



School of Art, Design and Creative Industries

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Master of Fine Arts in Art

Current Graduate Tuition and Fees (2022-23)

Resident Status tuition per credit	\$	307.98
Student fees per credit*	\$	20.75
Student Support Services Fee per semester	\$	667.41
College of Fine Arts Fee per credit	\$	32.00

*includes Campus Infrastructure & Support Fee, Technology Fee, and Transportation Fee. More info on tuition and fees can be found at <https://www.wichita.edu/services/tuitionfees/index.php>

Financial Totals for a Six-Semester Plan of Study

See attached chart

Tuition and tuition waiver, fee, stipend/salary, and fellowship amounts listed are subject to change by action of the Kansas Legislature, Kansas Board of Regents, Wichita State University, the College of Fine Arts, and the School of Art, Design and Creative Industries.

GTA appointment and employment are contingent upon a satisfactory background check as required by Kansas Board of Regents policy.

GTA appointments require an approximate load of 20 hours per week. Duties can be found on the College of Fine Arts website.

GTAs are required to attend the Graduate School GTA Orientation at the start of the first GTA appointment, and complete the ARTS 790 Graduate Teaching Seminar course as part of the MFA plan of study. Continuation of a GTA appointment is based on regular evaluation of GTA performance and academic progress.

Tuition waivers apply only to courses numbered 500 and above.

GTA stipend/salary is taxable income and paid bi-weekly (usually 9 payments) during each fall and spring semester.

As a rule, graduate students with a GTA must be enrolled in a minimum of 9 credits per semester. With approval of the primary academic adviser, graduate coordinator and Art, Design and Creative Industries director, semester enrollment may drop to 6-8 credits. GTAs must maintain a minimum overall GPA of 3.0. They cannot hold other WSU paid employment without the written approval of the primary academic adviser, graduate coordinator, Art, Design and Creative Industries director and dean of the Graduate School. MFA in Art GTAs must similarly have written approval for other non-WSU paid employment from the primary academic adviser, graduate coordinator and Art, Design and Creative Industries director.

Wichita State University will contribute toward the cost of the University-sponsored health insurance plan for GTAs holding an appointment or combination of appointments totaling .50 EFT for the specific fall and spring semester. The appointment must begin no later than the 20th day of the semester and conclude at the end of the semester. The insurance plan must be renewed each specific fall and spring semester. Brochures outlining the costs and benefits of the University-sponsored health plans are available in the Student Health Center, Office of Human Resources, Office of Student Affairs and the Graduate School Office.

More University and Graduate School information regarding GTA appointments can be found in the Graduate Catalog <http://catalog.wichita.edu/graduate/>

University Policies and Procedures Section 8.04: https://www.wichita.edu/about/policy/ch_08/ch8_04.php .

and Graduate Student Manual: https://www.wichita.edu/academics/gradschool/documents/GA_Manual.pdf

University financial support is subject to change by action of Kansas legislative appropriation and allocation of state funding.

The below estimated calculations are based on 2018-2019 Tuition and Fee Schedule. Tuition, fees and financial support is subject to change by action of Kansas legislative appropriation and allocation of state funding.

*includes Campus Infrastructure & Support Fee, Technology Fee, and Transportation Fee. More info on tuition and fees can be found at <https://www.wichita.edu/services/tuitionfees/index.php>

	Semester 1	Semester 2	YEAR 1	Semester 3	Semester 4	YEAR 2	Semester 5	Semester 6	YEAR 3	60 hour MFA PROGRAM
Tuition Based on 10 credit hours per semester	\$3,079.80	\$3,079.80	\$6,159.60	\$3,079.80	\$3,079.80	\$6,159.60	\$3,079.80	\$3,079.80	\$6,159.60	\$18,478.80
Tuition Waiver Year 1: GTA Indirect, (75%) Year 2-3: GTA Direct, (100%)	\$2,309.85	\$2,309.85	\$4,619.70	\$3,079.80	\$3,079.80	\$6,159.60	\$3,079.80	\$3,079.80	\$6,159.60	\$16,938.90
Tuition after Waiver	\$769.95	\$769.95	\$1,539.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,539.90
Mandatory Campus Fees \$20.75 / cr. hour	\$207.50	\$207.50	\$415.00	\$207.50	\$207.50	\$415.00	\$207.50	\$207.50	\$415.00	\$1,245.00
Student Support Services Fee Flat rate per semester	\$667.41	\$667.41	\$1,334.82	\$667.41	\$667.41	\$1,334.82	\$667.41	\$667.41	\$1,334.82	\$4,004.46
Fine Arts Course fee 32.00 / cr. hour	\$320.00	\$320.00	\$640.00	\$320.00	\$320.00	\$640.00	\$320.00	\$320.00	\$640.00	\$1,920.00
TOTAL COST Tuition + Fees – Waiver*	\$1,964.87	\$1,964.87	\$3,916.23	\$1,194.91	\$1,194.91	\$2,389.82	\$1,194.91	\$1,194.91	\$2,389.82	\$8,695.87
GTA Stipend Taxable income paid bi-weekly	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$7,200.00	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$23,200.00
Total Tuition/Fees	\$1,964.87	\$1,964.87	\$3,916.23	\$1,194.91	\$1,194.91	\$2,389.82	\$1,194.91	\$1,194.91	\$2,389.82	\$8,695.87
Bottom Line Net pay before taxes	\$1,635.13	\$1,635.13	\$3,283.77	\$2,805.09	\$2,805.09	\$5,610.18	\$2,805.09	\$2,805.09	\$5,610.18	\$14,504.13

*Fees are paid at the start of the semester of the pay period. Stipend pay would then equal about \$400 bi-weekly for the first year and about \$650 bi-weekly in 2nd and 3rd years.