



Directions: Earn at least 80 points to become certified as a Budding Business Member. Actions highlighted in yellow are required for certification.

Prepare and Plan	Points
Collect 12 months of energy bills as a way to benchmark energy use.	10
Form a sustainability team.	10
Publicize your company's participation to employees and customers by posting to social media, displaying a certificate of participation at your company, and posting your participation on your website.	10
Tag @peancorg in a post about why your business is participating in our Green Business Network.	10
Total	___ /40

Take Action	Points
Have PEA give a free presentation about "greening" your business to your staff, board, and stakeholders.	10
Set thermostats to recommended EnergyStar settings or better.	10
Provide recycling bins to customers and employees at your facility.	10
Employ sleep settings, equipment timers, and energy saving modes on equipment.	10
Eliminate at least 1 single use plastic item in your facility.	10
Identify inefficient or incandescent light bulbs and replace 20% of them with LEDs.	10
Total	___ /60
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