

## KEY BENEFITS FOR MASTER OF MUSIC (MM) STUDENTS

APRIL 17, 2024

Below are key benefits provided to MM students in the bargaining unit as defined by the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) as well as those Northwestern is extending to MM students outside of the bargaining unit at its discretion.

Note that MM is not a full-funding program.

Key Benefit	Eligible per CBA	NU Discretionary Benefit Extension on Sept. 1, 2024	Benefit Due
<b>\$1,000 Ratification Bonus</b>	Students performing instructional or research services (in the bargaining unit) on the date of ratification (March 15, 2024)	N/A	Pay period after ratification (April 2024)
<b>Health, Vision &amp; Dental Individual Premium Coverage</b>	MM students are not eligible	N/A	N/A
<b>June 1, 2024 Minimum Base Stipend Increase</b>	Students performing instructional or research services (in the bargaining unit) as part of the work assignment associated with their guaranteed funding per their offer of admission on June 1, 2024 <b><u>New minimum stipend:</u></b> \$4,284	N/A	June 2024 pay period
<b>Continued Summer Quarter 2024 Minimum Base Increased Stipend Pay</b>	MM students are not eligible	N/A	N/A
<b>\$100 Annual Multipurpose Payment</b>	MM students are not eligible	N/A	N/A
<a href="#"><u>TGS Childcare Grant Increases</u></a>	MM students are not eligible	N/A	N/A
<b>Sept 1, 2024 Minimum Base Stipend Increase</b>	Students performing instructional or research services (in the bargaining unit) as part of the work assignment associated with their guaranteed funding per their offer of admission <b><u>New minimum stipend:</u></b> \$4,326	N/A	September 2024 pay period