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FAFSA submissions now accepted for 2018-2019 academic year!
Fill out and File your FAFSA

Spring 16 Week and Spring 7 Week 2

April 4:
$125.00 Unpaid Tuition Charge applied for unpaid tuition due 3/13/2018.

April 13:
Last day for 7 wk 2 to withdraw online through UAccess

April 17:
Final deadline for 16 wk to submit Late Change Petitions to the student's college.

April 23:
Final deadline for 7 wk 2 to submit Late Change Petitions to the

May 2:
LAST DAY OF CLASSES.
No registration changes can be made after this day.
Last day to file a complete withdrawal.
Last day to file a $25 Late Drop Fee Appeal form

May 3:
Reading day - no classes or finals

May 4-10:
FINAL EXAMS

May 10:
UA South Commencement
For More Information please visit Dates and Deadlines

Student Services Office Hours

**Spring Hours**

**Monday - Friday**
Douglas: 8am - 5pm
Tech Park: 8am - 5pm
Sierra Vista: 8am - 5pm
Santa Cruz: 8am - 5pm
Pima East: 8am - 5pm
Yuma: 8am - 4pm

**Monday - Thursday**
Pinal: 8am - 6pm

If you have any questions or concerns about these hours, please contact us at

(520) 458-8278 ext. 2120

OR

sasteam@email.arizona.edu

The University of Arizona will once again participate in administrating the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE). UA has partnered with NSSE to administer this valid and reliable survey every three years since 2006.

15 minutes + YOUR Opinion = A Better UA

Respond by April 10 to get 20% off of a purchase of general books and/or UA Insignia merchandise at the UA BookStores

You're also entered to win a $100 UA BookStores gift card.

The survey is open now! Check your UA email for it!

**Helpful Hint**

Don't wait until the last minute to study. Research shows that when you cram the night before an exam, you retain less information. It is better to look over your notes and the important parts of the lesson a little bit each day before you take an exam than it is to try and learn all that information all at once.

**Happiness Hours**

Come join us in a series of art therapy sessions, UA Main tours, interviews, and community spirit.

Fridays from 4:30 - 5:30

Adobe Connect

Please tune in here.
**Triple T Workshop**  
Tools, Techniques, and Tips for Your Success  
Saturday, April 14  

Service members from Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, Fort Huachuca and Student Veterans of America who are preparing to enter the workforce are encouraged to apply for the Raytheon-sponsored Triple T Workshop.

In this half-day event, participants will hear from key speakers regarding personal branding, how to transfer military experiences into the workforce, tips and tricks for strengthening your resume and more. You’ll have the opportunity to meet with Raytheon leaders one-on-one and learn from Raytheon’s Human Resources team on how you can best prepare to transition to corporate America. The day will conclude with lunch and a networking session.

**Applications are due by April 10**  
Complete your application and return it [here](#).

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**Get Involved!**  
You pay Student Services Fees every semester, become a member of the Student Services Fee Committee

The University of Arizona South Student Services Fee Committee is looking for 1 graduate and 4 undergraduate members.

The time commitment is only a few hours once a year in April.

If you are interested, please contact Esther Henley [here](#) or 520.458.8278 ext. 2188.

For information about Student Services Fee, please go [here](#).
Need help with your writing?
The Writing Skills Improvement Program can help!

Free services include:
- Individual and Small-Group Tutoring by appointment in person or via Skype
- Walk-in Tutoring, no appointment necessary
- Graduate Writing Institute: A three-week intensive summer writing program for graduate students
- Additional Writing Institutes

Fee-based services include:
- Job-Market Preparation
- Custom workshops and presentations
- Faculty, Staff, Community tutoring and writing groups; extra student tutoring and writing groups
- Professional Editing

Regular Workshop Series
- Monday Workshops (2:00pm - 2:50pm, Geronimo 216)
  - Apr. 9th: Improving Grammar and Style (In case you missed it the first time!)

- Wednesday Workshops (10:00am - 10:50am, Geronimo 216)
  - Apr. 4th: Whittling down Wordiness*
  *This workshop is also available online in 20-minute segments for $4 per segment.

For more information on our services and walk-in hours, please contact us:
(520) 621-5849
wsip.arizona.edu
writingskills@email.arizona.edu

GRE ONLINE PREP COURSES

- Comprehensive Curriculum
  - Our 28 hours of instruction (8 sessions) provide an in-depth analysis of the Verbal, Quantitative, and Analytical Writing sections of the Graduate Record Examination. All course materials and two computer-based practice tests are included.
  - Our course is competitively priced
  - At just $550, our courses are competitively priced.
  - Personalized Instruction
  - Take advantage of instructors' office hours in person or online to receive individual guidance any time it's needed.
  - Convenient Online Delivery
  - Instruction is delivered synchronously online. Access it from anywhere with a laptop and Internet access.
  - All classes meet 5:30-9:00 p.m.

Register Today
prep.arizona.edu
520-626-0530
prep@email.arizona.edu

Do you have an event or project, but not the technology or resources?
The Media Technology Office (MeTeko) promotes and supports the effective integration of technology for enhancing teaching, learning, and communication at the University of Arizona South.
We provide the resources, equipment, and training necessary for achieving this goal.
Services include help with video conferencing, classroom technology, computers and so much more! You can also borrow equipment such as video cameras, headphones, and projectors.

