The Law Program, unlike all other Stanford graduate degree programs, begins charging full tuition at 10 units. Due to this anomaly, the “Units TAL Provides” column is not precise. Tuition allowance is a monetary value (not a number of units) that is proportional to the appointment percentage. Regardless of the units listed in this column, combination appointments totaling 50% earn the dollar equivalent of 8-9 units of tuition.

### Summer Appointments greater than 50%

The maximum Assistantship appointment for Fall, Winter, and Spring Quarters is 50%. Appointments greater than 50% are allowed during Summer Quarter only.

Eligibility for assistantships during Summer Quarter is no different than for other quarters, except that the enrollment requirement (minimum of 8 units enrollment) does not apply in the Summer Quarter.

Tuition Allowance for Summer appointments of 50% or less is described in the table above.

Tuition Allowance for appointments greater than 50% but less than 100% will decrease proportionately as the appointment increases, e.g., a 75% appointment in the Summer Quarter will earn the value of 5 units of tuition.

Students with 100% Summer appointments must enroll in a special one-unit course, and will receive a Tuition Allowance payment equal to the 1-3 Unit tuition charge.

Wherever possible, summer appointments of over 50% should be established as single appointments, rather than a combination of smaller appointments.

* Separately, 10% and 40% appointments do not provide tuition allowance sufficient to cover the corresponding 1,2,3 and 8,9 Unit tuition rates. Combined though, they do equal a 50% appointment and cover the 8,9 Unit tuition rate.