



Lunch & Learn

Pathways to Student Success



WED, Feb. 21
Pre-College Summer Opportunities for
Arizona High School Students

Welcome - We Have TONS of Info For You!!!!

- Ice Breaker
- Announcements FAFSA Updates - Julie Sainz
- Abigail Broderick & Christa Cavan - Access ASU
- Rudy McCormick - UArizona Office of Early Academic Outreach
- Kathleen Sumatzkuku - NAU Student Development
- Jennifer Murphy - Additional Opportunities
- Jennifer Murphy - AzCAN Updates



FAFSA Updates

More than 3.6 million *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA®) forms have been successfully submitted

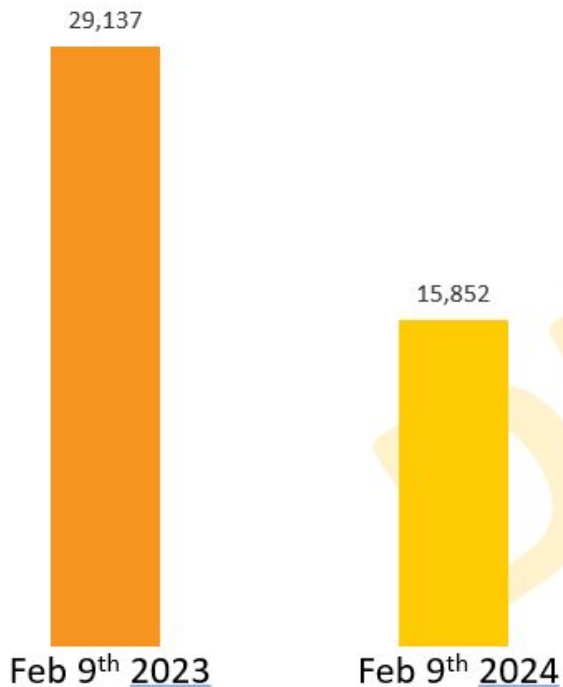
Technical Glitches Identified

- Workarounds
- No Workarounds
- No Resolution Timelines Provided by FSA







- Inviting contributors to the form
- Contributors without a SSN cannot start or contribute to the form → FSA Announced a Resolution by Mid-March
- Frustrated students and parents

- Federal Student Aid Call Center- Long wait times, and no resolutions

Recent FAFSA Submission Data

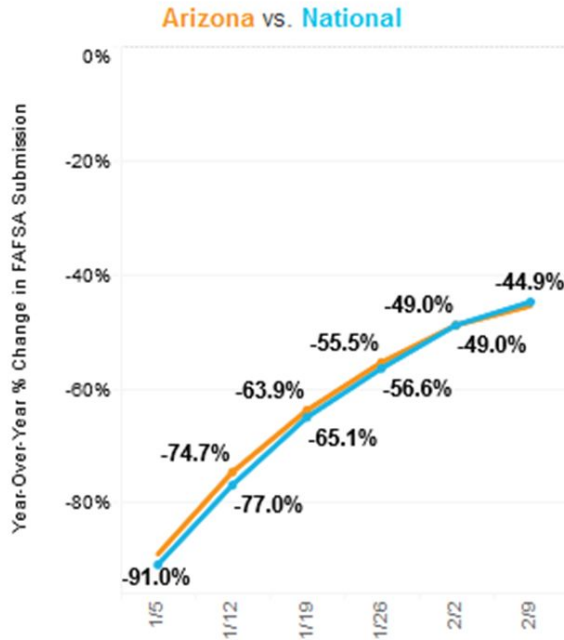


2024 State Rankings

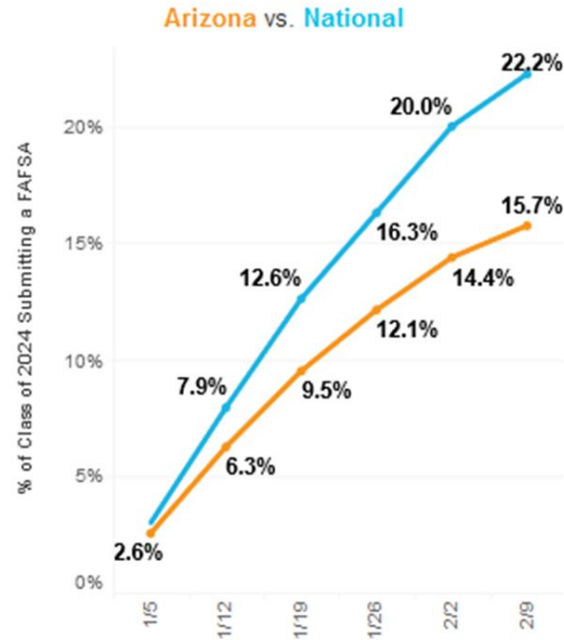
| State | Rank | % |
|--|------|-------|
|  | 46 | 17.0% |
|  | 47 | 16.6% |
|  | 48 | 15.8% |
|  | 49 | 15.7% |
|  | 50 | 15.0% |
|  | 51 | 10.0% |

FAFSA Performance: Arizona vs. National

Year-Over-Year % Change in FAFSA Submissions



Estimated Percent of Seniors Submitting a FAFSA



FAFSA Innovation Player Award, Submit!



