



Applying for EPA's 2023 Clean School Bus Grants



The Green Transportation Program (GTP) is helping school districts in Washington apply for EPA's 2023 Clean School Bus Grant Program funds. This is an unprecedented opportunity to help get clean vehicles into school district fleets.

The EPA has identified about 70 districts in Washington for prioritized status to receive greater financial assistance.

Let's work together to put these resources to the best use for Washington students. We invite you to reach out to the GTP at greentransportation@energy.wsu.edu to discuss your project and brainstorm ideas. We provide focused assistance on issues identified by school district transportation teams.

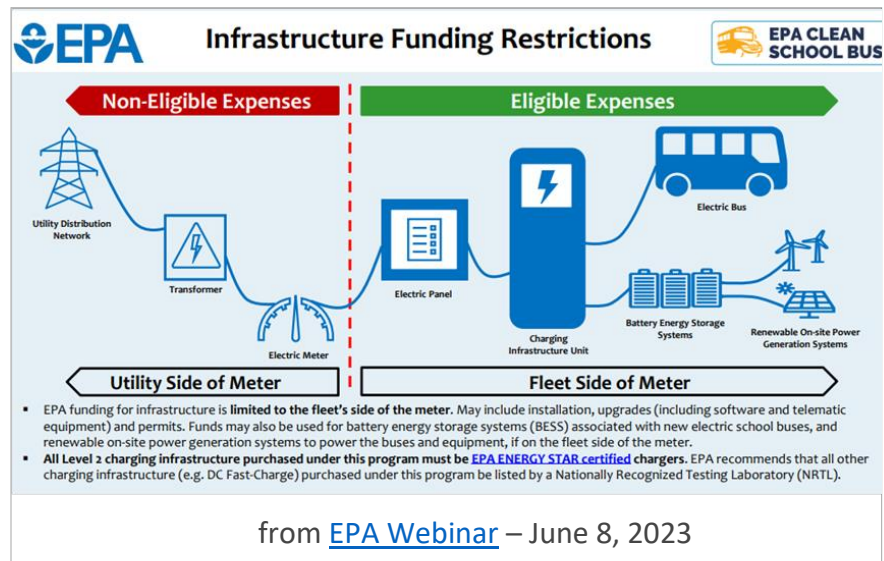
Application information

See [Clean School Bus Grants](#) for key eligibility requirements, application process details, and much more.

- **Deadline:** Tuesday, August 22, 2023, at 8:59 p.m. (PDT)
- **Details:** Visit the [Clean School Bus Program website](#)
- **Updates:** [Sign up](#)
- **More information:** Email cleanschoolbus@epa.gov

Resources and webinars

- [Notice of Funding Opportunity](#) provides essential details to help you determine if this opportunity is right for your school district, including:
 - Minimum number of buses that must be requested in each sub-program – p. 11
 - Eligible replacement school buses – p. 17
 - Eligible charging infrastructure – p. 18
- [2023 Clean School Bus Program: Grant Application Assistance](#) provides in-depth resources, information, and tools, including:
 - A sample project narrative, example budget table, and templated information
 - Key dates, process information, and priority district details
 - Resources to help determine if this round of funding is right for your district



For more resources, visit: [Washington's Green Transportation Program](#)



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- [Clean School Bus webinars](#) provide an opportunity to ask questions and get clarification about the application process.
 - [Slides and recordings from previous informational webinars](#)
- [World Resources Institute Electric School Bus Initiative – Grant Application Assistance](#)
- [To Apply, Or Not? EPA's New Grant Program, Deciphered](#) – newsletter (May 11, 2023)
- [Infrastructure funding restrictions](#) – [EPA webinar](#) (June 8, 2023)

Accounts required for school districts to submit applications

- **Current registration with the federal System for Award Management (SAM):**
 - In April 2022, the unique entity identifier used by the federal government changed from the DUNS Number to the Unique Entity ID.
 - The Unique Entity ID is assigned by [SAM.gov](#).
 - Visit [SAM.gov](#) to check the status of your organization's SAM registration.
- **Access to Grants.gov:**
 - Register with [Grants.gov](#) well ahead of the deadline—this process can take a month or more.

