## 2003-04
### Graduate Assistant Stipend Comparison

**College of Architecture, Urban & Public Affairs**

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### Graduate Assistant Stipend Comparison

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**Graduate Assistant Stipend Comparison**

### College of Nursing

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**Note:** In the College of Nursing we have never budgeted for graduate assistant "stipends". Instead, our graduate teaching assistants are paid like adjunct faculty, only at a lower rate of pay. In 2003-04 graduate students teaching 6 credit hours earned an average of $24 per hour, or $4,464 for two semesters. This is not comparable to a stipend for a graduate TA or RA working the equivalent of 20 hours per week.

We would like very much to be in a position to offer stipends to our students, especially doctoral students. Reasonable stipend support would allow our students to attend school on a full-time basis, graduate earlier, and return to the marketplace with enhanced capabilities in a more expeditious fashion. However, all of our graduate students are RN's who can command a high hourly wage in their workplace and many need to stay employed for health insurance coverage.

In order to be competitive in attracting graduate teaching assistants, we estimate that it will require $25,056 per stipend for 5 graduate students, and $18,792 for 3 research assistants in 2005-06.

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