ARIZONA
FAFSA CHALLENGE

Most Innovative FAFSA Efforts Nomination

2024 Nomination Form

Do you know a high school demonstrating innovative approaches to helping more students complete the FAFSA? Do you work at school doing some amazing work? Nominate them today! Three winners will be presented with the Most Innovative Player Award for this academic year.

<https://www.azregents.edu/programs/fafsa-challenges>

Some past 2023 Winners:

Millennium High School - <https://azregents.edu/node/1405>

Independence High School - <https://azregents.edu/node/1406>

Superior High School - <https://azregents.edu/node/1489>



<https://azben.org/3wxP1qn>

2024-2025 Better FAFSA Resource Hub

- Up-to-date resources to support students, families, and administrators with the implementation and completion of the Better FAFSA Form.
- Comprehensive resources curated from:
 - Federal Student Aid (FSA)
 - National College Attainment Network (NCAN)
 - Arizona Board of Regents (ABOR)
 - Arizona College Access Network (AzCAN)
 - Ask Benji
 - uAspire
- Access [here](#)



Capital One 1:1 FAFSA Workshops

Power your future with FAFSA

Join AZCAN-Education Forward Arizona for a FREE workshop to help you complete your new FAFSA form and learn about recent changes that make more students eligible for financial aid.

Workshop dates:

January 27, 2024 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

February 24, 2024 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

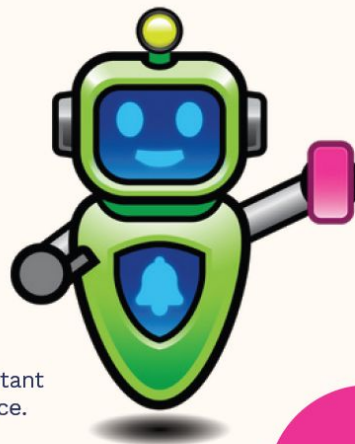
March 23, 2024 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Workshop location:

Capital One Café - Scottsdale Fashion Square
7014 E Camelback Rd Suite 1459



Or visit edforwardaz.org/cafe to opt-in with Benji, your virtual assistant for 24/7 FAFSA support and guidance.



Ask Benji

Tri-U Webinar

Financial Aid and Important Next Step Updates for AZ School and Community Partners

- Thursday, February 29th - 12:00 pm
- Register [here](#)
- Free webinar for high school counselors, educators, and college access professionals
 - *What to expect with financial aid packaging*
 - *Timelines to guide students and families*
 - *Q & A*



**Tri-University
Events**

Featured Speakers

— Pre-College Summer Programs —

Strengthen Your High School Experience

ASU Summer Programs 2024



Benefits of ASU Summer Programs



Exposure

to college readiness activities, career development experiences, and ASU resources



Opportunity

to experience life on a college campus



Develop

life skills, leadership skills, and a sense of community



Connect

with other AZ students with similar interests and passions



Impact

“I overall thought this program was a great experience and I hope to come back to this program in the future. I love the **community** we were able to build within the Black community.”

-RISE Summer 2022 Participant

“This program has been a blast. I am so glad that I did it and had the chance to meet new people and **create connections** with them. All while being able to learn more about college.”

-Barrett Summer 2023 Participant

“It was fun to be given the opportunity to learn about college and university. I see it as a huge opportunity that was life changing due to being an **immersive experience** even for just a few days.”

-ASU GEAR UP Summer Institute Participant

Barrett Summer Scholars

[Barrett Summer Scholars \(BSS\)](#) is a residential summer enrichment program for academically talented and motivated students:

- Participate in a Critical Thinking or Human Event course
- Participate in an elective course of your choice
- All courses taught by university professors or staff
- Prepare for future enrollment and success at ASU and Barrett, The Honors College

Eligibility

- You are a student entering 9th, 10th, 11th or 12th grade in **Fall 2024**
- Demonstrate a GPA of 2.7 or higher

Cost/Fees

- \$1,000 per participant (payment is not due until acceptance into the program)
- \$50 non-refundable registration fee
- Need based scholarships available



