Teaching Assistant – Warren Summer Bridge Program – Summer 2025

The Warren Summer Bridge Program is part Weinberg College's Arch Scholars Program. Bridge is a five-week residential program open to first-generation and low-income (FGLI) students entering the Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences or the Medill School of Journalism. The program provides rigorous academic and social support as students navigate the transition from high school to college. Students enroll in four half-credit classes: Introduction to Critical Thinking, Introduction to Quantitative and Scientific Reasoning, an elective: Problem-Solving in Chemistry, Problem-Solving in Economics, or Psychological Investigations: Ideas to Action (Intro to Research Methods), and Exploring the Liberal Arts.

Arch seeking 3 TAs for Introduction to Critical Thinking, 3 TAs for Introduction Quantitative and Scientific Reasoning, 1 TA for Problem-Solving in Chemistry, 1 TA for Problem-Solving in Economics, and 1 TA for Psychological Investigations: Ideas to Action (Intro to Research Methods). Teaching Assistants will be paid by the Arch program, not their home departments. Please review the <u>Bridge page</u> for more details about the program and these classes.

Dates and Responsibilities: The Bridge program starts on Monday, August 3, 2025, and concludes on Friday, September 5, 2025. Bridge classes meet Tuesday through Friday, starting August 4 and concluding on Friday, August 29. TAs will be expected to attend 1-2 planning meetings prior to the program start date.

Teaching Assistants are expected to familiarize themselves with the syllabus for the course, attend all class meetings, grade student work, and offer constructive feedback, meet with students during office hours or 1:1, and attend program meetings with faculty and administrators on Mondays. They are also expected to meet daily with the primary instructor and to consult with program staff as needed. Class size will range from 12 to 18 students per class.

Teaching Assistants should expect to work around 20 hours each week.

Compensation: Teaching Assistants receive a stipend of \$5,000.

Qualifications:

- BA in a humanities or social science discipline
- Prior success teaching undergraduates
- Excellent communication skills

Apply **HERE** by Monday, April 14