

About NAF

Where Opportunity Begins



NAF is a national leader in **career-connected education** that expands access to **real-world learning opportunities** for high school students.

NAF has grown from one NAF Academy of Finance in New York City to hundreds of academies across the country focusing on growing industries including **finance, hospitality & tourism, information technology, engineering, and health sciences and support programs of study** that are aligned with the National Career Clusters Framework. NAF also expands access to opportunities for students beyond NAF academies through additional programming and products.

For Students

**ON THE CUSP OF MAKING
DECISIONS ABOUT WHAT THEIR
FUTURE HOLDS**

NAF puts students first by designing learning experiences that build confidence, prioritize student voice and agency – helping them envision their future. When students see what's possible, they graduate with confidence, transferable skills, and a sense of direction.



For Schools

**STRIVING TO CREATE MORE
EFFECTIVE EDUCATIONAL
ENVIRONMENTS**

NAF supports educators as they work to bridge the gap between school and the workplace through career-aligned curriculum and work-based learning that is thoughtfully integrated into the academic experience.



For Companies

**TO ENSURE THEY HAVE
THE SKILLED WORKFORCE
NECESSARY TO REMAIN
COMPETITIVE**

NAF provides employers with various opportunities to share their professional experience with students to explore careers they may have never known about before. Together with NAF, national and local businesses help shape the future workforce and widen the workforce pipeline with knowledgeable, equipped, and driven talent.



IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS



110,000

students in the
2025-2026 school year



89%

of graduates are
college-bound



186

cities



600+

academies



99%

senior graduation rate



34

states and territories