



PATHWAY: COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

College and career planning free from bias—and bigger than just one educator.



All students deserve a future shaped by possibility, not limitation.

NTN's College and Career Readiness Pathway equips schools to give high school juniors and seniors step-by-step guidance toward a financially and socially rewarding future, whether that's through college, career, or a path uniquely their own. By dismantling limiting beliefs, including the idea that future planning only happens in the counselor's office, we give every student and educator a team they can trust—and turn opportunity from a privilege to a promise.

What You'll Get

- + Practical, Active Learning:**
Immediate, real-world application of best practices with built-in support for refinement.
- + A Sustainable Approach:**
Clear, structured frameworks that reduce initiative fatigue and ensure long-term instructional impact.
- + Personalized Coaching & Support:**
On-site and virtual coaching tailored to your school's specific needs.
- + Proven Strategies:**
Effective, research-backed approaches that have fostered deep learning and joyful teaching in schools across the country.

What You'll Do

- ✓ Junior Planning:**
Help juniors explore college and career possibilities and craft actionable plans to reach their goals.
- ✓ Application Support:**
Guide students as they apply to at least three institutions to maximize their options.
- ✓ Financial Access:**
Apply proven strategies that get more students to expand their options by applying for financial aid.
- ✓ Senior Transition:**
Coach seniors to confidently pursue their College and career plans and take action on their futures.

Impact

EMPOWERED EDUCATORS

87%

87% of NTN educators claim that their school structures are designed to ensure each student is aware, eligible, and prepared for post-graduation opportunities

93%

93% of educators engaged with NTN College and Career Access services agree that working with NTN makes a difference for the students it serves

ENGAGED STUDENTS



New Tech Network students **persist in college at a rate of 82 percent** compared to 74 percent nationally



Schools that received NTN's College and Career Readiness services realized a **16.5 percentage-point increase** in students completing 3+ postsecondary applications, a 19 percentage-point jump in FAFSA completion, and a 6.8 percentage-point rise in postsecondary enrollment



NTN students outperform non-NTN students and demonstrate workforce readiness skills

How It Works

Duration: 1 year

Investment: \$20-36k

What's Included:

- 3 onsite coaching days for direct, in-school support
- 10 virtual coaching sessions for ongoing guidance and refinement
- 1 day virtual leadership session
- NTN Membership, an annual membership that includes essential tools, resources, and support services

Accelerators

- Strengthening Instructional Leadership in Your School (1 or 3 days)
- Tackling Challenges Using Improvement Science (3 days)
- Learner-Centered College and Career Practices (1 or 3 days)

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"In New Tech Network schools, the students are connected with experts in the field, including members of the community that can provide them with authentic working experiences. We're sending them out the doors as juniors and seniors, to take vocational classes, dual-enrollment courses, academic and CTE courses. We're pushing them into the world a little bit, to see what careers are out there, and help them develop the skills needed for those careers."

Jerry Holtgren
NTN School Leader

Transformation should feel exciting and empowering.

Let's build a thriving school community—together.

