

# EARN UP TO \$10,000 FOR YOUR SCHOOL

## TECHNICAL SCHOOL GRANT PROGRAM

The Technical School Grant Program provides the opportunity to earn extra funding to give your students enhanced, real-world experience with propane, to better prepare them for the jobs of tomorrow. The Propane Education & Research Council (PERC) will provide up to \$10,000 to selected applicants. Please note funding is limited. Each school is eligible for one grant.

## WHO CAN APPLY

Educational institutions (career centers, technical schools, community colleges, etc.) in the United States that are willing and able to expand their curriculum to include propane-specific material and install propane appliances and equipment in their lab for hands-on education.

## HOW IT WORKS

1. Complete the online application and get approved.
2. Find a Propane Advisor.
3. Complete pre-program paperwork.
4. Acquire the required items.
5. Attend an in-person Train the Trainer event.
6. Teach!
7. Complete an end-of-program report.
8. Teach again next year, and the year after that!

## HOW TO APPLY

Visit [www.propane.com/TechSchoolGrant](http://www.propane.com/TechSchoolGrant) to learn more, determine eligibility, and apply.

## IMPORTANT DATES

Application period: September 1 - December 31, 2023

Selections announced via email: January 2024

Instructional period: 2024 Calendar Year

Train the Trainer: Summer 2024



# PROGRAM DETAILS

High schools are eligible for a **\$5,000** grant to incorporate the eight-hour *Overview of Propane Distribution Systems* curriculum and accompanying list of appliances and equipment. This is a condensed, foundational propane systems program.

- Three pressure measuring devices.
- Liquid leak detector solution.
- Gas pipe, tubing, and fittings samples.
- Propane hydrometer and supply source cylinder.
- Personal protective equipment.
- One propane gas appliance.
- A propane supply tank, regulator(s), and gas piping.

\*Details of these appliances and materials in Program Guidelines

Technical schools and community colleges are eligible for the **\$5,000** program or a **\$10,000** grant for the 80-hour *HVAC and Plumber Technical Training* curriculum and accompanying list of appliances and equipment.

- Three pressure measuring devices.
- Liquid leak detector solution.
- Gas pipe, tubing, and fittings samples.
- Propane hydrometer and supply source cylinder.
- Personal protective equipment.
- One Category One propane gas appliance.
- One Category Three propane gas appliance.
- One Category Four propane gas appliance.
- Four venting components.
- A propane supply source, regulator(s), and gas piping.

\*Details of these appliances and materials in Program Guidelines



Propane-Specific Curriculum



Professional Tools & Equipment



Propane Appliances

## QUESTIONS?

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### PERC will provide:

- A propane regulator test and demo training board with a propane regulator cutaway.
- Grant level-specific curriculum with instructor tools.