Aerospace Education Programs Sponsorship Opportunities
AFA believes in the power that students hold in securing our nation’s future. Yet, only 16% of American high school seniors are interested in careers in science, technology, engineering or math (STEM). We are part of the nationwide initiative to improve STEM learning—including aerospace education—to better prepare our future leaders to handle our nation’s toughest challenges. Join the fight as an Aerospace Education sponsor and create momentum for the future of aerospace!

**KEY AFA AEROSPACE EDUCATION INITIATIVES**

**Scholarships** – AFA invests in the future of our nation by proudly awarding more than $50,000 annually in scholarships to Airmen, their families and cadets.

**Arnold Air Society & Silver Wings Development Programs** – AFA helps cultivate the next generation of Air Force and civic leaders by supporting Arnold Air Society & Silver Wings cadets through professional development, grants, internships, scholarships, awards and more.

**Cadet Recognition and Awards Programs** – AFA supports future leaders in ROTC, JROTC and Civil Air Patrol through awards, medals and grant programs.
Pitsenbarger Awards – AFA works with base education offices around the world to recognize exceptional enlisted Airmen on their graduation from the Community College of the Air Force with plans to pursue a bachelor’s degree.

Educator Grants – AFA’s Educator Grants program promotes aerospace education and STEM activities in k-12 classrooms across the country. Each year, we make a lasting difference in thousands of students’ lives by helping make these STEM projects a reality.

Teacher of the Year Program – AFA believes in recognizing the hard working teachers who change lives through STEM education. Our Teacher of the Year program honors the best of the best at the local, state and national levels.

CyberPatriot - AFA is proud to operate CyberPatriot, the premier national youth cyber education program created to inspire students towards careers in cybersecurity or other STEM disciplines critical to our nation’s future. Direct funding opportunities are available at www.uscyberpatriot.org.

StellarXplorers – AFA’s StellarXplorers Program inspires high school students to pursue studies and careers in STEM fields through a challenging space system design competition involving all aspects of system development and operation with a spacecraft/payload focus. Direct funding opportunities are available at www.stellarxplorers.org.

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## Sponsorship Benefits

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- **Company logo displayed on AFA’s Aerospace Education website**
- **Sponsor recognition through AFA’s Social Media Channels, AFA’s Annual Report and to AFA’s 200 chapters located around the globe**
- **Air Force Association Education Programs “Proud Sponsor” logo for your company’s website and marketing materials**
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- **Opportunity to serve as presenting sponsor of one or more Aerospace Education programs**
- **Volunteer opportunities for team members to serve as judges for education programs**
- **Sponsor recognition on all Aerospace Education applications**
- **Opportunity to provide materials to AFA National Convention of 200 delegates from around the country**
- **Sponsor recognition from stage during AFA’s Air, Space & Cyber Conference Opening Ceremony**

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