA/GRA/GAA III**	\$ 23,580.00			
Academic Year Amount		\$ 3,537.00	\$ 7,074.00	\$ 10,611.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 393.00	\$ 786.00	\$ 1,179.00

12-Month Appointments

Rank	Minimum Salary Rate	.15 FTE	.30 FTE	.45 FTE
GTA/GRA/GAA I	\$ 25,680.00			
Fiscal Year Amount		\$ 3,852.00	\$ 7,704.00	\$ 11,556.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 321.00	\$ 642.00	\$ 963.00
GTA/GRA/GAA II *	\$ 28,320.00			
Fiscal Year Amount		\$ 4,248.00	\$ 8,496.00	\$ 12,744.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 354.00	\$ 708.00	\$ 1,062.00
GTA/GRA/GAA III**	\$ 31,440.00			
Fiscal Year Amount		\$ 4,716.00	\$ 9,432.00	\$ 14,148.00
Monthly Amount		\$ 393.00	\$ 786.00	\$ 1,179.00

Notes:

Salary rates shown above are minimum salary rates. Higher rates may be used; however, the rate must be evenly divisible by 9 or by 12, depending on the term of service for the individual.

Graduate Assistant appointments must be for at least 0.15 FTE and may not exceed 0.49 FTE.

Hire levels are set by the hiring department. All Graduate Assistants must be fully admitted to PSU graduate degree programs and must not have university-level admission conditions. Eligible graduate students in either master's or doctoral programs may be hired for Level I positions (GTA/GRA/GAA I).

*Eligible graduate students in master's or doctoral programs may be hired for Level II positions (GTA/GRA/GAA II) only if they have completed at least one year of satisfactory coursework in the degree program or hold a master's degree or equivalent.

**Eligible graduate students in doctoral programs may be hired for Level III positions (GTA/GRA/GAA III) only if they have been advanced to doctoral Candidacy by the Office of Graduate Studies by September 1 preceding the academic hire year.

Graduate Assistant tuition remissions are paid by the appointing department.

TUITION REMISSIONS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2008 - 2009

Graduate Assistants appointed for at least 0.15 FTE are eligible for fee remission for some or all of their instructional fee. See the Graduate Studies website at www.gsr.pdx.edu for details.