Graduate Assistantship Breakdown

Please refer to the chart below for the amount and the minimum required work load. To accept your assistantship, your tuition deposit must arrive in the Admissions Office by the end of the day on April 15th. This is a firm deadline. After the deadline, your assistantship will be offered to another applicant, so please respond as early as possible. Refer to the other linked documents concerning assistantship guidelines and income tax regulations associated with this assistantship.

The funding of an assistantship consists of two parts: a scholarship portion and a taxable earned portion. The scholarship portion is applied to your tuition costs. The earned portion is taxable income that must be earned during the school year. Students must use financial aid or personal resources to cover the initial deficit of the earned portion. For more information, please refer to IRS Publication 970, Chapter 1 or contact the Financial Aid Office at 667-208-6590.

Award	Pre Tax Amount	Amount Applied To Your Costs	Amount You Must Earn	Minimum Hours Required
Full Tuition	\$51,077	\$40,862	\$10,215	12 – 15 Hours/Week
¾ Tuition	\$38,308	\$30,646	\$7,662	9 – 11 Hours/Week
½ Tuition	\$25,539	\$20,432	\$5,107	6–9 Hours/Week
¼ Tuition	\$12,770	\$10,216	\$2,554	3-6 Hours/Week
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Award	Pre Tax Amount	Amount Applied To Your Costs	Amount You Must Earn	Minimum Hours Required
Full Tuition	\$44,409	\$35,528	\$8,881	12 – 15 Hours/Week
¾ Tuition	\$33,307	\$26,646	\$6,661	9 – 11 Hours/Week
½ Tuition	\$22,205	\$17,764	\$4,441	6–9 Hours/Week
¼ Tuition	\$11,103	\$8,883	\$2,220	3-6 Hours/Week

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