

P-12 Schools

Green and Clean Energy Solutions



REDUCE
annual energy
expenditures

INCREASE
comfort and
productivity

REDUCE
maintenance time
and costs

Ready to get started?

Schools or any authorized representative may apply.

Learn more about Green and Clean Energy Solutions and apply at nyscrda.ny.gov/P-12-GCES

For questions or free application assistance, reach out to P12Schools@nyscrda.ny.gov

Reduce energy waste and save money with healthier, more sustainable schools

The P-12 Schools: Green and Clean Energy Solutions Program provides funding for eligible pre-kindergarten through grade 12 (P-12) schools to reduce school energy use and assist in the transition to cleaner heating and cooling technologies.

Schools are eligible for up to \$250,000 for energy studies to reduce energy use as well as up to an additional \$250,000 to support the design of clean heating and cooling systems or net zero designs.* Schools are also eligible for direct incentives for projects that reduce energy use through eligible mechanical, equipment, and building envelope efficiency efforts.

Complimentary services

Schools participating in the program will receive complimentary services including free benchmarking and free clean heating and cooling screenings. Benchmarking serves as a tool to measure and track the impact of financial investments against energy use and greenhouse gas emissions, while screenings provide a free evaluation for investments in clean heating and cooling technologies including ground source heat pumps (GSHP), air source heat pumps (ASHP), and variable refrigerant flow (VRF) systems.

Eligibility

Schools may be public or private. Schools must be located in New York State and pay into the System Benefits Charge on their electric utility bill.

Apply district-wide

One application may be submitted for multiple buildings or projects across a single district.

Use your own service providers, or ours

The first step for energy studies or design assistance is to select a service provider that is well suited to your needs. NYSERDA can provide a list of FlexTech Consultants that possess a range of expertise. Want to use your own consultant? No problem.

* NYSERDA will share the cost of eligible Energy Studies and/or Clean Heating and Cooling and Net Zero design on a 75-25 basis, up to \$250,000 per project.



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