## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Instruction 1(b). |           |                                   | Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934                      |  |   |          |                             |  |
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|                   |           |                                   | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940                                      |  |   |          |                             |  |
|                   | JR CAPITA | Person <sup>*</sup><br>L PARALLEL | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Grand Canyon Education, Inc. [ LOPE ] | (Check al  | ationship of Reporting<br>k all applicable)<br>Director |          | n(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner |  |
| <u>FUND IV LI</u> | <u>P</u>  |                                   |   | - ,  | Officer (give title below)                              |          | Other (specify              |  |
| ,                 |           |                                   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  |  |   |          | below)                      |  |
| (Last)            | (First)   | (Middle)                          | 05/16/2011  |  |   |          |                             |  |
| 920 SW SIXTH      | AVENUE, S | UITE 1400                         |   |  |   |          |                             |  |
| ,                 |           |                                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                    | al Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Cl<br>Line) |   |          |                             |  |
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| (City)            | (State)   | (Zip)                             |   |  |   |          |                             |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | Security (Instr. 3)<br>2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr. |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and |               |        |                                    | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|---------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|---|---------------|--------|------------------------------------|---|---|
|                                 |   |  | Code                              | v | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price  | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | (Instr. 4)  |
| Common Stock                    | 05/16/2011  |  | S                                 |   | 96,404  | D             | \$13.5 | 385,617                            | D   |   |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   |     |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3<br>and 4) |       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----|-----|--|---|-------|---|--|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date  | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  |  |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

**Remarks:** 

/s/Lyn Bickle, Attorney-in-Fact 05/18/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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