

The Fall 2024 ITEP application is now OPEN! Let us know if you have **high school students interested in teacher education** and if you have any **substitutes looking to obtain their teacher certification** through our program. If they have any questions send them our way so that we can provide support to submit an ITEP application.

Here is the application link,

https://uarizona.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3yfsFcKi9Wah8to - closes February 9, 2024

The UA College of Education is currently recruiting teacher candidates for the Fall 2024 and 2025 cohort. Through the two-year program, we prepare future Indigenous educators to integrate their tribal values and language in presentations, lesson plans, and activities. Cohorts of Indigenous pre-service teachers:

- Complete a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education or Early Childhood,
- Focus on Indigenous Education and Pedagogies,
- Are provided support to pass both the NES Exam and K-5 Literacy Endorsement Exam,
- Graduate with a teaching certificate, and
- Will enter induction support after graduation.

If you are interested in applying or thinking about applying, **I encourage you to send your unofficial transcripts to our academic advisor Alex at anichelson@arizona.edu**

Join us for an **Application Workshop on Wednesday, January 17, 2024**, for 30 minutes at 12:30 PM or at 5:30 PM.

Request a 1:1 informational session for you, or your community, staff, or students.

Contact, IngriQue Salt @ ingrique@arizona.edu or coe-itep@arizona.edu or call (520)-621-2809

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ITEP AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

WHAT IS ITEP?

A Bachelor's Degree granting program aimed at increasing the number of Indigenous teachers serving Indigenous students, schools, and communities. Indigenous teacher candidates graduate as certified Elementary or Early Childhood Education teachers with a focus on Indigenous Education.

WHAT DOES ITEP PROVIDE?

- Support to Pass Knowledge and Certification Exams
- Tuition Coverage: ATA or ANS
- Two Years of Induction Support
- Mentor & Peer Support

WHAT TO EXPECT

ITEP teacher candidates complete fieldwork and student teaching in schools serving Indigenous students. We also support teacher candidates through the job search process and provide induction support during their first years of teaching.



FOCUS ON INDIGENOUS PEDAGOGIES

ITEP prepares teacher candidates in relation to the overarching framework that include

1. Teachers as Native Nation-builders
2. Indigenous Knowledges, Values, and Languages
3. Critical Indigenous Theories and Pedagogies
4. Justice-centered Education to enact Indigenous sovereignty and self-determination

HOW TO GET STARTED

Email unofficial transcripts to Alex Nichelson:
anichelson@arizona.edu

FOR MORE INFORMATION

VISIT: itep.coe.arizona.edu

CALL: (520) 621-2809

EMAIL: coe-itep@arizona.edu



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30-Minute ITEP Application Workshop!

January 17th, 2023
12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Or
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

To RSVP for zoom link email
bclarkson@arizona.edu



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JOIN us for our 2023 Winter Story Series!



*In 2016 ITEP was founded through a grant from the US Department of Education. **Our mission** is to increase the number of Indigenous teachers serving Indigenous students, schools, and communities. ITEP is dedicated to developing culturally sustaining educators who promote strength and well-being within Indigenous communities. ITEP teacher candidates will examine their own cultural identities in relation to the making of an Indigenous teacher.*