Barrett Summer Scholars Dates

Entering 9th Grade

- ASU Polytechnic
- June 2-6

Entering 10th Grade

- ASU Downtown Phoenix
- June 9-13

Entering 11th Grade

- ASU West Valley
- July 7-11

Entering 12th Grade

- ASU Tempe
- June 23-27



Contact Us

Email: bss@asu.edu
ASU Barrett Summer Scholars
<https://eoss.asu.edu/bss>



A Day in the Life of a Barrett Summer Scholars Camper



Breakfast
Human Event Class
College Readiness
Presentation
Lunch
Elective Class
Group Activity
Dinner
Talent & Fashion Show
Personal Time
Lights Out

César E. Chávez Leadership Institute

[The César E. Chávez Leadership Institute \(CCLI\)](#) is a high-energy one-week residential college readiness and leadership program:

- Participate in workshops and activities exploring higher education
- Servant leadership development and civic engagement
- Collaborative peer environment

Eligibility

- You are enrolled in 11th or 12th grade during **Fall 2024**

Cost/Fees

- \$50 non-refundable registration fee (payment is not due until acceptance into the program)

Program Dates

- Sunday, June 16th - Thursday, June 20th

Contact Us

Email: Catalina Laguna-Ramirez, Program Manager clagunar@asu.edu

Victorya Esperanza, Coordinator vesperan@asu.edu

<https://eoss.asu.edu/access/cesar-e-chavez-leadership-institute>



RISE Leadership Institute

RISE Summer Leadership Institute is a residential college readiness and leadership program that celebrates and continues the legacy of Black and African American Sun Devils at ASU:

- Gain skills to continue as leaders in your schools and communities
- Learn about public service
- Receive resources that will help you navigate the college-going process.

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- You are enrolled in 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade during **Fall 2024**

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Program Dates

- June 23 - June 27, 2024

Contact Us

Email: hmbuyeng@asu.edu

RISE Leadership Institute

<https://eoss.asu.edu/summer-program/riseleadershipinstitute>





INSPIRE

INSPIRE is a one-week residential college readiness program for American Indian high school students from Tribal Nations:

- Culturally relevant activities focused on academic and personal success
- Project-based learning activities
- Learning communities with ASU American Indian students, staff, and faculty

Eligibility

- American Indian students enrolled in high school during **Fall 2024**

Cost/Fees

- No cost

Program Dates

- June 16-22, 2024

Contact Us

Email: Sahmie.Joshevama@asu.edu

<https://eoss.asu.edu/access/programs/summer/inspire>





ASU Summer Program Deadlines

February 1, 2024
Application opens

***March 22, 2024**
Barrett Summer Scholars deadline

April 1, 2024
Application deadline

Mid April
Accepted applicants notified via email

Mid April
Acceptance agreements and registration
fees due

May 1, 2024
Balance of program cost due

Learn more about summer programs

Camp Catanese

ASU West Valley

May 28-June 4, 2024

Camp Cronkite

ASU Downtown

Cost: \$699 per camper (need-based scholarships available)

Registration Deadline: April 1, 2024

Aguila

TBD



Experience the excitement of college life, learn from world renowned professors and explore your interests.

Access ASU Summer Programs are available for students in grades 9th - 12th in various topics, including engineering, leadership, math, and the arts. Programs are offered on all four ASU campuses, and formats range from day camps to residential programs where students can live on campus.

Summer Program Dates will be announced soon!!

ASU offers a comprehensive list of summer programs for students of all ages and interests. [Click here to learn more about the various summer programs at ASU.](#)

[Learn more about Summer Programs](#)

Access ASU 2024 Summer Programs

Website



Flyer



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[For more information click here!](#)

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NASEP is a residential 1-week program and year-long experience designed to provide Native American, Alaskan Native, and Hawaiian Native high school students with a vision of a career in a Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) field. Current high school students in 10th and 11th grades are eligible to apply.

[For more information click here!](#)

New Start

New Start provides a smooth, comprehensive transition to the University of Arizona the summer before enrolling! The program serves current high school students who are graduating this year and enrolling at the University of Arizona.

[For more information click here!](#)

Summer Engineering Academy

Learn about pursuing engineering majors in college, while making meaningful connections with peers who share similar interests and passions. Current 8th through 11th grade students may apply.

[For more information click here!](#)

Summer Scrubs - College of Medicine in Phoenix

Summer Scrubs is a health career exploration program that helps current high school 11th grade students prepare for their future in the health professions.

