



ARIZONA ADULT EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL LEARNING SYSTEM

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HOLD THE DATES: IET TRAINING SERIES

Do you know what an IET is, who it is suitable for, why we have IETs, yet still struggle with how to make all of the pieces fit together? Over the next few months, AES will offer a series of webinars on Creating Effective IETs. Facilitated by ADE-AES staff, Heather Patterson and Patrick Brown, the series will include: best practices; lessons learned; building the perfect IET partnership; recruitment and retention of students, and much more! Program cohorts are strongly encouraged to participate.

Join us for this PL series, which will be held in June- September. Register here!

All sessions will be virtual, from 9am-12pm.

June 2

June 16



June 30

July 14

July 28

August 11

August 25



ASSESSMENTS (AEPA) FOR ADULT EDUCATORS

We are so excited to share the good news that the AZ Adult Educator Assessments are ready to go live on June 14th! The four assessments in: English Language Arts; Mathematics; English Language Acquisition; and Professional Knowledge, were developed over the last two years by adult educators and content experts, in collaboration with Pearson.

Check out the announcement and the study guide resources at: https://www.aepa.nesinc.com/

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

May 3rd - May 7th is Teacher Appreciation Week!







This week is a time to celebrate YOU for your persistence, hard work, and flexibility over the last 14 months! We appreciate you and thank you for going the distance for (and with) your students this year!

TEACHING AND LEARNING GOOGLE SITE

If you haven't had the opportunity, please check out the PL **Teaching and Learning Repository site**. This site is regularly updated and provides teachers with vetted and standards-based curricular resources and recordings of professional learning webinars, all in one place. A wealth of resources to use with your students is just one click away! Start exploring today.

2021 ADULT EDUCATION INSTITUTE

Get ready to join us for the

2021 AZ Adult Education Virtual Institute!



September 16th - 18th, 2021

Mark your calendars for the annual adult education institute and select from over 30 break-out sessions for teachers, administrators, and support staff. Featured keynote presenters will be AZ Senator Mark Kelly; Dr. Steven Gonzales, Interim, Chancellor, Maricopa Community College District; Dr. Jackie Elliot, President/CEO, Central AZ College; and Dr. Lee Lambert, Chancellor, Pima Community College.

Thank you for reading! Brought to you by the ADE-AES PL team-Beverly Wilson, Staci Snow, and Heather Patterson.