A. Assistantship Eligibility

Academic Student Employees must meet the Graduate School academic criteria to be appointed to assistantships.

- Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of at least 3.0.
- Maintain satisfactory progress in fulfilling assistantship service requirements and duties.
- Maintain satisfactory progress toward degree as determined by the academic home department.
- Register for a minimum of 10 credit hours to maintain full-time enrollment status in the fall and spring semesters and three credits in the summer.
- Maintain satisfactory progress toward degree as determined by the academic home department.
- Admitted to the Graduate School in degree-seeking graduate status.
- Students admitted in non-degree seeking classifications (formerly UNDG, NADC, including students enrolled solely in a graduate certificate program or undergraduate non-degree status) are not eligible for a graduate assistantship.
- International students must meet the Graduate School Language Requirements. Individual graduate programs may require applicants to score higher than the minimums listed above. See graduate degree programs for individual requirements.
- Provisionally admitted students in degree-seeking status with grade point averages above 2.75 may receive an initial appointment if approved by the Graduate School, per recommendation and justification by the chair or director in the academic program, department, or school.

If a student's credit hours fall below the 10-credit minimum required for an assistantship, their assistantship may be terminated, and tuition waivers may be withdrawn.