

Gifted Resources

To repeat what others have said, requires education; to challenge it, requires brains. – Mary Pettibone Poole

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At the high school level if you feel like your gifted child is not be challenged or you would like other resources please contact Mrs. Jackie Jacobson, Principal at Wickenburg High School , jjacobson@wickenburg.k12.az.us or your child's guidance counselor Rachel Willis, rflannwillis@wickenburg.k12.az.us or Julie Macias, jmacias@wickenburg.k12.az.us .

Wickenburg High School currently has multiple dual enrollment options for kids that want to take classes for both high school and college credit. There is also a grant from the Wellik Foundation that has allowed the high school to reimburse families of students who take college classes while in high school. If you are interested in any dual enrollment program please see your counselor.

Sites you might find helpful:

<http://www.wickenburgpage.org/faq.html> - PAGE - Parent Advocates for Gifted Education is a great resource for gifted students and their families in the Wickenburg School District.

<http://www.aagc.org/index.html> - The American Association for Gifted Education is based at Duke University.

<http://cty.jhu.edu/> - The Center for Talented Youth at Johns Hopkins University offers programs for gifted youth including summer enrichment camps.

<http://www.tagfam.org/> - Families of Gifted and Talented - This is a virtual community for gifted families to gather and share information.

<http://gtworld.org/> - Gifted and Talented World is an on-line support community for gifted and talented students and their families.

<http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/> - Hoagie's Gifted Education page has a ton of resources for both gifted kids and their families.

<http://www.kidsource.com/education/gifted.html> - Kidsource has activities and resources for gifted kids and their families and a discussion forum.

<http://www.gifted.uconn.edu/NRCGT.html> - the national Resource Center on Gifted and Talented has links to current research in the field.

<http://www.sengifted.org/> - Supporting Emotional Needs of the Gifted is a site that focuses on the social and emotional needs of the gifted individual.