



Committee Name:	Education Committee
Committee Chair:	Darla Zirbes Pima Community College – 206-2206 dzirbes@pima.edu
Board Members:	Bill Dorgan, AAA Landscape
Committee Purpose/Mission:	To liaison between the educational and the business community

Briefly describe what your committee is working on at present (last 12 months), and where you see your efforts in the near future (1year).

Review 2010/2011	Goals for 2011/12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase frequency of principal and Business exchanges <input type="checkbox"/> Culinary breakfast <input type="checkbox"/> JTED/internships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Principal exchange in fall of 2011 <input type="checkbox"/> Business exchange in spring of 2012 <input type="checkbox"/> Culinary Breakfast – 2012 <input type="checkbox"/> Continue to review the possibilities of JTED internships
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Build integrated data sharing system between schools and businesses. <input type="checkbox"/> Tie more partnerships to teaching and learning (hands-on/interactive learning experiences, student centered/classroom based) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Finish developing and implement interactive website <input type="checkbox"/> Tie more partnerships to teaching and learning (hands-on/interactive learning experiences, student centered/classroom based)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Internships (i.e. field experience) <input type="checkbox"/> Develop new outreach programs that further business-education ties <input type="checkbox"/> Develop educational classes for the Marana Chamber members 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Internships (i.e. field experience) <input type="checkbox"/> Develop new outreach programs that further business-education ties <input type="checkbox"/> The chamber is creating another committee to develop educational classes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Stronger partnerships with Business Education Roundtable (BER) and the Arizona Business Education Coalition (ABEC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> The chamber will continue to work with BER and ABEC
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Explore a partnership with the Marana Foundation to see if there is a way to have the Marana Chamber partner using the 501C3 non-profit status. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Need to find out what direction the Marana Foundation is going in. <input type="checkbox"/> Provide scholarships for the foundation

Comments: meets the 3rd Thursday at the NW Campus Pima Community College room A112 4pm to 5pm