

# *Educational Psychology*

## NEWSLETTER

## June 2025

### UPCOMING CONFERENCES

- Register for fall conferences!
- 8/7-8 APA in Denver
- 10/3-5 AzPA in Flagstaff!
- 10/8-12 ACES in Philadelphia

### UNIVERSITY DATES + DEADLINES

- Summer session dates are online!
- 6/19 Juneteenth

### CAMPUS EVENTS

- 6/11 Argentina Tour Concert
- 6/14 NAU Night at the D-Backs
- 6/23-24 IHD Conference

### CULTURAL SPOTLIGHT

- Pride Month
- Father's Day
- Juneteenth
- Summer Solstice

**June is full of celebrations and holidays including Pride Month, Father's Day, Juneteenth, and the summer solstice!**

Pride has been celebrated in various capacities since 1970, but it became a more formally recognized history month in the mid 90s. This year marks the 10 year anniversary of marriage being legalized nationwide for all couples regardless of gender. There will be celebrations statewide. Check out the [Phoenix](#) and [Flagstaff](#) Pride pages for more information.

Father's Day was celebrated for the very first time in the US in 1910. President Nixon officially recognized it as a national holiday in 1972 and has been celebrated on the third Sunday in June ever since. This year Father's Day is on June 15th. Happy Father's Day to all our Lumberjack dads!

Juneteenth is celebrated on June 19th to commemorate the end of slavery in 1865, making this year the 160th anniversary of this important date in American history. The [Desert Botanical Garden](#) is hosting a Juneteenth festival with entertainment, food, and activities on the evening on June 19th.



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June also marks the official beginning of summer! The first day of summer and the longest day of the year occurs on the summer solstice, which is Friday June 20th. In Arizona, our longest day will be 14 hours and almost 32 minutes of sunshine, almost 5 hours longer than the shortest day of the year. In the most northern areas of the world, you can experience a phenomenon known as the midnight sun, where the sun does not set for about 3 months!



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## UPCOMING CONFERENCES

- Start planning ahead for fall conferences. Registration has opened for:
  - The [APA](#) convention will be in Denver August 7-9.
  - The [Arizona Psychological Association convention](#) will be held October 3-5 in Flagstaff at the Little America Hotel.
  - The [ACES conference](#) will be held October 8-12 in Philadelphia.

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## ACADEMIC DATES + DEADLINES

- For a full list of various summer session dates, check the [NAU Important Dates](#) page.
- 6/19 - Juneteenth - University Closed

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## CAMPUS EVENTS

- 6/11 [Buen Viaje - Argentina Tour Concert](#) | This concert, celebrating cultural traditions and folklore, is hosted by the Kitt School of Music. It will be held at the Mesa First United Methodist Church on Wednesday June 11th at 7 pm. Tickets are required.
- 6/14 [NAU Night at the D-Backs](#) | This is a special Diamondbacks game on June 14th from 4 to 9 pm where all Lumberjacks can get a free hat. Tickets are required.
- 6/23-6/24 [Evidence for Success Disability Conference](#) | This conference is hosted by the NAU Institute for Human Development. There are multiple registration options. | This event will be at Wild Horse Pass Resort in Chandler.

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Flagstaff  
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Phoenix  
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