

Pinal County Science Professional Learning Opportunity

for 3rd - 12th Grade Science Teachers

FROM PHENOMENA TO EXPLANATIONS:
MODELING AND ARGUMENTATION IN ACTION

JOIN FELLOW PINAL COUNTY SCIENCE EDUCATORS FOR THIS DYNAMIC, HANDS-ON PROFESSIONAL LEARNING SESSION THAT IMMERSSES YOU IN AUTHENTIC THREE-DIMENSIONAL SCIENCE WHILE EXPLORING INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES THAT SUPPORT STUDENT SENSEMAKING.



Pinal County
School Office
EDUCATION SERVICES



A collaboration between Pinal County School Office Education Services and the Arizona Department of Education



THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 17, 2026
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM



3RD - 12TH GRADE
SCIENCE TEACHERS



PINAL COUNTY
EDUCATION SERVICES
1400 N. ELEVEN MILE CORNER ROAD
CASA GRANDE, AZ 85194



LUNCH PROVIDED
BY PINAL COUNTY SCHOOL OFFICE

WHAT WILL YOU EXPERIENCE?



- **ENGAGING PHENOMENON:** INVESTIGATE A COMPELLING ENVIRONMENTAL PHENOMENON
- **AZSS-ALIGNED PRACTICES:** DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF SEP DEVELOPING & USING MODELS AND ENGAGING IN ARGUMENT FROM EVIDENCE
- **READY-TO-USE TOOLS:** WALK AWAY WITH ROUTINES, STRATEGIES, AND RESOURCES TO IMPLEMENT IMMEDIATELY

WHY ATTEND?



- LEARN HOW TO **FOSTER CURIOSITY** AND **CRITICAL THINKING** IN YOUR STUDENTS
- **COLLABORATE** WITH PEERS IN A SUPPORTIVE, INQUIRY-DRIVEN ENVIRONMENT
- EXPERIENCE FIRSTHAND **WHAT SENSEMAKING LOOKS AND FEELS LIKE**
- **EARN** PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT HOURS



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