



2014 ELL Student Success Stories

Did you know that there is an annual award which honors the success of outstanding Arizona ELL students?

The Arizona Department of Education invites you to nominate a current or former ELL student who deserves to be praised and whose story should be shared with others - a student who has made noteworthy accomplishments in English Language and academic achievement - as a recipient for this award.

If you know of a student who deserves this honor, please complete and submit the online nomination form.

Nominations are due by October 15, 2014.

On Thursday, December 11, 2014 at the OELAS conference, which is being held at the JW Marriott Starr Pass Resort in Tucson, these student achievers will be introduced to the audience and asked to come to the stage to receive recognition and share successes. If students cannot be in attendance, we hope to show a video or webcast with the student honoree. Teachers, administrators, and family are also invited to be in attendance.

Now is the time to begin thinking about the success stories you see in your classes! We encourage you to help celebrate our seventh annual ELL Student Success Stories. This event represents a meaningful experience for your student and an excellent opportunity to promote your school and district.

The nomination form is posted at <http://www.azed.gov/oelasconf/>

Please email Candis.Middlebrook@azed.gov with any questions.