**POLICY NO**: POL050

**TITLE: NEGOTIATED PRICING AGREEMENTS** 

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## **GENERAL**

The Purchasing Office has negotiated **special pricing** agreements with a variety of suppliers for specific commodities and services. These agreements **assure low and/or competitive prices** are available. As the need arises the Purchasing Office will assist departments that choose to take advantage of these arrangements.

## **EDUCATIONAL AND INSTITUTIONAL COOPERATIVE**

As a member institution of the National Association of Educational Buyers (NAEB) Roger Williams University is a member of the Educational and Institutional Cooperative. The cooperative is a national organization which establishes national and regional contracts at affordable prices.