

# 2010/2011 Energy Efficiency Grant Proposal

Maine Energy Education Program (MEEP) and Maine DEP offer student grants to fund energy efficiency projects in schools. To be eligible for this competitive grant you must:

- Be a k-12 student group
- Have done some kind of energy analysis of your school. (Preference given to groups who participate in the MEEP Energy Efficiency Investigation.)

You will need to submit:

1. This grant **proposal** that specifies what you are applying for and how much it will cost.
2. A **report** that details your work (methodology), results and recommendations.

**Refer to the rubric** to see what kind of projects we are looking for and how to tailor your report for this grant application. The report is a very important part of the scoring system to award money. In most cases, student groups will need to earn a "3" in each category to be funded.

The **proposal** (see next page) must be returned by mail or electronically no later than:

- **April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

You can find a copy of the electronic proposal at [www.meepnews.org](http://www.meepnews.org). There are no length requirements for the **report**, which should accompany this proposal.



MEEP offers a toolkit and introductory presentation if you would like help getting started on an energy saving project in your school.



**Projects that are funded must be implemented by the end of the school year.**

You will see on the proposal we are requiring a signature or some recognition of support from the school/district to let us know that if you are awarded money, they will support the project and facilitate the transfer of funds.

Submissions may be emailed to Stefany Gregoire, at [stefany@meepnews.org](mailto:stefany@meepnews.org), faxed to 287-7641 or mailed to:

Stefany Gregoire  
Maine Energy Education Program  
17 State House Station  
Augusta Maine, 04333-0017

If you have any questions about the proposal, report or the project, please contact Stefany.

We will consider proposals in the range of \$500 to \$1,000.

# 2010/2011 Energy Efficiency Grant Proposal

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's phone + email \_\_\_\_\_

What is the total dollar amount that you are applying for? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your proposal for?

---

---

---

Where will you be purchasing the items needed for your project and who will install them?

---

---

---

If you sought additional funding or incentives (such as Efficiency Maine) please list that here along with the amount of funding.

---

---

---

The Principal or someone at the district office must sign here (or submit a letter of support) to acknowledge their support this project and agree to work with MEEP/DEP to facilitate the transfer of funds and implementation of the project.

---

\*Extra: List estimated CO<sub>2</sub> savings & monetary *payback* for your project.

---

---

---

---

**Hint:**

1 kWh of electricity =  
.9lbs of CO<sub>2</sub>  
1 gallon of #2 fuel oil =  
22.38 lbs of CO<sub>2</sub>  
1 CCF of Natural Gas =  
12.06 lbs of CO<sub>2</sub>  
1 gallon of propane =  
12.67 lbs o CO<sub>2</sub>

Please provide your report in addition to this application.