

## Application for Graduate Assistantship Colorado State University School of Music, Theatre, and Dance

Several graduate assistantships are available annually to music majors at Colorado State University. Generally, these positions are awarded to students within their major field of study or for services in which they hold special expertise.

### ASSISTANTSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS FOR THE 2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR:

- (8) Classroom support for music appreciation and introduction to theatre classes. OPEN TO ALL INSTRUMENTS/DEGREE PROGRAMS. (half-time)
- (2) Music education (half-time)
- Trombone (half-time)
- Jazz (half-time)
- Voice (half-time)
- Saxophone (half-time)
- Double Bass (half-time)
- Clarinet (half-time)
- Bassoon (half-time)
- Choral conducting (half-time)
- Wind conducting (full-time)
- Orchestra conducting (full-time)
- Percussion (full-time)
- Music Therapy (full-time)

Full-time assistants are assigned 20 hours of work per week; half-time assistants, 10 hours. Full-time assistants receive a stipend for the academic year and remission of graduate tuition. Half-time assistants receive a half stipend and half tuition remission. Students are responsible for any additional fees. Graduate assistantships are renewable for a second year.

Applicants **should include a resume** with their application. Additionally, applications for classroom assistant assignments will need to provide term papers in music history.

The School of Music, Theatre, and Dance graduate awards are based on the faculty's and the Graduate Committee's recommendations and are not granted on the basis of a student's financial need. Though not required, we encourage students seeking need-based financial aid to apply for federal financial aid. To do so, the student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). It is recommended that you submit the FAFSA by March 1 for full consideration.

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING THREE SECTIONS OF THE APPLICATION AND MAIL OR EMAIL THE APPLICATION WITH SUPPORTING MATERIALS TO:**

Murray Oliver  
School of Music, Theatre, and Dance  
1778 Campus Delivery Fort Collins, CO 80521  
Email: [murray.oliver@colostate.edu](mailto:murray.oliver@colostate.edu)

- To ensure full consideration, applications must be received by **February 15, 2026**.
- Please save the file lastname.firstnameGTA

### Section One: Personal Information

Name:

CSU ID (if known):

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Cell Phone:

### Section Two: Assistantship Interest Area (applicant may select more than one area):

Classroom Support\* \_\_\_\_\_

Percussion \_\_\_\_\_

Double Bass \_\_\_\_\_

Bassoon \_\_\_\_\_

Choral Conducting \_\_\_\_\_

Voice \_\_\_\_\_

Clarinet \_\_\_\_\_

Jazz \_\_\_\_\_

Trombone \_\_\_\_\_

Saxophone \_\_\_\_\_

Wind Conducting \_\_\_\_\_

Percussion \_\_\_\_\_

Orchestra Conducting \_\_\_\_\_

Music Therapy \_\_\_\_\_

\*Applicants for music appreciation must turn in academic term papers in music.

### Section Three: Please provide any additional information you feel will help your application.