

Helping schools lower energy costs, improve the learning environment and achieve energy goals.



## Additional grants and energy efficiency funding for School Uplift alumni

### TVA STEM Grant – Available till September 15

We have an additional funding opportunity for School Uplift alumni that you can take advantage of now! **Click the link below to apply for TVA’s STEM Classrooms Grant of up to \$5,000.** Applications are due Sept 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

[Apply for a TVA STEM Grant](#)

## Want to save more energy? Apply for our standard energy efficiency incentives!

TVA EnergyRight for Business & Industry provides financial assistance on energy-efficient upgrades to help business and industrial customers in the Tennessee Valley improve their bottom line and reach their energy goals.

### Current incentive offerings

= Eligible new installations of these measures could be in a new building, addition to a building or new equipment in an existing building.

<p><b>HVAC</b> (Energy Efficiency)</p> <p>\$80/ton – HVAC equipment replacements</p> <p>✂ \$175/ton – A/C units with CEE Advanced Tier efficiencies</p> <p>✂ \$250/ton – HVAC replacements with VRF and dual fuel heat pumps</p>	<p><b>Custom</b></p> <p>Up to \$0.12/kWh</p>	<p><b>Outdoor &amp; indoor lighting upgrades to LED</b></p> <p>\$0.10/kWh</p>
<p><b>Refrigeration</b></p> <p>\$50/EC motor</p> <p>\$200/evaporator fan controller</p> <p>✂ \$100/linear ft – open cases</p> <p>✂ \$200/linear ft – medium &amp; low temperature cases</p>	<p><b>Fast track lighting</b></p> <p>\$4.00/tube – 4 ft T8 LED tube replacements</p>	<p><b>Electric forklift class 1 &amp; 2</b></p> <p>✂ \$1,000/leased</p> <p>✂ \$2,000/purchased</p>
	<p><b>Variable Speed Drives (VSD)</b></p> <p>\$100/Horsepower (HP)</p>	<p><b>Thermal ice storage</b></p> <p>✂ \$9.00/ton-hour (partial)</p> <p>✂ \$11.00/ton-hour (full)</p>

### How do I apply for incentives?

You will first need to contact a member of the Preferred Partners Network (PPN) by one of the methods below. The PPN is a network of TVA-vetted trade allies specializing in energy efficiency projects who are available to facilitate your incentive application.



#### Find a Contractor

Access our online directory of trusted PPN members. Select a single PPN to get started.

[Find a contractor](#)

#### Request Expert Solutions

Submit a brief project description to request a response from multiple PPN members who can address your specific needs.

[Request multiple bids](#)



## For more details on project timeline, rules and requirements, check out our flyer!

To speak with an operations representative, you can call us toll free at 866-233-0450, or email us at [tvabusinessincentive@tva.gov](mailto:tvabusinessincentive@tva.gov).

[Incentive offerings flyer](#)

## Help us spread the word!

### Now recruiting schools for the 2025-26 school year



Know of any K-12 schools in your district that have not participated and would be interested in bringing School Uplift to their school? Raise your hand, we want to hear from you!

Each participating school will earn \$10,000-\$200,000 by engaging in energy efficiency education and implementing cultural shifts around daily energy use.

#### What School Uplift offers:

- One year (May-April) of energy efficiency programming and building strategic energy management routines in your building
- Monthly guidance by an Energy Coach
- Curriculum enrichment and engagement resources
- Student leadership opportunities (yes, students can carry much of this program!)
- Real-world energy education
- Two Funding Opportunities: Learning Environment Grant (included with program completion) and Building Energy Upgrade Grant (need-based)

## Have any recommendations?

Click the button below to share School Uplift with potential participants or email your recommendations to [TVASchoolUplift@trcompanies.com](mailto:TVASchoolUplift@trcompanies.com).

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