# TUSD ECAP Implementation Plan

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# **ECAPs General Information**

On February 25, 2008 the Arizona State Board of Education approved Education and Career Action Plans for all Arizona students grades 9-12 (<u>R7-2-302.05</u>).

Philosophy:	We as educators believe that integrating an Education and Career Action Plan (ECAP) process into all facets of the school experience enables students to be lifelong learners and problem-solvers, developing and applying 21st century skills to their life experiences, as students, as workers, as consumers, and as responsible citizens. With the ability to identify skills and interests and to apply that knowledge to create their own ECAP, our students will have developed needed skills to advance in a more fluid, seamless transition, meeting 21 <sup>st</sup> Century technologies and work place postsecondary requirements.
Definition	An ECAP (Education and Career Action Plan) reflects a student's current plan of coursework, career aspirations, and extended learning opportunities in order to develop the student's individual academic and career goals.

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL

TUSD 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will begin their ECAP with using AZCIS Junior (middle school version of the Arizona Career Information System website). Students will start to input their plan of coursework, career aspirations, and extended learning opportunities. This is an important step in the transition to high school by helping students plan towards a successful completion of secondary education.

#### HIGH SCHOOL

TUSD 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade students will update their ECAP yearly so that when they graduate from 12<sup>th</sup> grade they will have a completed academic and career plan. Students will transfer over their middle school AZCIS Junior account into the high school version.

#### **PARENTS**

A vital piece to the ECAP process is the parent notification. Parents are to be notified about their students ECAP and can even create a "viewing" account of their students' portfolios in AZCIS.

## **Every school will designate an AZCIS Site Coordinator**

Duties include:

- ➤ Control reports and data maintenance within administrative site of AZCIS
- ➤ Help teachers, counselors, and staff navigate website
- > Train site users on AZCIS programs, resources, and student portfolios
- ➤ Manage student portfolios
  - Merge duplicate portfolios
  - Delete old portfolios
  - Print data from student portfolios when needed
- ➤ Manage/upload Courses in the course planner editor

### **District-wide student login procedures**

Every TUSD student will create an account using this login protocol.

- Students: login = matric # (ex. 010101010) password = birthday of student (ex. January011994)
- Parents: login = child's first name.last name (ex. john.doe) password = birthday of student (ex. January011994)

### Protocol to change student logins and passwords:

- AZCIS Site Coordinator will need to change student login and/or passwords in the administrative tools area, under Portfolios.
- Students that do not have the correct login and/or password, as stated above will need to change it through the Site Coordinator.

#### Protocol to create ECAPs for a student new to the school

•	When new students enter a school the front office will notify the AZCIS site coordinator.
	The site coordinator will meet with the student to merge an existing ECAP or create one
	on AZCIS.

- \* The following activities listed on page 4 and 5 meet the ECAP Attributes determined by the Arizona Department of Education.
- \* The grade in which each component should be completed is a suggestion only: students new to our district or particular school may not complete each attribute in the grade designated.
- \* SPED students complete the \_\_\_\_\_\_ through the designated IEP process and case manager.

# **Middle School ECAP Implementation**

WHEN	Required Activities	<b>Extension Activities</b>
By the end of	Staff Training in ECAP and AZCIS	
a students' 8 <sup>th</sup> grade year they will have completed the	<ul> <li>"Where am I going?" – <u>Career Clusters</u> Link</li> <li>Career Cluster Inventory</li> <li>Record your favorite cluster under the <u>My Favorite</u></li> </ul>	<ul><li>What's my cluster?</li><li>Career Cluster Mobile</li><li>My Accomplishments</li></ul>
items in the checklist column.	Cluster Link  "Where am I going?" – Occupations Link  Occupations Scavenger Hunt	<ul><li> If I became</li><li> Bobilator</li></ul>
Extensions are beyond the	Save document under their ECAP – My Files & Links  "Where am I going?" – My Career Plan Link	
required items needed for	<ul> <li>My Career Action Plan Link – complete the questions</li> <li>Use Occupations Index – Overview of Career Clusters</li> </ul>	
their initial ECAP.	to complete My Career Plan  "How do I get there?" – High School Graduation Requirements  • Use TUSD grad requirements not the AZ State requirements	<ul> <li>Words for high school</li> <li>College Admission Requirements</li> <li>Activities</li> </ul>
Throughout the school year	Parent Notifications  ● Parent will be made aware of what an ECAP is and what their students are completing while in middle school	

All Extension activities are found in AZCIS under the particular area that the checklist activity is found. For example, the "Bobilator" activity is found under the "Where am I going?" Tab within the <u>Occupations</u> Link.

