The NNSP Annual Conference on Community & Civic Engagement is an opportunity for educators nationwide to convene and collaborate around the development of community and civic engagement programs in their schools. We will share tangible examples of how schools can integrate opportunities for students to learn about the systemic issues prevalent in their communities and our nation, connect their learning to those issues, and create a student body with the empathy, knowledge, and leadership skills to create meaningful community change.

CONFERENCE DETAILS

**Dates:** Wednesday, February 5 – Friday, February 7, 2025

**Cost:** $650 per educator (NNSP member price) | $750 per educator (non-member price) – Includes all sessions, presentations, and lunches.

**Location:** Washington, DC area hotel – Hotel block information will be provided in the fall.

**Register:** Please register here.

**More Information:** Please check out our webpage for more information, faqs, and how to submit a proposal for presentation.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

In addition to the programming, there will be opportunities to network with like-minded professionals, growing both your cross-sector understanding as well as your appreciation for the value of this work. The 2025 NNSP Annual Conference will culminate with students from the NAIS Student Civic Leadership Summit sharing their vision and strategies of how to make a difference in their communities.

Sample Sessions:

- **Unlocking Engagement:** Principals of good practice for community-engaged learning and it’s impact on K-12 education.
- **Expanding purpose:** Empowering educators to drive tangible change for student engagement and community impact.
- **Reflective Service Learning:** Enhancing education through real-world experiences and strategic reflection practices.

ABOUT US: The National Network of Schools in Partnership (NNSP), a division of the Close Up Foundation, is dedicated to fostering student agency and leadership, purposeful real-world learning, and community and civic engagement. By designing curricula, adapting existing resources, and fostering innovative ideas, NNSP helps schools bridge the gap between classroom education and real-world experiences, empowering students to become impactful community members.