

• What is the IEC?



Iowa Area
Education Agencies
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The Iowa Educators Consortium (IEC) is a non-profit initiative of the Iowa Area Education Agencies (AEA). In 2002, Iowa AEAs merged all existing cooperative purchasing programs under one umbrella to form the IEC as an independent, tax-exempt, non-profit institution supporting the mission of the AEAs. IEC purchases allow schools to take advantage of aggressive pricing based on the purchasing volume of many Iowa schools. In addition to aggressive pricing, the IEC frees valuable local education agency (LEA) staff time in product research and training. Advisory committees work with vendors, manufacturers, product reviews, and product literature to determine the best product/cost value for schools.

New contracts for 2009–2010!

- Amer.com — networking hardware
- Baker Group — facility improvement and master planning
- B&H Photo Video — Canon, Nikon, Olympus digital cameras
- Camcor, Inc. — Sony digital cameras & camcorders
- Education Resources — computer supplies & peripherals
- GovConnection — online catalog discount
- lynda.com — online software training solutions
- Pearson K-8 — curriculum intervention solutions
- Paragon Development Systems — Samsung toner printers
- Sunburst — K-12 Curriculum Software
- The Mohawk Group — commercial carpeting
- Troxell Communications — online catalog discount

The Iowa Educators Consortium is here to serve you. If you have questions, concerns or suggestions, please feel free to contact any



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The IEC is a member of the Association of Educational Purchasing Agencies. AEPA is a group of Educational Service Agencies representing 23 states that are organized for the purpose of securing volume, multistate purchasing contracts. These contracts are noted by the logo on the right.



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