

Emily Sankey

Senior Manager of Learning Initiatives, ASU Preparatory Academy

Emily Sankey is a dedicated Arizona educator with a career devoted to student success and school improvement. She earned a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education from Northern Arizona University, with an emphasis in Bilingual Multicultural Education. Her diverse roles as an elementary classroom teacher, front office manager, Admissions Director, and Intervention Specialist have given her a well-rounded understanding of school operations and student needs. She has also utilized training in Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS), and the Science of Reading to implement data-driven strategies that enhance learning outcomes.

Recently, Emily earned a Master's degree in Educational Leadership (Principalship) from Arizona State University, completing rigorous coursework and a year-long Principal Internship. Her collaborative approach, problem-solving mindset, and dedication to lifelong learning have enabled her to contribute meaningfully to every school community she has served. A team-oriented leader, she prioritizes building strong relationships, supporting colleagues, and implementing practical solutions to foster equitable learning environments where all students can thrive.

As ASU Preparatory Academy's Senior Manager of Learning Initiatives, Emily leverages her experience to strengthen ASU's K-12 education programs and their connection to the community. She ensures alignment with state and local standards while applying best practices in educational research and technology. Through data evaluation and collaboration with community partners, she refines programs to meet local needs and maximize available resources. Emily brings a deep commitment to the belief that all students, regardless of background, can achieve at the highest levels.