

Community Events

As part of the WINS project, we will be conducting Community based education events coinciding with spring and fall raptor migrations through Arizona. These events will bring agencies such as AZGF, NAU, NNF, NPS and High Country Raptors of Flagstaff together to provide education for families. During these event participants will have the opportunity to meet rehabilitated raptors, view wild migrating raptors, and learn about the basics of ecology and habitat protection. We hope to make these and annual event with the help of local partnerships.



Harris Hawks



American Kestrel

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WINS : Wildlife In Native Schools

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Students Identify Birds on the
San Carlos Reservation

*Helping students and Teachers
learn from and observe the world
around them.*



WINS PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

The WINS program will consist of many different activities such as a teacher workshop, classroom presentations, observational field trips and community events.

Topic areas for these activities will focus on predator-prey relationships, food chain, biodiversity, wildlife career opportunities, and the effects of good or poor air, water, and soil quality on an ecosystem.

During these activities, scientists and experts will be brought in as guest speakers to help teach these principles through local, real life examples. Guest speakers will be invited from various groups such as NAU faculty, tribal elders, U.S. Fish and Wildlife, and Arizona Game and Fish department officials. They will serve as role models for students that may be interested in pursuing a career in wildlife management.



One of the major goals of the WINS Program is to see students get excited about learning. This excitement can develop into a love of learning that will serve them throughout their lives. We hope that this program can be a catalyst leading students to pursue a higher education and take an active role in protecting and conserving our natural heritage.

Bridging the gap to higher education!



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Harriers in Flight

CURRICULUM

Content for the program is taken from various curriculum projects Project Wild, GLOBE, Project Learning Tree, Focus Arizona Wild, and other NSF funded Curricula.

Proposed Activities

- Ecology Activities
- Scientific Measuring
- Observing Wildlife and Habitat
- Service Learning
- Classroom education
- Group Research
- Gathering Data

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