

Summary of 2021 Changes to the WBL Glossary

Process:

A sub-committee consisting of the Regional Chair, Workgroup 4 Chairs, Data and Research Workgroup representative, and two WBL Practitioners reviewed and approved the following changes to the WBL Glossary.

Approved Changes:

- The proposed change is to merge subsections C3 Guest Speakers and Industry Presentations with C5 Industry Speakers/Presentations. The two categories would be labeled as **C3 Career Speakers**.
 - **C3 (combination of C3 and C5): Career Speaker** - Students learn about careers and industries from speakers on career and industry topics. Topics include career and industry trends, education and training requirements, technical skills, 21st-century employability skills, and the representatives' personal education and career paths.
 - **C5: Open to College or blank**
- B2 Informational Interviews with Industry Professionals will be relocated to C7 to align with the WBL Glossary.
 - **C7: Informational Interviews with Industry Professionals** - Opportunities for students to make contact with business/industry representatives for telephone or in-person interviews, lasting approximately 15 minutes to an hour, to explore opportunities in a given career area or occupation, the skills and education required for entry and success, the long-term growth potential, and, often, the career path taken by the representative in arriving at his/her current position.
 - **B2: Open to College or blank**