## **High School ECAP Implementation**

Every Year in Every Grade – students will complete an activity within at least one category AZCIS Component Implementation:

AZCIS Component	Implementat
MY COURSE PLAN (school courses taken or plan to take)	<ul> <li>Use AZCIS to</li> </ul>
Plan and update middle and high school courses	record goals

- Write and record a post-high school career and educational goal
- Investigate post-secondary options including training, college, scholarships, financial aid, military, etc.
- Use AZCIS tools to decide on and record goals
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#### MY ASSESSMENTS

• Complete an online resume

MY CAREER PLAN (post-secondary plan)

• Complete an academic, career, or personal assessment to better understand self.

- Update and print AZCIS resume
- Print or save a copy in AZCIS portfolio

#### PARENT REVIEW

• Parent view and/or signature on student's plan

 Parents receive log in information at parent conference night or in the mail

Required Activities	Extension Activity
Staff Training in ECAP and AZCIS	Work with teachers individually per request
<ul> <li>Begin My Course Plan (graduation plan)</li> <li>Review high school grad requirements &amp; success tips</li> <li>Create a parent account</li> <li>PSAT 8/9 test (not an AZCIS activity)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Record academic achievements &amp; extra curricular activities</li> <li>Begin financial plan for post-secondary goals</li> <li>Compare two occupations</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Write a career goal and education requirements needed</li> <li>Interest Profiler and Reality Check</li> <li>PSAT/NMSQT test (not an AZCIS activity)</li> </ul>	from Interest Profiler results
<ul> <li>Update My Course Plan (graduation plan)</li> <li>School Sort</li> <li>Complete a Resume (focus on extracurricular activities and achievements)</li> <li>PSAT/NMSQT and ACT tests (not an AZCIS activity)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Compare two to five colleges from the <i>School Sort</i> results</li> <li>Attend any college/career fairs at your school</li> <li>Take ASVAB test at your school</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Update My Course Plan (graduation plan)</li> <li>Financial Aid Sort (for scholarships)</li> <li>Create a financial plan for post-secondary goal</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Update resume</li> <li>FAFSA Presentation (not an AZCIS activity)</li> <li>Conduct Reality Check again to compare from 10<sup>th</sup> grade year</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Parent Review and Signature</li> <li>Parent will be made aware of what an ECAP is and given AZCIS parent account information so they can</li> </ul>	
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## **AzCIS for Tucson Unified School District**

High School	Contact	AzCIS Student User Name	Student Pass Word
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Hollinger K8	Christine Stewart	hollingerK8	4Azcis02
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Magee MS	Marissa Owens Claire Bernhard	mageems	4azcis02
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Maxwell K8	Rebecca Hoy	maxwellms	4azcis02
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Pistor MS	Dan Keller Martina Leon Rodriguez	pistorms	4azcis02
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Valencia MS	Shawn Blair-Lohn Mary Cordova	valenciams	4azcis02	

# **ECAP Training by Site Coordinator for Administration and Staff**

Administration & ECAP/AZCIS Coordinator	How to access student records			
ECAP/AZCIS Coordinator	How to send messages to students			
	How to pull reports			
	How to do the parent review			
Teachers and Counselors	How to access student records			
	How to send messages to students			
	Lesson plans			
Registrar	How to input all courses for the course planner			

## **State Resources:**

ADE - AZCIS	Kay Schreiber	Kay.Schreiber@azed.gov	(602) 542-5353
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