[For more information click here!](#)



Early Academic Outreach

eao.arizona.edu/summer

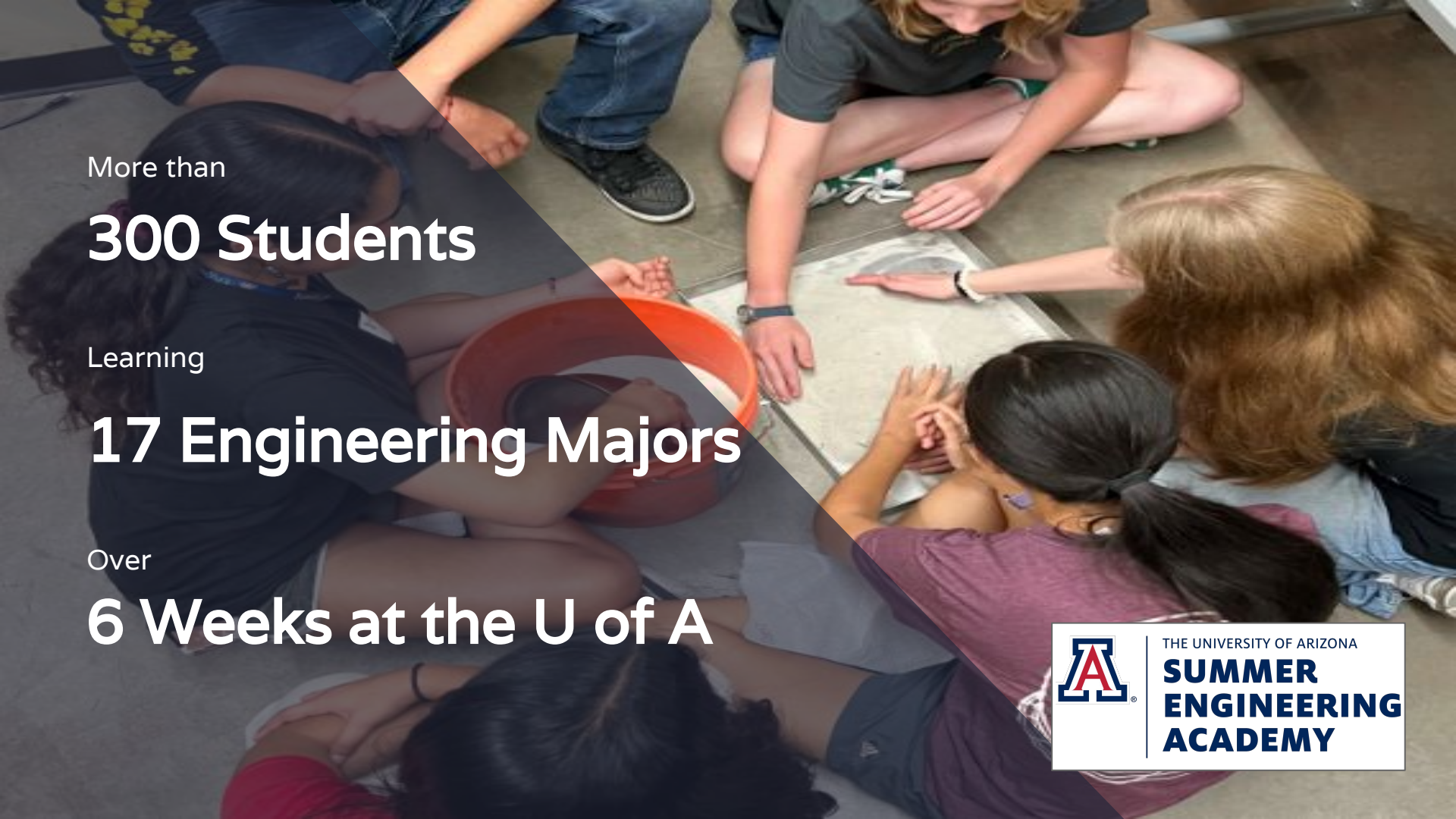




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SUMMER ENGINEERING ACADEMY





More than

300 Students

Learning

17 Engineering Majors

Over

6 Weeks at the U of A



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Explore Engineering Overnight

- 17 Majors
- Week-long project
- \$750
- Needs-based scholarships available

Themed Weekly 3-Day Camps

- 4/5 Majors
- Overall weekly theme
- \$300
- Needs-based scholarships available

Registration

- Opens February 26, 2024
- Closes March 29, 2024
- Needs-based Scholarship Apps close April 15th, 2024
- Current 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students

engineering.arizona.edu/SEA

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**SUMMER
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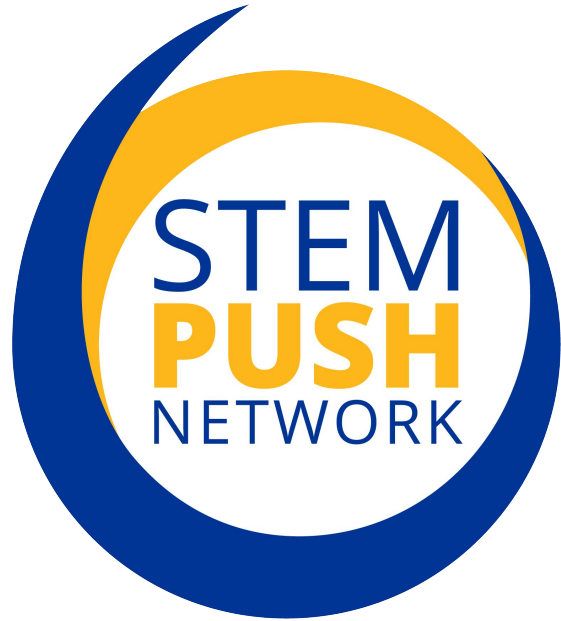
NATIVE AMERICAN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING PROGRAM

