



SOUTHERN ARIZONA  
*Gifted Endorsement*  
COURSE

August 17, 2018

through

November 30, 2018

8:00 am - 5:00 pm  
*Saturday Sessions (4)*

4:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
*Friday Sessions (2)*

Completion of this training (45 contact hours, additional 45 hours completed independently) will qualify participant for AZ gifted provisional endorsement. Individual districts must approve professional development hours per gifted endorsement regulations. This training will focus on best practices in gifted instruction including navigating national gifted standards, social and emotional growth, differentiated instruction, critical thinking, creative thinking and problem solving. Interactive workshops will provide participants with a knowledge base in gifted education and highly effective, research based strategies for instructing gifted students.

## Session Topics

Friday, August 17 | 4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
Introduction to Gifted Education

Saturday, September 8 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Social and Emotional Needs of Gifted Students

Saturday, September 29 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Differentiated Instruction and Flexible Grouping

Saturday, October 20 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Critical Thinking and Questioning

Saturday, November 3 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Project Based Learning, STEM and Inquiry

Friday, November 30 | 4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
Best Practices in Gifted Instruction

**Facilitators:**

Marianne Landrith and Louise Till

**Cost: \$240**

*Registration fee includes materials & lunch (or dinner)*

**Audience:** Certified Teachers, Instructional Coaches and Administrators interested in obtaining a provisional gifted endorsement

**Location:**

Pima County School Superintendent's Office  
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