



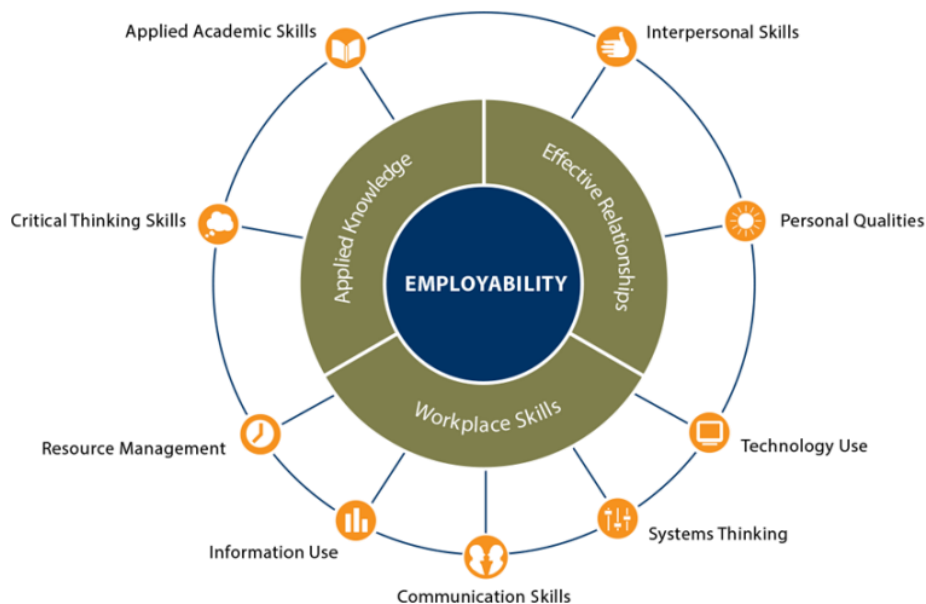
BUSINESS ADVISORY BOARDS

ENGAGING THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY IN SCHOOLS

By bridging the gap between schools and industries, highly effective **business advisory boards** establish shared missions and goals, aligned with local workforce demands, so that all students graduate prepared for post-secondary education and work. Leveraging content expertise, staff experience, and research insight, RTI's Center for Education Services offers customized consulting and strategic planning for schools that are interested in launching and strengthening business advisory boards that are both actionable and sustainable.

In order to build highly effective school-industry partnerships, we share best practices, conduct individualized needs assessments, and support implementation to ensure that value is achieved for all stakeholders. Business advisory boards provide students with support and authentic opportunities to learn, apply, and adapt employability skills, while affiliated businesses benefit from a well-equipped incoming workforce.

Foundation for Business Advisory Boards: Employability Skills Framework



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