



**BE FUTURE
READY**

NAF is a national network of career-themed academies typically located within public high schools. They are designed as small learning communities within these schools, which helps to facilitate a personalized environment. NAF academies offer high school students a unique opportunity to explore potential careers. Students get to meet business professionals and participate in activities that reflect the business world and enhance the academy's traditional and career-focused curriculum. Through this experience, NAF academy graduates are better prepared for college, career, and future success.



**618
ACADEMIES**



**32
STATES**
plus DC, Puerto Rico, and the US Virgin Islands



**120,593
STUDENTS**



**99%
GRAD RATE**

BENEFITS OF JOINING A NAF ACADEMY

- Access to expertise from business professionals, exposure to work environments, and opportunities to hone professional skills
- Scholarship opportunities only for NAF students
- Paid internships build resumes
- Support post-graduation through NAF alumni network

HOW TO JOIN A NAF ACADEMY

- Contact your school if your child is interested in joining a NAF academy as the enrollment process differs at every school
- There is no cost to the student or guardian to join a NAF academy
- If there are no NAF academies in your area, contact your district and encourage them to apply

EDUCATIONAL DESIGN

- Academy classes fit within the school day schedule
- NAF has 5 career academy themes including: finance, hospitality & tourism, information technology, engineering, and health sciences
- Curricula is created in partnership with education and business leaders and help students view their education as a step toward long-term career options
- Local business and community leaders support the academies through advisory boards

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