To learn more about us and what we can do to help, contact us today!
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ATB-Suite B146
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635
(520) 458-8278 ext. 2157
Continuing Ed Classes
ECSA: Security Analyst: 16-20 April
Windows 10 Certification: 7-11 May
Windows Server: 7-11 May

CEH: Ethical Hacking: 25-29 June
ITIL Foundations: 16-18 July
Technical Writing: 6-10 August
Computer Forensics: 26-30 November
Agile SCRUM, ICS SCADA, Cloud Security, Security+, Cisco, Windows Server, Forensics, Advanced Hacking, CEH, Programming classes, and many other topics: By Request for Groups of Six or More (you set the schedule!)

For more information or to sign up please contact Dr. John DeLalla at jd@arizona.edu or 520 732-2447

Graduate Opportunities

Represent UA South on the Graduate and Professional Student Council
In order for GPSC to better serve the graduate student community, it is important that we have representation from the different groups/colleges across all our campuses.

In order to be an appointed GPSC representative, each candidate must submit the petition, along with 10 signatures from members of their constituency. That includes any graduate or professional student from UA South.

For more information contact Dustin Tran at dustintran@catworks.arizona.edu or visit the GPSC website

Graduate Funding Opportunities
The UA Graduate College currently has the following funding opportunities available, click here for more information: http://grad.arizona.edu/funding/opportunities

Employment Opportunities

U.S. Customs and Border Patrol
Positions available nationwide
www.cbp.gov or www.usajobs.gov

Your application packet must include a completed assessment questionnaire, a resume, and any applicable and/or required supporting documentation. All application materials, including transcripts, must be in English.

University of Arizona South - Associated Students of University of Arizona South
ASUAS is looking for a passionate and dedicated student leaders to be voices at UA South. Current openings for ALL POSITIONS for the 2018-2019 academic year.
Learn more at ASUAS
For more information, contact:
Michelle Menninger at mmuas@email.arizona.edu
Rebecca Pickett at rpickett@email.arizona.edu

Internship and Engagement Opportunities

UAS English Internships
Sierra Vista
Locations: Sierra Vista Herald, Superior Court, private law practice.

Congressional Internships
Eligibility:
Be in good academic standing with the UA South
Have maintained at least a 2.00 grade point average
(major and cumulative) at the UA South prior to enrolling
for an internship.

Have sophomore status with satisfactory completion
(a B or better) of English 101 and 102.
If a continuing student, have completed at least two full-time semesters (minimum of 24 University Credits).
Transfer students should have completed at least one full-time semester
(minimum of 12 University Credits).
Be currently enrolled at UA South

For more information please contact Kyle DiRoberto

Congressional Internships
If you are interested in completing a congressional internship anywhere in Arizona, these links are your resource. You can find information about the internships and find out how to apply.

All Congressional Internship Contact Information

CHCI Internship

UA Federal Relations DC Intern Scholarship

Victory Institute Congressional Internship Fact Sheet

Teacher Education

Teaching Elementary Economic Through the Arts
Saturday, April 7, 2018
8:30-Noon
Benson, Arizona

2018 Tucson STEM Academy
A Collaboration of Arizona Project WET
& Tucson Water

5th - 12th Grade Teachers in Tucson Area
June 4-8, 2018 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM
May 4, 2019 8:30 - 2:30
University of Arizona

How do history, science, and math relate to our water system?
Nothing engages elementary students and teachers like the arts! Join us for a workshop on implementing fun, project-based learning that works through the arts to integrate elementary-level concepts from Arizona Social Studies Strand 5, economics.

First, we will show how to construct a semester-long art project. Second, we will show how to create a performance that integrates music and elementary economics principles as students learn a fun script.

This workshop will provide you with all the materials you will need, whether to replicate them or create your own versions, for implementation in the fall semester.

The workshop will be taught by Eisele Award for Economics Education winning teachers Deirdre Calhoun and Kristina Rose-Holston, who developed and implemented these programs in their own elementary classrooms.

If you’ve been searching for the "fun" in fundamental economics, this workshop is for you, and you will get a certificate of professional-development hours too.

There is no fee for this workshop, but you must pre-register. Register online here.

During the workshop you will...
Collaborate with others to build a STEM unit. Build Systems Thinking skills to coach your students to become better thinkers.

Learn by:
- Touring sites to follow our urban water cycle.
- Working with water professionals, master teachers and AZ Project WET specialists to develop a plan for next year.
- Exploring hands-on lessons.

Build a curriculum so your students will...
- Use Systems Thinking skills to solve real-world problems.
- Take charge of their own school water audit:
  - Collect credible data using a scientific process.
  - Apply math skills to quantify water savings.
  - Communicate results and recommendations.
  - Translate knowledge into community action.

Benefits
- $300 stipend for academy
- $300 for implementing STEM unit, water audit & attending 5/4/19 workshop
- Water Educators for in-classroom facilitation.
- Classroom kits available for checkout

5th - 12th Grade Teachers register here.

