

Arizona K12 Center

# Mentoring for Arizona Teachers Academy

*We are the Arizona K12 Center, we are here to support you.*

We understand teaching is a tough job and the first year can be daunting. The Arizona K12 Center provides a **free, trained mentor** to *all graduates of the Arizona Teachers Academy at NAU* in their first year of teaching.

Mentors serve in a non-evaluative role through regular classroom visits. Their sole purpose is to help you grow and strengthen your practice.



“*Kathleen was a godsend my first two years of teaching. I am so thankful to have her as a mentor. She challenges you by pushing you outside of your comfort zone while also celebrating things happening in your classroom. I will be forever thankful for her!*”

Joy Hallett, NAU Alumna 2016

## More Support

- >> In addition to a mentor, the Arizona K12 Center has a discounted rate for you for *Sharpen Your Skills*, professional development that is geared to beginning teachers.
- >> Get to know us by attending one of our free learning opportunities, *Fueled for Success*, on campus and in Phoenix.

Since 1999 the Arizona K12 Center has focused on strengthening and growing the teaching profession by providing high quality professional learning opportunities.

Our job is to help you move your practice forward!

The Center is the home of the Arizona Teacher Program where we support the newest members of the teaching profession through high quality mentoring, guide experienced teachers as they pursue National Board Certification, and develop the skills and knowledge of Arizona's teacher leaders.

To learn more, contact the Arizona K12 Center at **[info@azk12.org](mailto:info@azk12.org)**