

# Academy Quality Level Process 2026-2027: Network Key Dates



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<b>July-Aug 2026</b>	<b>Update Academy Contact Information</b> Review and update academy information in the Academy Information form in NAF's Academy Support Hub (ASH). A reminder email will be sent at the start of the school year, but updates can be made at any time. Ensure the <b>Academy Lead</b> and <b>Billing Contact</b> are accurate.
<b>Aug 1, 2026</b>	<b>Data Collection &amp; Academy Assessment Open</b> The 2026-27 Quality Level Process opens in ASH, including Data Collection and the Academy Assessment.
<b>Sep 1, 2026</b>	<b>Resources Available</b> <a href="#">Resources</a> to support completion of Data Collection and the Academy Assessment are posted in ASH.
<b>Oct 23, 2026</b>	<b>Data Collection &amp; Roll Forward Deadline</b> All academies must complete Data Collection in ASH. Academies eligible to Roll Forward must submit required academy- and school-level data by this date or forfeit eligibility.
<b>Dec 4, 2026</b>	<b>Academy Assessment Deadline (Provisional Score)</b> Academies not Rolling Forward must complete the Academy Assessment and receive a provisional score. Portfolio Managers will follow up on any inconsistencies before finalizing. <i>Academies meeting this deadline qualify for NAF Next vouchers.</i>
<b>Jan 15, 2027</b>	<b>Academy Assessment Deadline (Final Score)</b> Academies not Rolling Forward must have a finalized Academy Assessment score to receive a 2026-27 quality level.
<b>Feb 1 - Mar 5, 2027</b>	<b>Quality Reviews Conducted</b> Quality Reviews for 2026-27 conducted for academies newly eligible for Distinguished level.
<b>Mar 31, 2027</b>	<b>Academy Quality Levels Released</b> Academy Quality Levels are released to the network and posted in ASH.