2018 Economics Summer Teacher Institute
An intensive two-week program for middle and high school teachers that covers the fundamental principles of economics. A week each is devoted to macroeconomics and microeconomics. The institute is instructed by Advanced Placement economics teachers who know your classroom environment as deeply as they know the content. They are equally passionate about their subject and helping their colleagues. Instruction is incremental, comfortable for both beginners and for those already familiar with the basics. Lodging stipends are available to teachers who live outside Pima County. There is no program fee and no academic credit, but participants receive a certificate for 35 PD hours per week.

Microeconomics
June 4-8

Macroeconomics
June 11-15

For more information, go here. To register, go here.
IEP Facilitation

Do you participate in IEP meetings? Are they sometimes contentious? Are IEP team members confused about their roles? Do IEP meetings seem disorganized and unproductive? If so, the Arizona Department of Education/Dispute Resolution Unit has a training for you...

IEP facilitation is a student-focused process in which a trained facilitator assists the IEP team in developing an IEP that provides a free appropriate public education (FAPE) to the student.

The Dispute Resolution Unit believes there are three components needed to facilitate a successful IEP meeting: standardized meeting practices, knowledge of the IEP process, and the use of meeting management skills that aid in minimizing conflict and maximizing collaboration. This training will cover all three areas and more!

Where:
Cochise College Downtown Center Lecture Hall

Time:
8:30 am - 3:30 pm

When:
April 27

Cost:
Free

RSVP
Cindy Morales (520) 432-8950

Literacy in the Wild: Getting Foreign Language Learners out of the Classroom and into the World, June 4-8, 2018

By developing literacy in a foreign language and culture, learners can ideally gain the ability to encounter not only new words but also new physical, virtual, and imagined worlds (Kern, 2000). But sometimes the four walls of the classroom feel confining and it can be difficult to reconcile pedagogical imperatives to bring in authentic texts with the active involvement of experiential learning. This one-week workshop series explores strategies for connecting foreign language literacy with the "wild" (Thorne, 2010), that is with real-world contexts of use. Participants may register for individual workshops by David Malinowski, Chantelle Warner and Lawrence Williams, or they may register for the whole week.

Register here

Reading Globally: Critical Issues in Global Literature for Children and Adolescents, June 25-27, 2018

We live in a world where our lives are interconnected in complex ways across global cultures as well as fractured with tensions that divide us. Global children’s literature provides one means of facilitating intercultural understanding, but issues of availability, access, authenticity, and classroom use must be addressed for this potential to be realized. In this institute, participants will explore current trends in global literature for children and adolescents, examine critical issues and approaches to analyzing these books, and experience strategies for critically engaging with global literature. Participants will use the Worlds of Words collection (http://wowlit.org) to be immersed in a wealth of global literature as well as to delve deeply into key books to develop critical understandings and to consider how to invite students into a critical reading of the word. An additional component will be interactions that pair classic, well known texts often used in elementary and secondary classrooms with global children’s and adolescent literature to expand the curriculum and include global perspectives.

What Happened? Understanding Trauma and Building Resilience
A Professional Development Workshop
May 30-31

We know from research that trauma impacts a child’s ability to learn and develop. Attend this two day event to explore and discuss how you and your team can become trauma sensitive and address the complexities of childhood trauma in your school.

Breakout sessions will focus on three areas:
The Science of Trauma and Resilience
Understanding Behaviors and Building Support
Self-Care
**Early Bird Cost:** $99  
Cost includes keynote speakers, breakout sessions, continental breakfast, lunch, resource fair, networking, resources, 12 hours of PD credit, parking, and more!

Register here.

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**Scholarships**

The Arizona Community Foundation invites high school seniors and current college students throughout Arizona to apply for more than 100 scholarship awards. With the completion of just one online application, students are automatically matched with all of the awards for which they qualify. Last year, nearly $1.7 million was awarded to thousands of Arizona students.

The general application for the 2018-19 academic year is now live.

To learn more and begin the general application online, visit [www.azfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.azfoundation.org/scholarships).  
And please share this news with all of the college-going students you know!

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**Community Resources**

**DISCOUNT PASSES AVAILABLE** - PASSES AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ON-BOARD THE BUS ONLY

UA south students can now purchase the new 20 rides for $20 pass!

This pass will get you to Cochise College campuses in Douglas and Sierra Vista and save you money at the same time.

The Cochise Connection links the cities of Bisbee, Douglas and Sierra Vista with Monday-Saturday bus service. The system includes six stop locations with service three times on weekdays and twice on Saturday.

For a complete schedule for each stop, visit the [schedule](#).

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**Mental Health Support Group**

Peer led group now forming in Sierra Vista

Feeling depressed, anxious? Not yourself? Need Mental Health Support?

Welcome to those who cope with mental health challenges  
Be HEARD  
Be SUPPORTED  
Be ENCOURAGED  
Be VALIDATED

We are people just like you wanting to gather together and share our experiences, hopes, and ideas on how to gain strength during difficult times in our journey to heal.  
*Original and Organic*

For more information, please email us [here](#).