- 23 hours programming, designing, building, and battling battle-bots to test the engineering design process
- 4 hours building a computer from its component pieces
- 4 hours with industry professionals from Raytheon, IBM, and Tohono O'odham Water Resources
- 3.5 hours designing 3D printed items utilizing Tinkercad and Cura with Dr. Hannah Budinoff
- 18 hours engaging in professional development and project-based learning activities facilitated by program volunteers, partner organizations, and educators ranging from resumes to medical school
- 200 participants, families, and program partners attended our Kick-Off Banquet on June 17, 2023
- 100% of surveyed students were very satisfied or satisfied with their NASEP experience.

MORE THAN JUST A 1-WEEK RESIDENTIAL SUMMER PROGRAM



**NATIVE AMERICAN SCIENCE
& ENGINEERING PROGRAM**



Through our affiliation with the NSF STEM PUSH Network, we have updated National Student Clearinghouse (NSC) data and found the following results:

- Of the 266 NASEP participants who are eligible to enroll in college, at minimum 239 (89.8%) have enrolled in at least one semester of college
- Of the 188 students with known and declared majors, 135 (71.8%) have enrolled in STEM for at least one semester
- Of the 157 with known or declared majors after 1 year of college, 108 (68.8%) remain in STEM
- At least 82 have graduation records, and at minimum, 45 graduates (54.9%) have an associate's degree or higher in STEM (35 bachelor's and 10 associate's)
- At least 27 students have enrolled in a graduate program for at least one semester
- At least 9 students have master's degrees in STEM fields



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

NATIVE AMERICAN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING PROGRAM

Member of the STEM PUSH Network, an NSF INCLUDES Alliance

An initiative of the [Office of Early Academic Outreach at The University of Arizona](#), the Native American Science & Engineering Program (NASEP) is a year-long program designed to provide Native American high school students with the necessary resources to enroll in college and pursue a career in a STEM field.

NASEP participants will gain a wide perspective on STEM fields through interactions with university and industry experts. NASEP exposes students to a wide variety of STEM pathways to better inform their college pathways in the context of the Native American experience. NASEP consists of:

- **Summer Programming:** Students stay for one week at the University of Arizona & participate in STEM workshops
- **Research Project:** Students work on [geoscience research](#)
- **Enrichment:** Students have opportunities to participate in events such as the Tribal Environmental Health Forum, Native American College Day at U of A, American Indian Science & Engineering Society Regional Conference



NASEP emphasizes & develops several targeted outcomes, including:

- STEM identity & sense of belonging
- Specific STEM content or skills
- Growth mindset & approach to STEM
- STEM identity & sense of belonging

Students demonstrate these skills through a [research poster](#) and entries in science competitions.

About the STEM PUSH Network

STEM PUSH, an NSF INCLUDES Alliance, is a national network of pre-college STEM programs who are engaging youth historically underrepresented in STEM to learn & do in-depth, authentic science, and ultimately to persist in STEM through college & beyond. More information available at [stempushnetwork.org](#).



Program Features

Focuses on multiple STEM areas



i.e. environmental, medical, computer science, engineering, etc.

160 hours throughout the academic year

24 students served each year

Free for students to attend; NASEP pays living expenses at U of A

Serves Native American students, high school juniors & seniors, from throughout the outhwest

100% of NASEP students are underrepresented in STEM

Program Results

72% of NASEP alumni enrolled in STEM undergrad

69% of students persisted in STEM after one year

Alumni have attended institutions including:

- Arizona State University
- Dartmouth University
- Georgetown University
- Gonzaga University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Northern Arizona University
- Stanford University
- University of Arizona
- University of New Mexico
- Yale University



Scholarships available

for NASEP alumni enrolled at the University of Arizona through the Marsha Morgan Foundation



Partnerships with Indigenous industry professionals

- Raytheon
- IBM
- Tohono O'odam Water Resources Department
- Other STEM organizations

Students receive an iPad

to use throughout the program. After successfully completing NASEP, students keep the device

NASEP

The Native American Science & Engineering Program (NASEP) builds a community for diverse individuals interested in STEM to learn and explore in culturally sustaining ways. The program utilizes the American Indian Well-Being Model in Higher Education to create programming that focuses on holistic wellness in academia.

