

PROPOSITION 308

Fact Sheet

Dreamers are Arizona kids, and they deserve the same opportunities as other Arizona kids. This is their home. Let's make sure our college-bound Dreamers, who meet the same requirements as their classmates, pay the same in-state tuition rate.



What would Prop 308 do?

Proposition 308 would provide college in-state tuition rate to all Arizona high school graduates, regardless of immigration status, to help them fulfill their dreams of a college education and to contribute to AZ's economy.



Who qualifies?

Anyone who has lived in Arizona for at least two years and graduated from a local high school would be charged in-state tuition rates at the state's public colleges and universities. Currently, about **2,000 students do not qualify** each year because of their immigration status.



Prop. 308 is not a "handout:"

College-bound Dreamers came here through no choice of their own and are regarded as out-of-state students who pay triple the in-state rate, even though they graduated from our high schools. Prop. 308 would let Dreamers pay the in-state tuition rate. **There is no "cutting in line" and they must meet the same admission standards as other Arizona students.**



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Economic benefits for Arizona from Prop. 308:

On average every college graduate contributes **\$660,000 more to the Arizona economy** than a high school graduate. Keeping the Dreamers' talent pool in Arizona would greatly benefit the state. Also, the state Legislature has found that Prop. 308 would have zero impact on the General Fund.



\$660,000

More contributed to the Arizona economy

Other conservative states have passed similar laws:

Conservative-led states like Utah, Texas, Oklahoma, and Arkansas, are among **20 states** that have passed in-state tuition for Dreamers and have an advantage over Arizona in the search for top-notch employees.



20 States

Have passed in-state tuition for Dreamers

Prop. 308 reflects Arizona values:

All Arizonans want to work hard, follow the rules, earn an education, and get a good job. We can come together to ensure all of our high school graduates become productive, tax-paying members of society, no matter what they look like or where they were born. By setting in-state tuition fees for Dreamers, we can keep them in AZ, the only home they know.