

Office of Financial Affairs

## **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** June 29, 2023

**TO:** All locations of the University of Arkansas

FROM: Michael W. White, Associate Vice Chancellor for Finance

**RE:** FY24 Fringe Benefit Rates

Please find below the fringe benefits rates for FY2024. The rates are effective for institutions AAS, AREON, CJI, UAF, UACS, and UASYS.

Department or College budget administrators with questions concerning these rates should contact me at mwwhite@uark.edu.

## **Benefits Group 1: Students**

**0.7%** (rnd from 0.73%)

Includes Graduate Student (Intersession)

Graduate Student (Summer Research)
Graduate Student (Summer Teaching)
Merit Pay Lump Sum (Graduate Assistant)

Student Hourly (non work-study)

Unit Pay (Graduate Student or Student)

Work Study

Fringe % Worker's Compensation 0.55%

Prior period adjustment 0.18%

## **Benefits Group 2: Hourly Wages and Other Compensation**

**6.7%** (rnd from 6.68%)

Includes Adjunct Faculty

Annual Leave (at termination) Awards and Allowances Hourly, non-student

Foundation (Razorback or University)

Overtime

Regular Salary (under 50% appointed)
Shift Differential (under 50% appointed)
Sick Leave (at termination, when applicable)

Unit Pay

Fringe % Worker's Compensation

0.55% 0.27% 5.54% 0.32%

FICA & Medicare taxes
Prior period adjustment

Unemployment contributions

	Group 3: Graduate Assistants		<b>5.7%</b> (rnd from 5.69%)
Includes	Graduate Assistants, Salaried		
Fringe %	Worker's compensation	0.55%	
	Medical (Grad Assts)	5.48%	
	Prior period adjustment	-0.34%	
Benefits Group 4: Summer Salaries			<b>16.8%</b> (rnd from 16.84%)
Includes	Career Service Award Extra Compensation, Credit Extra Compensation, Non-credit Extra Compensation, Service Intersession Merit Pay Lump Sum Summer Research Summer Teaching Teaching Overload		
Fringe %	Worker's Compensation Unemployment contributions FICA & Medicare taxes Retirement Prior period adjustment	0.55% 0.27% 7.00% 8.75% 0.27%	
Benefits	Group 5: Benefits-eligible Appoin	ted Employees	<b>26.9%</b> (rnd from 26.92%)
Includes	Off Campus Duty Assignment Shift Differential (50-100% appointed) Regular Salary (50-100% appointed)		
Fringe %	Worker's Compensation Unemployment contributions FICA & Medicare taxes Retirement Medical & HSA Dental Life Short-term Disability Long-term Disability Employee Assistance Program Employee Fee Discount Termination Pay Current/Prior year adjustment	0.55% 0.27% 6.73% 8.36% 9.14% 0.37% 0.07% 0.03% 0.04% 0.05% 0.34% 0.82% 0.15%	

<sup>\*</sup>Because the rate components are displayed by hundredths, the total to the 2<sup>nd</sup> decimal place is provided. However, the rate used in Workday for is the composite rate rounded to the 1<sup>st</sup> decimal place.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Some Earnings which are infrequently used are not listed above.

<sup>\*\*</sup>PTO Earnings (such as Sick PTO, Vacation PTO, Holiday PTO, etc) follow the same rates as the Regular Salary of the employee and are not listed separately.