According to the Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §15-249.03(K), “Dyslexia" means a specific learning disorder that is neurological in origin. Dyslexia occurs in people of all backgrounds and intellectual levels. People who are very bright can also have dyslexia. They are often capable or even gifted in areas that do not require strong reading skills, such as art, computer science, design, drama, electronics, math, mechanics, music, physics, sales, and sports.

To learn more about Dyslexia go to on ADE’s Dyslexia page.

Educational Technology Standard Review
Open for Review.

The ADE Academic Standards Team is so excited to announce that the Draft Ed Tech standards are now open for public feedback. The Ed Tech Standards represent best practices for integrating technology skills into the K12 work that is already happening in Arizona schools.

View Draft Standards | Provide feedback here

Grand Canyon University Celebrates Finalist for the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching
"The National Science Foundation selected math educators Ariel Beggs of Tucson’s Imago Dei Middle School, Ashley Kessler of Poston Junior High in Mesa and Karen Maas of Gilbert Classical Academy as award finalists for 2021."  Read more...

Professional Learning Opportunities in Southern Arizona

TREC, the Tucson Regional Education Collaborative, is a great one-stop shop for professional learning opportunities for educators in Southern Arizona. With topics ranging from teacher leadership, math, science, ELA, and social emotional learning, TREC is a great site to find opportunities to learn and grow with your fellow educators. You can find TREC’s list of professional learning opportunities, here.