

FY21 Minimum Stipend Rates at SD Mines

The BOR annually establishes a minimum graduate assistant stipend. Students must be paid the minimum BOR rate and be registered for the minimum credits to qualify for an assistantship. Resident graduate assistants shall be assessed 53% of the resident graduate tuition rate for all state-support courses, and nonresidents shall be assessed 63%, plus fees.

| Period of Appointment | Level of effort | Payroll dates | Minimum credits Required | Minimum stipend |
|--|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Summer I | Full time (20 hours/week) | 5/22/20-6/21/20 | 2 | \$2,018 |
| Summer II | Full time (.5 FTE) | 6/22/20-8/21/20 | 2 | \$4,036 |
| 9 month academic year (preferred) | Full time (.5 FTE) | 8/22/20-5/21/21 | 9 | \$18,162 |
| Fall only | Full time | 8/22/20-12/21/20 | 9 | \$8,072 |
| Winter break | Full time | 12/22/20-1/21/21 | Spring pre-registration | \$2,018 |
| Spring only | Full time | 1/22/21-5/21/21 | 9 | \$8,072 |
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| Summer I | Half time (10 hours/week) | 5/22/20-6/21/20 | 2 | \$1,009 |
| Summer II | Half time (.25 FTE) | 6/22/20-8/21/20 | 2 | \$2,018 |
| 9 month academic year (preferred) | Half time | 8/22/20-5/21/21 | 9 | \$9,081 |
| Fall only | Half time | 8/22/20-12/21/20 | 9 | \$4,036 |
| Winter break | Half time | 12/22/20-1/21/21 | Spring pre-registration | \$1,009 |
| Spring only | Half time | 1/22/21-5/21/21 | 9 | \$4,036 |
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| Summer | Hourly | 5/22/20-8/21/20 | Fall pre-registration | \$25.22/hr |
| Academic year | Hourly | 8/22/20-5/21/21 | 2 | \$25.22/hr |

| GA rates (paid by student) | Per credit hour |
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| GA BOR tuition rate-resident | \$177.90 |
| GA BOR tuition rate-non-resident | \$211.40 |
| + Combined fees (resident & nonres) | \$133.25 |
| GA tuition and fees combined resident/nonresident | \$311.15/\$344.65 |

| Tuition Remission (Charge to funding source) | Per credit hour | 18 credits (academic year) |
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| Non-resident tuition remission | \$462.10 | \$8,317.80 |
| WRGP Non-resident tuition remission | \$124.15 | \$2,234.70 |
| Resident tuition remission | \$157.65 | \$2,837.70 |

If issuing single semester contracts, there is no January paycheck unless a winter break contract is issued.

BOR policy 5:6: students may be subject to higher FICA withholding rates when enrolled in fewer than 5 credits in fall or spring (3 credits in summer).

WRGP states: AK, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, NV, NM, ND, MT, OR, UT, WA, WY

Contact the Grad Office regarding different rates for MN reciprocity and distance courses.

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| International student fee (each fall/spring) | \$100.00/semester |
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Questions? Contact:

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