

STEM FACILITATION MICRO-CREDENTIALS DIGITAL BADGES



Recognizing facilitators who use practices that result in the high-quality STEM programs that produce positive youth outcomes.

WHAT IS A MICRO-CREDENTIAL? A micro-credential is a short, competency-based recognition that allows individuals to demonstrate mastery in a particular area.

WHAT ARE DIGITAL BADGES? Digital badges are shareable visual representations of a micro-credential or other achievement, which may be displayed in online resumes, email signatures, social media platforms, and in other creative ways.

STEM FACILITATION MICRO-CREDENTIALS AVAILABLE



**Creating Informal
STEM Learning
Environments**



**Promoting
Purposeful STEM
Activities**



**Engaging Youth
in Active STEM
Learning**



**Ensuring Equitable
Participation in
STEM**



**Establishing STEM
Identity and
Relevance**



**Creating a Positive
STEM Learning
Atmosphere**



**Ensuring STEM
Content Learning**



**Encouraging STEM
Practices**



**Facilitating STEM
Reflection and
Connections**



**Encouraging Youth
Voice in STEM**

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

Recognizes learning achievements | **Shows** competency to employers, peers and others | **Displays** achievements through a variety of digital platforms

WHO'S INVOLVED?



BADGE EARNERS

BADGE CONSUMERS

BADGE ISSUERS

Employers, education providers, communities, or other groups with a need to verify skills and achievements.

Individuals who want to demonstrate a complete and verifiable picture of their knowledge, competencies and achievements.

As the professional association for the afterschool field, NAA promotes high standards of quality through professional development, awards and other forms of recognition.