

Internet sites of value to educators and students

- “Ground Rules” (overview of mining worldwide, Caterpillar 2009)
<http://www.cat.com/cda/components/fullArticle?m=322875&x=7&id=1565862>
- Education pages presented by Freeport McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc.
http://www.fcx.com/envir/ed_train.htm
- The Mineral Information Institute (Mii) offers a variety of excellent educational resources.
www.mii.org
- The Arizona Foundation for Resource Education (AFRE) provides professional development for educators, including mining and mineral workshops.
www.afre.org
- The Society for Mining, Metallurgy, and Exploration (SME) is a professional organization for those working in the fields of geology and mining.
www.smenet.org
- The Arizona Mining and Mineral Museum provides educational displays, special events, and field trips for classes.
<http://www.admmr.state.az.us/General/museum.html>
- The Copper Development Association (CDA) website at www.copper.org provides information about copper and the copper mining industry. Participate in a blog designed for teachers at www.coppertalk.org or join them on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/Coppertalk>.
- To view the 10-minute film “Digging In: Bisbee’s Mineral History” visit www.bisbeemuseum.org.
- The Arizona Mining and Mineral Museum is operated through the Arizona Department of Mines and Mineral Resources. For a list of resources and events (including school field trips and outreach programs), visit <http://www.admmr.state.az.us/General/>
- The United States Geological Survey (USGS) offers a wealth of unbiased information on all things geological and hydrological throughout the USA, including maps, data, and activities. Check www.usgs.gov.
- The American Geological Institute (AGI) is a nonprofit federation of 46 geoscientific and professional associations that strives to increase public awareness of the vital role the geosciences play in society's use of resources, resilience to natural hazards, and the health of the environment. <http://www.agiweb.org/>
- The National Sand, Stone, and Gravel Association (NSSGA) represents the crushed stone, sand and gravel, and aggregate industries and provides information to its member sand the general public. <http://www.nssga.org/>
- Women in Mining Education Foundation (WIM) is dedicated to providing educational information and resources to teachers and students as well as the general public.
<http://www.womeninmining.org/ef-main.asp>