

**DEPARTMENT OF WORLD LANGUAGES, LITERATURES AND LINGUISTICS
WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY
Departmental Application for Graduate Teaching Assistantship**

Please fill out this form and upload it to the Personal Statement link in your Graduate Application account.

To be eligible for a graduate teaching assistantship, you must be admitted as a graduate student.
To be assured full consideration, the application should be submitted by February 1st.

Please paste your Personal Statement here:

Please complete the following application for a teaching assistantship:

1. Your first and last name:

2. Please highlight the language(s) which you are applying to teach.

Arabic Chinese English French German Italian Japanese Russian Spanish

3. Teaching Experience (if any):

4. Interaction with other cultures (e.g. foreign residence, cross-cultural studies or experience, etc):

5. How did you learn about our M.A. program? Please provide the website, the contact information for the school or another source through which you found about our program.

Contact:

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Supporting documents for teaching assistantship application

Please submit the following even if you are a native speaker of the language you are applying to teach:

- A writing sample (such as a paper you have prepared for an academic course) if the language you are applying to teach is different from the language of your academic writing sample, and
- A recording of your speech

Instructions on what to record:

- If you are applying to teach a language other than Chinese, please submit a three-minute recording of an informal, natural conversation between you and a person of the opposite sex.
- If you are applying to teach Chinese, please submit a three-minute self-introduction.

Instructions on how to submit your recording:

- Please record your file using your own device and email it to w13aass@mail.wvu.edu . In the Subject line, please put the name of the language that your recording is in, followed by your first and last name.

Instructions on how to submit your writing sample:

- If you need to submit a writing sample for a teaching assistantship, which is different from your writing sample to the program, please combine the samples in one file and upload it to your Graduate Application account.