

AZ Adult EducationNews to Use - June 2024

From the State Director...

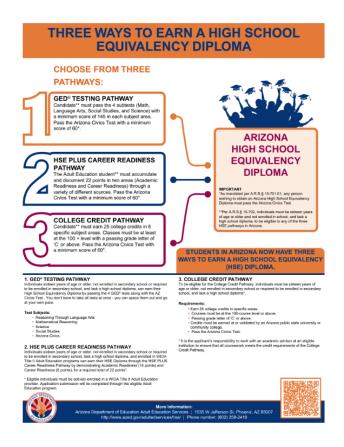
The Coalition on Adult Basic Education (COABE), the leading and largest adult education association in the world, is proud to announce the launch of the Educate & Elevate Foundation. The foundation, which has already received generous seed funding from Essential Education, was established to fill gaps in funding for adult learners, their families, and adult education programs nationwide.

 For more information on the scholarship and grant options for programs and students, visit https://www.educateandelevatefoundation.org/. Application deadline is July 31, 2024.

As we close out the current grant contract and program year and prepare for the 2024-2028 WIOA Title II Adult Education Grant contract, please remember the **Annual Business Meeting** will be held on **Thursday**, **June 13**, **2024**, **9:30a - 12:30p**. To register, click <u>HERE</u>.

And finally, as we start a new grant cycle please note **AZ Shop Talk Webinar Series** is moving to <u>first</u> Tuesdays! The PY2024-25 dates are July 2, September 3, November 5, January 7, March 4, May 6. Login to your APLD account to register for all six!

HSE Services



Fiscal Services

Final Grant Award Reminders - contact **Janice Cruz** with guestions.

- Final draw down for FY 2024 awarded funds is June 20, 2024
- Final budget revisions are due by June 30, 2024

Program Operations, Compliance, & Assessment

Required Reporting

- Due Jun 15 Eligibility and Waitlist (submit form)
- July 15 Final PY2023-24 Data (Data Confirmation Form)
- July 31 Narrative Report **and** IET Validation (email to: AES-POC@azed.gov)
- July 31 Career & Training Services Report (email to: AES-POC@azed.gov)
- July 31 Professional Learning Report (final version of PLIP)

Assessment Updates

- The **PY2024-25 Assessment Policy** will be made available on July 1. Watch for information on the upcoming Assessment Updates webinar.
- This is also going to be a year of transition for TABE and TABE CLAS-E. We look forward to
 the release of CLAS-E forms and C and D in the next few weeks. TABE 13 and 14 are
 expected to be available in September. We'll provide guidance on the timing and process for
 transitioning to the new forms during the Assessment Updates webinar.
- There are also slight changes in the **TABE license pricing** beginning July 1. The TABE will increase from \$2.40 to \$2.95, while the CLAS-E will *decrease* from \$1.95 to \$1.75.
- Got **Language**? You sure do! Starting July 1, the TABE Language test must be administered to any student who is also being tested on TABE Reading.
- **TABE Certification Courses** are being updated with the new versions available beginning July 1. Registration for the current tests will close on June 15, and all coursework must be completed by June 30.
- Remember to watch for information on the Assessment Policy webinar!

Teaching & Learning

- Applications for PY2024-25 State Leadership Initiatives, including Teaching the Skills that Matter, STAR, and CALM (Curriculum for Adults Learning Math), open Friday, July 12. Stay tuned for more details from the state office!
- PY2024-25 STAR Year 1 Informational Webinar will be held Friday, July 12, 2024, 10:00a -11:00a. To register, click HERE
- Looking for **free**, **engaging professional development** to participate in this summer? The LINCS Summer Teacher Training Institute (STTI) is an opportunity for adult educators across the country to convene for an immersive virtual learning experience. For more information or to register, visit **LINCS STTI**.



Teaching and Learning Hub

Upcoming Training & Events



Join Beverly Wilson, State Director, and the Adult Education Services team for the first AZ Shop Talk of PY2024-25! Important news, upcoming trainings, and question/answer opportunities will keep you up to date on what's happening in Arizona Adult Education! Tuesday, July 2, 2024, 2:30p - 3:30p.

REGISTER NOW

July Teaching & Learning Series





More about this series

Join us for this two-part webinar series to learn how Google Earth can be integrated into the classroom to enhance student engagement and explore topics in new and exciting ways!



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PY2024-25 Administrator Orientation & Refresher

Administrator Orientation & Refresher is a virtual, three-part series intended for both those administrators who are new in their positions, as well as those wishing to have a review. The series may also be helpful for key members of the parent organization to attend in order to gain a deeper understanding of the program's requirements.

July 31, August 7, and August 14, 2024, 9:30a - 12:30p

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Reminder: PY2023-24 Self-paced Courses

Registration closes for <u>all ADE-AES</u> self-paced courses on June 15 and remember to complete the course no later than June 30, 2024. If you <u>have not completed</u> the coursework by June 30, you will be unenrolled and will need to reenroll in the next program year's sessions. PY2024-25 self-paced courses will be available July 1.

PY2023-24 On-demand, Self-paced Training Courses (click the course below to register!)

TABE Coordinator Certification Course

TABE Proctor Certification Course

Arizona Adult Education 101

ADE/AES Educational Technology Courses - Blended Learning Certification

ADE/AES Educational Technology Courses - Digital Literacy for Teachers (Beginner)

ADE/AES Educational Technology Courses - Building a Google Site for Your Blended Classroom

Mark Your Calendar!

The **2024 AZ Adult Education Institute** will be held at the **Doubletree by Hilton - Paradise Valley Resort**, Wednesday, September 11* - Saturday, September 14, 2024. Registration opens July 8!

*Pre-conference sessions held September 11.