GSAS Graduate Student Parental Accommodations Policy

Eligibility

Full time graduate students who are anticipating the birth or adoption of their child are eligible for accommodations or extensions for academic course work and other requirements, for both the period before and following the arrival of their child. This policy is a parental accommodations policy rather than a leave of absence. A leave of absence could be arranged separately if required (see page 4 in the GSAS Faculty Rules). The parental accommodations policy is available to domestic as well as international students.

Principles

1. Before taking parental accommodations, students will:
   a. notify their research advisor and/or graduate advisor at least three (3) months prior to the start of the parental accommodations period.
   b. consult with their research advisor and/or graduate advisor in order to:
      i. determine what adjustments need to be made for their short-term and long-term academic goals, including but not limited ts, inclu7 s)-ody -2M(u)-0.5(n)-0.6(c)1.2Pa.6(v)-2e o(er-0.5(n1.7(d)-0.6(e)-5 (r)-1.c)1.2m -