NASEP experiences are designed to develop the students' understanding of STEM opportunities. NASEP invites Indigenous industry professionals to interact with students throughout the program. Seeing professionals who look like them in positions they aspire to be in is important in building positive self-

identity. The program aims to create a systematic change in the hiring patterns on Indigenous Americans in STEM fields by increasing the number of individuals on the path to leadership in those areas.

NASEP is committed to introducing Native students to different areas in the STEM field by using culturally informed approaches to connect Indigenous funds of knowledge to the students' career interests.

- 2019 NASEP Student from Pascua Yaqui Tribe

Since 2009, NASEP has served 299 students from 32 different tribes across the Southwest, including:

Acoma Pueblo, Chemehuevi, Chickasaw, Cochiti, Gila River, Gres Ventre, Hopi, Jicarilla Apache, Kiowa, Laguna Pueblo, Lakota, Makah, Muscogee Creek, Navajo, Nez Perce, Northern Arapaho, Ogalala Sioux, Paiute, Pascua Yaqui, Pamunkey, Pojoaque Pueblo, Salt River Pima, San Carlos Apache, Santa Clara Pueblo, Shoshone, Tewa, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate, Tohono O'odham, White Mountain Apache, Winnebago, Yurok, and Zuni.

Connect with NASEP!

Contact NASEP Coordinator Carol Seanez at nasep@arizona.edu to schedule a visit.

More information about NASEP is available at nasep.arizona.edu.



NASEP
Native American Science & Engineering Program



NATIVE AMERICAN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING PROGRAM

Current Sophomores & Juniors in High School



nasep.arizona.edu/apply
520-626-2300

Application is open! Priority Deadline - March 15



Native American Science & Engineering Program



June 9-15, 2024
University of Arizona

Learn more at
nasep.arizona.edu

FREE year-long program (summer program & year-long engagement) designed to provide Native American high school students with the necessary resources to enroll in college and pursue a career in Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM).

Professional: Network with Indigenous professionals from Raytheon and IBM

Mental: Build a computer

Environmental: Visit the Biosphere II

Emotional: Capture the experience through digital storytelling using the technology device gifted to participants

Physical: Play sports at the University Recreation Center

Cultural: Discuss Indigenous land stewardship and how this knowledge applies to STEM

Social: Team-build during a ropes course

Spiritual: Participate in an opening and closing blessing of the program



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The University of Arizona
Med-Start Health Careers Program

Discover your Future with Us!



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HEALTH SCIENCES

Med-Start

Med-Start is a residential summer academic enrichment program for any 11th grade Arizona high school student interested in a health career. Students participate in the program during the summer between their junior and senior years. Med-Start, sponsored by the University of Arizona Health Sciences Office of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, established in 1969 to help improve healthcare in rural, reservation, and economically disadvantaged areas through the recruitment and training of students from these regions.

Med-Start helps young people prepare for their future in the health professions by exploring career opportunities and providing college level coursework in English and science.



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6 Week Residential Summer Program





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University of Arizona Health Sciences
Office of Equity, Diversity & Inclusion

Are you a High School Student interested in Health Care Professions?

Discover Your Future With Us!

In collaboration with our key partners Arizona Area Health Education Centers (AHEC) the Med-Start is a SIX week summer academic enrichment program held on the University of Arizona campus for students having completed their junior year in high school.

The Med-Start Health Career program begins on the first Sunday in June and ends mid-July. (UA Summer Session 1) <https://summer-winter.arizona.edu>

A review committee will consider juniors in high-school with a 3.0 or better cumulative GPA's, two outstanding recommendation forms from their science teachers, guidance counselors and additional evidence of inventiveness projects such as science fair exhibits or research health based presentations.

A two-page essay on "Why have you chosen a career in health professions? What are your unique qualities that will benefit the Med-Start program? How did you come to this decision?" Should be uploaded to the online application. In addition, students will need to provide summary information justifying their financially, educationally, and or socially disadvantaged status.

Students are expected to participate the entire 6-weeks, attend all classes presentations | events scheduled for the entire period. No attendance exceptions will be made, and participation will be terminated automatically if days are missed for reasons other than unexpected illness or death of a family member.

Please visit our website for more details.

www.medstart.arizona.edu

APPLY NOW!

Contact: Alma Aguirre via email aaguirr1@email.arizona.edu or 520-621-5531



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Arizona AHEC
Area Health Education Centers

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6 Week Summer Program EARN 5 Elective College Credits!

