

## Matrix of Partner Initiatives

**National Association of Secondary School Principals**    [www.nassp.org](http://www.nassp.org)  
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As a professional organization, NASSP engages in research, policy analysis and advocacy, as well as professional development and training activities, to support and otherwise benefit its constituency of middle and high school principals. NASSP conducts research on related high school reforms and advocates for increased funding for comprehensive high school restructuring and alternative high school programs, including college access and readiness programs. As a part of its commitment to improve college opportunity, NASSP's foundation, the Trust to Reach Education Excellence (TREE), provides grants, scholarships and participates as a member of the Pathways to College Network.

	Research	Policy	Practice	Public Engagement
Innovations & restructuring	X	X		
Academic standards & assessment				
Preparation of teachers, principals & youth workers	X	X	X	
Relevant and connected learning experiences				
Alignment of secondary & post-secondary education	X	X		
Active, powerful, & knowledgeable communities				
Personalization & support for high school-aged youth	X	X		