# Building a Teaching Assistant Program

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# Goals

Students positively remember
their experience with their TA

TAs grow as teachers

# Harvard

9 Heads

45 Teaching Fellows

27 Course Assistants

Teaching Fellows…

- Lead a weekly section

- Grade and give feedback

- Hold office hours

# Course Assistants…

- Hold office hours

Heads…

- Lead a cohort of staff members

- Take ownership of an element of the course (e.g., office hours, email, study buddies, etc.)

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# Recruitment

Encourage applications

Email

Events

Referrals

Interview applicants

Questions about Motivation

Teaching Simulations

Simulated Office Hours

< 10 minutes

Make staff offers

Retain current staff

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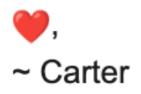to tfs, cas, heads

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Hi all,

By now students have received their final grades and winter recess is well underway. Seeing you grow as teachers has been the highlight of my semester: we really couldn't have asked for a better group to build a community among CS50's students and the staff itself. That's all for this term and, yet, it's already time to look ahead! I thought I'd get in touch with a few next steps.

**If you'd like to join us again next fall,** tell us here! In the same form, you can also offer suggestions and changes for fall 2023.

**If you know of a student who'd be great for the staff**, please refer them to us here. You can submit this form multiple times.

Thank you, too, for your patience while I work my way through the interest we have for this spring. Keep an eye out for more to come there!

Wherever you go, stay in touch!

❤️,
~ Carter

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Hey, I thought of you in particular for this, if it's of interest to you!


~ Carter

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# CS50

## HACKATHON 2022

What questions do you have?

# Advice

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