College Class: English 197A
College Class: Chemistry 197A
College Class: Math 199A
College 101: Keys to Success
Tours | Health Activity Sessions
AZ Area Health Education Center |
Research Project
Academic Conference |
Research Project
Career Chats with Med-Start
Alumni | Health Professionals Lectures
Community Service

Application Requirements

- Online application
- Two outstanding (2) recommendation forms from science teachers, guidance counselors.
- A two-page Essay
- Additional evidence of extra curricular activities, such as HOSA Clubs or Science Fair Exhibits or research health based presentations.
- Official transcripts (signed or validated with school seal)
- Summary information justifying their financially, educationally, and /or socially disadvantage status

Application Timing

Applications accepted
September 1— February 1

Where do I apply?

The Med-Start Health Careers Program application is available ONLINE on September 1st at

www.medstart.arizona.edu

Application Requirements

1. Must complete the online application
2. Submit 2 letters of recommendation
3. Submit a 2-page essay
4. Evidence of extra curricular activities, such as HOSA Clubs or Science Fair Exhibits or a research health-based presentation
5. Submit your Official School transcript with a GPA of 3.0 or higher

Application opens: September 1
Deadline to apply: February 1

medstart.arizona.edu

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New Start Overview

HISTORY AND MISSION

- Created at the University of Arizona in 1969
- Six-week summer bridge for incoming first-year students
- Centers first-gen students, low-income students, and those who hold historically marginalized identities
- Comprehensive transition to university life

New Start More than “summer school”

KEY COMPONENTS

- Optional housing component (*apply **early!***)
- Finish 6-7 credits before fall begins.
- Signature events: B.L.A.S.T., Monte Carlo, Academic Conference, Su Casa Programs
- Engaging student staff
- Feel like sophomores in the fall!



NEW START SCHOLARSHIPS AND AID

Complete current
year FAFSA and
prior year FAFSA



NEW START TUITION SCHOLARSHIP

- 60% tuition for filing two FAFSAs
- 2023-2024 and 2024-2025
- Does not require specific EFC



PELL PROMISE

- Supplements any amount of Pell Grant to fill tuition + fees
- Looks at the financial need on your *earlier* FAFSA



FRIENDS AND ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

- Intended for students who narrowly miss the designated financial need level
- Pool of alumni/supporter donations

How to Apply

Bear Down from the Start!



newstart.arizona.edu
520-621-9565



New Start



FALL ADMISSION

Gain admission to Arizona for Fall 2024. You are eligible for this program if you're coming in directly from high school, or graduating this year.

NEW START APPLICATION

Return to Future Wildcat and find us under "Supplemental Applications."

This will take you *about* 10-15 minutes. Submit no later than **May 15.**

YOU'RE IN!

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NASEP is a residential 1-week program and year-long experience designed to provide Native American, Alaskan Native, and Hawaiian Native high school students with a vision of a career in a Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) field. Current high school students in 10th and 11th grades are eligible to apply.

[For more information click here!](#)

New Start

New Start provides a smooth, comprehensive transition to the University of Arizona the summer before enrolling! The program serves current high school students who are graduating this year and enrolling at the University of Arizona.

[For more information click here!](#)

Summer Engineering Academy

Learn about pursuing engineering majors in college, while making meaningful connections with peers who share similar interests and passions. Current 8th through 11th grade students may apply.

[For more information click here!](#)

Summer Scrubs - College of Medicine in Phoenix

Summer Scrubs is a health career exploration program that helps current high school 11th grade students prepare for their future in the health professions.

[For more information click here!](#)



Early Academic Outreach

eao.arizona.edu/summer



NAU Access - Nizhoni Academy

- 4 Week Summer Academy for Native American High School Youth
- June 1 - June 30, 2024
- Application Deadline Date February 26, 2024
- 9th and 10th grade students
- Application Fee: \$150
- Students reside in dorms on NAU Campus
 - ◆ Includes meal plan
 - ◆ Approximate cost per student is \$3,000

NAU Access - Nizhoni Academy

- Curriculum focused on Sustainability and Climate Change from STEM approach which includes labs
- Service Matters Course
 - ◆ Includes volunteer activities on three Saturdays during academy
- Students experience on-campus living
- Activities include: cultural, team building, leadership, hikes, movie night, swimming, etc.
- Students earn 1 Carnegie credit
- Graduation for students at the end of the academy
- nau.edu/nizhoni-academy

Additional Pre-College Summer Opportunities

ASU Fleischer Scholars Program

- FREE
- Rising juniors and seniors graduating from an AZ high school
- Explore and discover career paths in business
- Enroll in a free ASU course
- Program workshops: June 3 - July 16
- Application final deadline: March 15
- [Application](#)



ASU Camp Cronkite

- \$699 per camper (need-based scholarships available)
- High school student
- Elective sessions
 - ◆ Sports photography
 - ◆ Graphic motions
 - ◆ Newsroom tour
 - ◆ More!
- Program workshops: June 23 - June 28
- Application final deadline: April 1
- [Application](#)



