National History Day in Arizona

What is it?

• NHDAZ is the Arizona affiliate of NHD. Here at the Arizona Historical Society we provide history education through project-based, experiential learning to Arizona students grade 4-12.

• NHDAZ provides workshops, teacher and judge training, history education resources, and project consultation from staff historians and librarians.

• We serve thousands of students and currently have five regional contests and one state contest.

NHDAZ 2024 Contest Dates
February 10 Southwest, Yuma
February 24 East Valley, Chandler
March 2 West Valley, Phoenix
March 16 Southern AZ, Tucson

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The NHDAZ website also has a lot of great videos and information to help you learn more about NHDAZ.

NHDAZ is so lucky to have so many amazing supporters. Thanks to them we can offer a variety of support for NHD teachers and students throughout the state.
Workshops
The NHDAZ Team is working on compiling dozens of workshops that students all over the state can learn skills, receive guidance, and learn about the amazing resources that we house in our state. These workshops can be either virtual or in-person but all will be recorded to provide access to as many students as possible. Your organization can do a presentation about your institution and the sources you have, research skills on how to use those resources, or any topic you think would be useful to our NHD students.

Research Resources Flyer
We are asking groups and institutions all over the state to help us to create an amazing research hub for students to use as they try to discover topics and find materials to include in their project. We ask you to pick 1-3 topics that fit this year's theme, "Turning Points in History" that your agency would be able to provide resources for. You may also feel free to include your institution’s contact information, photos, and other useful links that you think researchers would enjoy. The only requirement is that you keep it to one page and allow us to post it to the AHS website.

National History Day Volunteers/Judges
This year NHDAZ is hosting 6 different competitions throughout the state of Arizona. One of the most important parts of planning these events is volunteers! We are always looking for new judges to add to our amazing roster of volunteers. Judges will get to interact and see student projects first-hand at the regional and state competitions. Judges can either judge a specific category or volunteer to judge special awards at our state competition in April. The best part? No experience required. Just a love for history and working with young, passionate learners.

If you or anyone you know might be interested in one or all of these amazing opportunities to support Arizona's future historians, please contact us at:
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