

Useful Links:

[GDBBS Internal Website](#)

Information for current GDBBS students. Will find information regarding stipend package, contacts and program and division wide calendars, seminar announcements as well as the student handbooks. Additionally, you will find [important student forms](#) necessary throughout your time at Emory including the [LGS travel fund application](#) and [dissertation committee and candidacy forms](#).

[OPUS - Emory University](#)

Student OPUS is an information hub! Register for classes, find financial aid/stipend information, tax document 1098-T, direct deposit information, grades, and other important information can be accessed through your student portal.

[Oracle PeopleSoft Sign-in](#)

Emory Human Resources website. Can find actual location of payroll information, benefits enrollment and coverage, direct deposit set up and information etc. Additionally, it will prompt you for contact tracing information during time of COVID.

[Explore - Engage @ Emory](#)

Student Organization website, can search for student organizations to join or events on campus that you can attend. Useful as you get involved in various student groups during your time at Emory. Click “Grad/Professional Student Orgs” in the right hand panel to explore Graduate School Student programs!

[Aetna: Health Insurance Plans](#)

Can find all information regarding student insurance plan on Aetna website, including insurance and dental ID cards. Additionally, this website has resources if searching for providers in network such as [DocSearch](#). Student insurance plan begins on the *1st of September* and you will automatically be enrolled into it unless you indicate otherwise.

[Emory Student Health](#)

For most health services, your first stop will be Emory Student Health! This website has information regarding all services offered as well as an easy access, [online portal](#) to make appointments, speak to providers and receive prescriptions and updates.

[Emory Card](#)

Can find information if you lost your card and need a replacement, can add Dooley Bucks or contact the office regarding any card questions!

[Transportation and Parking Services](#)

Information regarding student parking permits and transportation around campus. Can find information regarding the free, Emory bus routes. If using the bus system, can use [Emory TransLoc](#) to monitor bus routes in real time (additionally can download the TransLoc app for mobile usage on [android](#) or [iphone](#)).

[LGS Funding](#)

Learn about student fees and the student health insurance plan among other financial topics with links and resources provided by Laney Graduate School.

[English Language Support Program: ELSP](#)

Learn about required testing dates and processes for new students whose first language is other than English as well as support available to students whose first language is not English.

[DSAC Subcommittee for Wellness](#)

The DSAC subcommittee for Wellness has started a [Slack channel](#) so you can get engaged in all of the amazing activities the committee is planning! From virtual trivia to fitness competitions and meditation guides, come engage and stay connected to your peers and yourself with DSAC!

[DSAC Subcommittee for Data Analysis and Visualization](#)

Join the discussion with programming tips and workshops focused on data analysis and visualization. Check out the linked [Slack channel](#) as well as the group Github page: DVAatEMORY to incorporate data science into your graduate school research experience!

[Emory Libraries](#)

Explore the Emory Libraries and its many resources. Get familiar with using the library on the [Using the Library](#) page. Then, check out the [library tools](#) and get [research help](#) here.

Frequently asked questions:

-What is the annual stipend amount?

The current stipend for the 2021-2022 academic year is \$32,569. For 2022-2023, the stipend increased 3% to \$33,546

-How can I find information regarding my payments?

Using the links above, you can find information regarding your monthly payments via Emory HR or through Student OPUS.

-Tax information?

Taxes as a graduate student can become tricky. As a student on a stipend, you have your stipend/salary that serves as your take-home pay; this is potentially taxable, even if you don't receive an official tax form about it. In fact, you're *very likely* to end up owing tax on it unless it's quite low and/or you have a lot of tax deductions and/or credits. [This guide](#) is really useful to understand your new tax situation!