ASU Joaquin Bustoz Math-Science Honors Program

- High school sophomore, junior, or senior*
 - ◆ Cumulative 3.25 GPA (UW)
 - ◆ “A” or “B” grades in high school math and science courses
 - ◆ Minimum of three years of high school level math completed by May prior to program
 - ◆ Qualify for in-state tuition (ABOR guidelines)
 - ◆ Arizona resident for the last two years
- FREE (tuition, room and board, classroom materials)
- Students will enroll in one of the following 3-credit courses
 - ◆ MAT 117: College Algebra
 - ◆ MAT 170: Pre-Calculus
 - ◆ MAT 265: Calculus for Engineers I
 - ◆ MAT 266: Calculus for Engineers II
- Program dates: 6-weeks
- Application final deadline: Mid-February
- [Recruitment presentation](#)



Barrow Neurological Summer Internship Program

- High school students - 16 years of age
- Participate in hands-on research in a professional setting
- Internship dates: July 1 - August 2
- Application final deadline: April 1
- [Application](#)



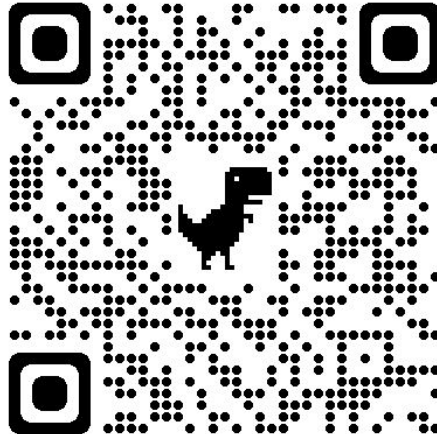
AZ Counselor Spring Training Virtual Event

- Thursday, April 25th - 10:00 to 12:00
- Free webinar for high school counselors, educators, and college access professionals
- Burst sessions with state and national speakers
 - *FAFSA completion tools and strategies*
 - *Supporting ALL students through an unusually long application cycle*
 - *Establishing strategies to celebrate the resilience and hard work of the class of 2024*



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CAP Training Courses - Updates

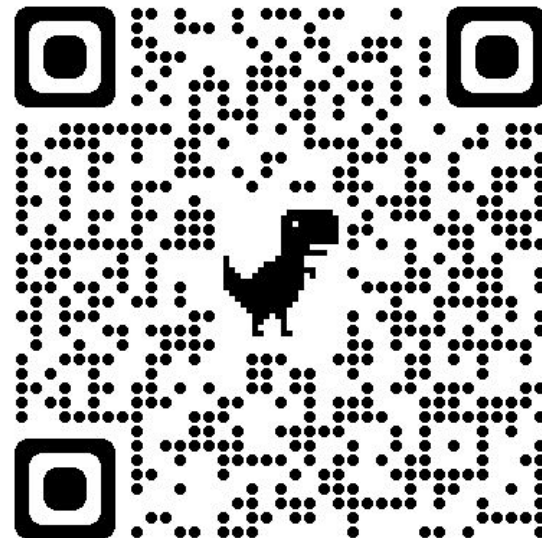
- CAP Training graduate credit options

SPRING 2024:

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| Financial Aid I: Introduction to Financial Aid | Jan. 15 - Feb. 11 |
| College and Career Planning in the Middle Grades I | Jan. 29 - March 3 |
| Financial Aid II: Financial Aid Programs | Feb. 19 - March 17 |
| College and Career Planning in the Middle Grades II | March 4 - April 7 |
| Financial Aid III: The FAFSA Step-By-Step | April 8 - May 5 |

SUMMER 2024:

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| Financial Aid IV: FAFSA Events, Comparing Offers... | June 3 - June 30 |
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Thank you for attending!

Our next Lunch and Learn is the last one for the year!

WED, March 27th!

@11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Sign up up today!



Lunch & Learn
Pathways to Student Success

Ask Benji AzCAN Education FORWARD

VIRTUAL EVENTS
Monthly
@11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Registration Zoom links are attached to each event title, RSVP and share!

WED, AUG 30
4-yr College Programs & Tribal College Updates
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, SEP 20
TRU Admission Updates
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, OCT 25
ABOR's AZ College Connect Updates
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, NOV 15
Better FAFSA Updates & Resource Kickoff
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, JAN 17
Better FAFSA "Best" Practices
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, FEB 21
Summer Programs (College and University Resources!)
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

WED, MAR 27
ECAP with AZ Dept. of Education
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Dr. Jennifer Murphy and Graciela Nobles, members of the Education Forward Arizona team, hope to create a community of practice by exploring relevant and insightful topics throughout the 2023-24 academic year.