

**NAF VALUE**

For over 30 years, NAF has refined a proven educational design ignites students’ passion for learning and gives businesses the opportunity to shape America’s future workforce by transforming the high school experience to include STEM infused industry-specific curricula and work-based learning experiences, including internships. In recent years, NAF has invested heavily in a number of innovations to enhance the model and better support our school and district partners. Included in these are: NAF’s data collection, access and reporting platform; updated student and academy assessments tools; enhancements to NAF’s industry leading Year of Planning (YOP); and NAFTrack Certified Hiring, a groundbreaking partnership with some of the nation’s leading companies that gives NAFTrack certified graduates tangible advantages in the hiring process.

Together, all of these improvements show that investment and innovation have enhanced the NAF model, but more importantly, have supported our academy partners to educate and graduate college career, and future ready, highly-demanded students.

In order to assure NAF’s ability to innovate and remain leaders in addressing the dynamic education and career skill needs, NAF academies succeed with the investment of schools, students, businesses, and community leaders who believe young people deserve a high return on their education and these policies will better enable NAF to deliver on that promise.

The following details the pricing schedule for the 2017-2018 school year.

Any and all contracts signed prior to June 30, 2017 that have agreements that differ from or extend beyond the pricing term defined above will be honored.

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE**

After completing the YOP and/or Fast Track process and move to open status, academies pay a yearly membership fee to help cover the costs of the curriculum, professional development, and resources provided by NAF to support the academy as defined in the NAF Annual Membership Fee Program Guide.

Annual Membership Fee	2017-18
Per Academy Membership Fee	\$2,000
Multi-Academy / District-wide Contracts	Sliding scale based on number

**YEAR OF PLANNING (YOP) AND FAST TRACK PRICING**

Advanced planning and the engagement of all members of the academy team – from teachers to administrators to business partners – is essential to a successful academy launch. New academy sites participate in a structured development cycle called the Year of Planning (YOP). Guided technical assistance enables a school interested in starting an academy to begin the start-up process with support from NAF prior to enrolling students. The YOP pricing is an enrollment fee that supports the intensive planning process provided by NAF.

Schools that have a functioning career academy that has been using most of the NAF standards of practice, or are otherwise advanced in the planning process but wish to add new NAF academies, may submit a Fast Track Application. Upon completion of this work, academies move to open status.

The YOP pricing for the 2017-18 school year is as follows:

New Academies	2017-18
Year of Planning	\$12,000
Fast Track Application	\$4,000
Multi-Academy / District-wide Contracts	Negotiated

**NAF NEXT**

NAF Next is a capstone-learning event that brings together thought leaders and business partners with leaders from more than 600 NAF academies to experience the power of the NAF network. Significant investment has been made in this critical professional development component of the model and attendance from members of every academy is encouraged. Because of NAF’s commitment to this event, NAF supports the cost of Academy staff to attend NAF Next.

In an effort to support our partners planning and budgeting needs we are publishing the NAF Next 2017 and NAF Next 2018 policies that covers the current school year (2016-2017) and the upcoming school year (2017-2018):

NAF Next	Policy
2017 Conference	Vouchers will cover half cost of up to four room nights for two academy representatives (no travel will be covered).
2018 Conference	Vouchers will cover half cost of up to four room nights for two academy representatives (no travel will be covered).

*All pricing subject to yearly review*