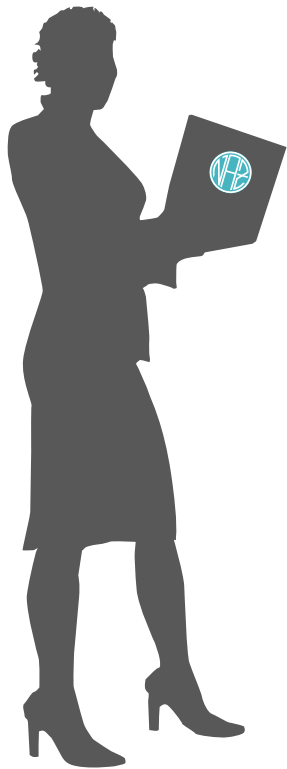


FAMILY SUPPORT SPECIALISTS

The Family Support Specialist partners directly with NAZ parents by empowering and providing them with “high-touch” support. This allows parents to set and achieve goals in housing and career/finance, increasing their economic and housing stability so their scholars succeed academically.



CONNECTIONS

Specialists ensure warm handoffs and strong connections to partner programs and resources.

COACHING

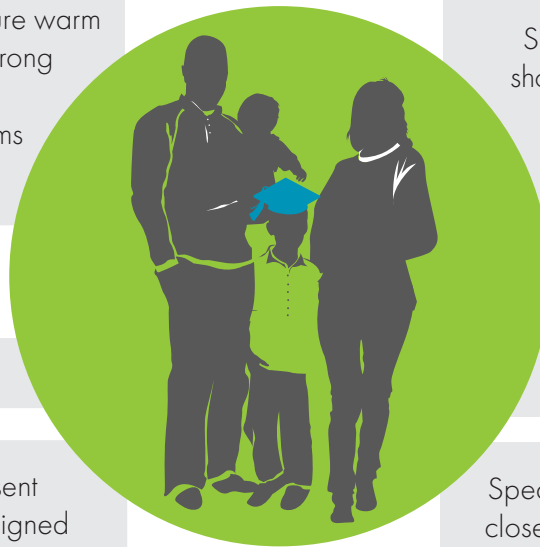
Specialists provide short-term coaching support along the way.

OPPORTUNITY

Specialists present opportunities aligned with their goals as the family chooses how best to move forward.

NETWORK

Specialists collaborate closely with other NAZ staff and NAZ partners within the NAZ ecosystem.



THE SPECIALIST TOOLKIT

Specialists maintain a list of information to ensure that families are fully informed on what resources and opportunities our partners offer. This could include career pathways, information and referral to affordable housing, or other community resources related to their goals.

DO YOU HAVE A FAMILY INTERESTED IN PARTNERING WITH A SPECIALIST? CONSIDER THESE QUESTIONS:

- What is their goal?
- What have they accomplished so far?
- Are there any possible barriers?
- What are their strengths?

