

LINKS TO EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

For Parents of Students in Grades K-12

Arizona Department of Education	www.azed.gov
Arizona Parent Teacher Association	www.azpta.org
Arizona Science Center	www.azscience.org
Center for Early Literacy Learning	www.earlyliteracylearning.org
Common Sense Media Learning Apps	www.commensensemedia.org
Dig Into Mining – The Story of Copper Education.Com	www.digintomining.com/family-resources
Education.Com	www.education.com
Family Education	school.familyeducation.com
Fun Brain	www.funbrain.com
Get Ready to Read	www.getreadytoread.org
Gila County Library District	www.gclnaz.org (Links to all libraries in Gila County)
Gila County Schools Office	www.gilacountyesa.org
iXL Math and Language Arts	www.ixl.com
Khan Academy	www.khanacademy.org
Math Play	www.math-play.com
Math Power/ Potencia de Matematicas	rodelaz.org/mathpower (Bilingual math resource book for parents of K-6 students)
Move On When Reading	www.azed.gov/mowr
National Center for Families Learning	www.familieslearning.org
National Energy Ed Development Project	www.need.org/sciencefair (Science projects by grades)
PBS Design Squad Resources	http://pbskids.org/designsquad/parentseducators
PBS Parent Resources	www.pbs.org/parents/education
Power My Learning Platform	www.powermylearning.org
Read On Arizona	www.readonarizona.org
Reach Out and Read	www.roraz.org
Reading Rockets	www.readingrockets.org
Scholastic	www.scholastic.com/parents/activities-and-printables
Science Buddies	www.sciencebuddies.org
Science Sparks	www.science-sparks.com
Sesame Street	www.sesamestreet.org/STEM
Spelling Bee Practice	www.learnthat.org
Stand for Children Arizona	www.doyourhomeworkarizona.org (Resources to help parents help students with common core assignments)
Start With A Book	www.startwithabook.org
Student Privacy	www.youtube.com “Student Privacy 101: FERPA”
U.S. Department of Education	www.ed.gov

Arizona College & Career Ready Standards

Arizona College & Career Ready Standards	www.arizonaready.com
Arizona Department of Education	www.azed.gov/azccrs
Arizona Education Association	www.arizonaaea.org
Common Core Standards	www.corestandards.org
Expect More Arizona	www.expectmorearizona.org

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Early Childhood Development

Arizona's Children Association	www.arizonaschildren.org
Arizona First Things First	www.azftf.gov
Childcare & Early Education	www.researchconnections.org/childcare
Child & Family Web Guide	www.cfw.tufts.edu
Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center	http://ectacenter.org
National Center for Infants & Toddlers	www.zerotothree.org
Vroom	www.joinvroom.org (Early Learning Activities)

Special Education

Council for Exceptional Children	www.cec.sped.org
Children with Special Needs	www.childrenwithspecialneeds.com
Pacer Center	www.pacer.org
Special Education Degrees	www.special-education-degree.net/the-best-websites-for-parents-of-special-needs-children
Family Resource Guide; Where to Turn for Special Needs Support	http://www.familyresourceguide.org/index.aspx
College Internship Program	http://cipworldwide.org/
College Autism Network	http://collegeautismnetwork.org/
College Living Experience	http://experiencecle.com/about-cle/
Spectrum College Transition Program	http://www.iser.com/spectrum-college-prog-AZ.html
Overview of College Resources for Students with Disabilities	www.bestcolleges.com/resources/disabled-students/

Links Compiled by School Districts

Globe Unified School District	www.globeschools.org/
Miami Unified School District	www.miamiusd40.org
Payson Unified School District	www.edline.net/pages/Payson_USD_10
San Carlos Unified School District	www.sancarlosbraves.org/index.cfm?pid=9633
Tonto Basin Parent & Student Handbook	www.tontobasinschool.org/student_parent_updates/student_hand_book

For College Bound Students

Gila County Library District offers skill building lessons, practice tests, job and career tests and more. Requires you to create a log-in:

www.learnatest.com/LEL/index.cfm/?HR=http://catalog.gila.lib.az.us

G3 Guide to Goals after Graduation:

<http://www.connectotech.org/for-students/career-info/93-guides-to-goals-after-graduation.html>

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Learn How To Become – An online career guide that provides career seekers with in-depth data and information curated by experts in their fields. The site also offers information on colleges, vocational training schools, and internships.

www.learnhowtobecome.org/

A resource from the College Board, offering a major and career search directory:

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

MAPP Career Assessment is an online test to help match profiles with careers:

www.assessment.com/default.asp

Accredited Schools Online - A comprehensive college navigation and comparison tool that enables prospective students to search schools using various criteria.

<http://www.accreditedschoolsonline.org/online-colleges/>

iOnFuture – A STEM Exploration Game

<http://ionfuture.org>

Gila Community College Programs:

www.gilacc.org (Main Website)

www.pinalmountainfoundation.org (Scholarship information and application)

Helpful websites from Arizona State University - Career Guide Information:

<http://occupations.careers.org/>

<http://students.asu.edu/career/>

University of Arizona Future Student portal:

www.arizona.edu/future-students

Northern Arizona University Future Student portal:

<http://nau.edu/Future-Students>

Information on Scholarships and Post-Secondary Educational Funding

www.campusexplorer.com

www.collegeanswer.com

www.collegeboard.org

www.college-scholarships.com (links to other websites)

www.ed.gov/finaid

www.FAFSA.com

www.FastWeb.com

www.financialaidtoolkit.ed.gov

www.petersons.com

www.scholarships.com

www.studentaid.gov

www.thesalliemafund.org

Scholarship Scams: www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/0082-scholarship-and-financial-aid-scams