Pennsylvania Business Week
PROGRAM EVALUATION
Advisor Response

Fort LeBoeuf High School
October 26-30, 2026

COMMENTS

"Seeing the growth and commitment the students developed during the entire week was very rewarding."

"I enjoyed watching these kids grow from overwhelmed on Monday to sharp, confident business leaders on Friday."

"Watching my students come out of their shell and take initiative this week was wonderful. I am so proud of all the work they did!"

"All of the speakers do a fantastic job of sharing experiences and insights that not only help the students during Business Week, but with real life as well."

"I loved watching the kids learn to work together, lead, make presentations and experience dealing with new people."

"I loved seeing the team finally work together as a whole. We had a quiet group and slowly seeing them open up and become confident with each other was very rewarding."

"It was very rewarding to watch my team embrace each other's differences."

"I enjoy seeing the team aspect form throughout the week. I like seeing kids involved in conversations with kids they wouldn't normally talk to."

"I found the Ethics and the Ellwood presentations very beneficial in my opinion. The ethics speaker related ethics to everyday life. The Ellwood speaker did a great job talking about investing in the person and how you treat people."

"I feel the Careers in Manufacturing resonated with the students."

"I believe all aspects of Business Week are beneficial. However, I think one of the most valuable parts is how it encourages students to step outside of their comfort zones and discover new self attributes."

NUMBERS*

RATED THEIR EXPERIENCE AS EXCELLENT OR GOOD **100%**

100% **SAID OTHER SCHOOLS WOULD BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM**

HOW VALUABLE WERE THE FOLLOWING?	VERY VALUABLE	SOMEWHAT VALUABLE	NOT VALUABLE
THE COMPANY CONCEPT	100%	0%	0%
STOCKHOLDERS COMPETITION	91%	9%	0%
MANAGEMENT SIMULATION COMPETITION	46%	45%	9%
ADVERTISING AND MARKETING COMPETITION	100%	0%	0%
TRADE SHOW COMPETITION	91%	9%	0%
SPEAKERS	100%	0%	0%

**Based on 11 responses*

Student Response on other side

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"I enjoyed the teamwork with our group and the advice from mentors."

"I loved how I was able to work with other people and show off my skills."

"I had an amazing time with my team and building new relationships with the volunteers and learning a few things about business at the presentations."

"One of the most important lessons I learned this week was not to underestimate people. A lot of people went above and beyond in order for our business to succeed. I really enjoyed getting close with my team and it was fun to see us all work so hard towards wanting to win something."

"I liked how the groups were randomly assigned and that each person had a different strength or weakness that had to be accounted for."

"I loved getting to work with people that I usually don't get to interact with and getting to be a part of a team."

"I think the best part of Business Week was working together and solving problems."

"Great team! We all had great ideas and worked together, had tons of fun, and met new people."

"I think the most interesting aspect was how much work we had to put in. As CEO, it was definitely a challenge to keep everyone on task at times, but working together is really what made us so successful."

"VERY AMAZING OPPORTUNITY!"

NUMBERS*

RATED THEIR EXPERIENCE AS EXCELLENT OR GOOD	**93%**	**95%**	HAVE A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE AMERICAN ECONOMY
ARE NOW MORE AWARE OF AVAILABLE LOCAL CAREERS	**94%**	**66%**	SAID THAT PBW INFLUENCED THEIR THOUGHTS ON FURTHER EDUCATION

HOW VALUABLE WERE THE FOLLOWING?	VERY VALUABLE	SOMEWHAT VALUABLE	NOT VALUABLE
THE COMPANY CONCEPT	83%	15%	2%
STOCKHOLDERS COMPETITION	79%	20%	1%
MANAGEMENT SIMULATION COMPETITION	63%	35%	2%
ADVERTISING AND MARKETING COMPETITION	81%	19%	0%
TRADE SHOW COMPETITION	81%	18%	1%
BUSINESS ADVISORS	81%	15%	4%
SPEAKERS	77%	19%	4%

**Based on 124 responses*

Advisor Response on other side