VISION

All learners find pathways to success through the independence, innovation, and diversity of our schools, creating a more equitable world.

MISSION

As the largest association of independent schools, NAIS co-creates the future of education by uniting and empowering our community. We do this through thought leadership, research, creation and curation of resources, and direct collaboration with education leaders.

VALUES

THINKING INDEPENDENTLY
We believe in independence and its power to inspire excellence.

LEADING CHANGE
We imagine possibilities and innovate to strengthen the education landscape.

EMBRACING DIVERSITY
We welcome and encourage diverse identities and perspectives.

CHAMPIONING INCLUSIVITY
We affirm the rights of every individual to belong and flourish.

EMPOWERING COMMUNITY
We address complex issues through collaboration and advocacy.