

2025-26 Fellowship Summary Chart

	Presidential Fellows	Dissertation Fellow (DF) and Doctoral Evidence Acquisition (DEA) Fellow
Fellowship Stipend and Benefits		
Tuition Waiver	Waiver covers a maximum of 12 credits per semester (must enroll for a minimum of 9 credits for each Fall and Spring Semester; 6 credits for Summer). 9 credits = \$3,419.55 6 credits = \$2,279.70	Waiver covers a maximum of 3 credits each semester (must enroll for a minimum of 3 credits each semester). 3 credits= \$1,139.85
Fellowship Stipend	\$11,385.00 per Semester	\$9,449.55 per Semester
Health Insurance*	UGS pays 100% of premium	UGS pays 100% of premium
Fees** <u>Not</u> Covered by Fellowship		
Per Credit Fees		
Students (Admitted and Enrolled Fall 2006 and after)	\$75.69 per credit	\$75.69 per credit
Semester Fees		
Total for health, athletic and transportation fees	\$198.99 for Fall \$198.99 for Spring \$192.57 for Summer	\$198.99 for Fall \$198.99 for Spring \$192.57 for Summer
Other Fees		
Photo ID	\$10 each year in Fall semester or first term of enrollment	\$10 each year in Fall semester or first term of enrollment
Orientation Fee (for newly admitted students ONLY)	\$35.00 on first term of enrollment	N/A
Amount You Owe Each Semester (based on above per credit fees and per semester fees**)		
Fall 2025 Payment =	Total \$890.20 (9 credits x \$75.69 plus \$198.99 semester fees and \$10 photo ID fee)	Total \$436.06 (3 credits x \$75.69 plus \$198.99 semester fees and \$10 photo ID fee)
Spring 2026 Payment =	\$880.20 (9 credits x \$75.69 plus \$198.93 semester fees)	\$426.06 (3 credits x \$75.69 plus \$198.99 semester fees)
Summer 2026 Payment =	\$646.71 (6 credits x \$75.69 plus \$192.57 semester fees)	\$419.64 (3 credits x \$75.69 plus \$192.57 semester fees)

***Health Insurance.** Health insurance is mandatory, but you can opt out of our plan if you currently hold an equivalent insurance plan. To opt-out of the University plan, please visit <https://fiu.mycare26.com/> for more details. Please note the deadline to opt out is **September 15, 2025**. The insurance premium for this plan is paid 100% by the University Graduate School while receiving your fellowship stipend.

****Fees** – All fees listed are based on the 2025-26 academic year and are subject to change. Some classes have associated fees which are in addition to the regular tuition and, therefore, are not covered by the waiver. Amount you owe is based on above per credit and semester fees; it does NOT include tuition plus, lab, or online fees.

Taxes – If your fellowship is paid via contract through HR, your taxes will be automatically deducted from your biweekly paycheck. For fellowships paid via financial aid in a lump sum, tax calculations and payments are the responsibility of the fellow. Additionally, fellowships used for living expenses are subject to U.S. taxes (if you are an international student, the University is required to withhold taxes on the portion of the fellowship used for living expenses unless there is a tax treaty between your country and the United States. These taxes will not be deducted from the fellowship but rather posted on your student account as a tax charge. You will be required to pay the charge by the final day to pay deadline for each semester). For further information or to set up an appointment with a FIU tax compliance representative, please send an email request to tax@fiu.edu.