

About Tempe Accelerated High School & Vocational Training Center

Tempe Accelerated High School is a public charter school that offers quality instruction in a small-school environment. Tempe Accelerated is Accredited by North Central Association.

Tempe Accelerated High School has a rigorous, tuition-free school program with many support systems in place to help meet the challenges that many students face today. Students are able to choose from flexible scheduling options and earn credits through work-study programs. Students are encouraged to excel in academics as well as after-school clubs and activities.

Tempe Accelerated is proudly operated by The Leona Group, which was founded in 1996 by Dr. William Coats, a national leader in education reform.

Foundational to The Leona Group is the belief that all children, regardless of ethnicity or economic status, can learn and achieve. For this reason, Leona Group schools are located in primarily urban centers where there is the greatest need for educational choice and opportunity.

Leona delivers a quality option in public school education, focusing on excellence in education in safe, caring environments.



TEMPE ACCELERATED HIGH SCHOOL & Vocational Training Center

2011-12 School Year



Extracurricular Activities State Tax Credit

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Support students, lower your taxes

All Arizona taxpayers are eligible to make contributions to public schools to support extracurricular activities*.

You can help students at Tempe Accelerated High School while lowering your tax bill by making your tax-deductible contribution today!

It's a win-win situation for taxpayers and students!



Your contribution will go directly toward student extracurricular activities!

At Tempe Accelerated we strive to provide a well-rounded educational experience for all students by going beyond the traditional classroom. Extracurricular activities help youth develop qualities such as leadership, team play, and cooperation, as well as provide safe, supervised activities after school hours.



Some of the activities you will be supporting include performing arts, field trips, outdoor education, gardening, sports and tutoring, just to name a few.

Parents and non-parents are eligible

This tax credit is available to all Arizona taxpayers regardless of whether or not they have children in school. An individual may contribute as much as \$200; a couple filing jointly may contribute up to \$400. Taxpayers may also deduct the amount on federal returns as a charitable contribution.

Tax credit (vs. tax deduction)

A tax credit is a dollar-for-dollar reduction in the actual tax owed. For example, if you owe \$800 in state income taxes and you donate \$200 to a public school for extracurricular activities, you may subtract the \$200 from your tax bill and pay the state just \$600. If you are expecting an \$800 refund and you donate \$200, your refund will be \$1000. A tax deduction only reduces the total taxable income.

How to contribute:

- Complete the contribution form and mail or return it, with your contribution, to Tempe Accelerated High School.
- Make checks payable to Tempe Accelerated High School.
- A receipt will be mailed to you for tax purposes.
- Donations must be received by December 31, 2011 to be eligible for the tax credit this year.

Thank you for supporting Tempe Accelerated High School & Vocational Training Center

*Per the Arizona Legislature, law A.R.S. 43-1089.01

Tempe Accelerated High School & Vocational Training Center Extracurricular Activities Contribution Form

Which activity would you like to support?

- Where there is the greatest need.
- Other _____ (Please specify)

Please specify amount: \$ _____

Comments:

Name

Address

City

State

ZIP

Daytime Phone

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