## POWER FORWARD IN EDUCATION.



Improve your energy report card with help from PSO.

Each year, America's K-12 schools spend more on energy than on computers and textbooks combined.<sup>1</sup> That adds up to more than \$6 billion annually, and up to 30 percent of that money is wasted due to energy inefficiency. Imagine what Oklahoma's school districts could achieve by making sensible efficiency improvements.

## STUDY YOUR OPTIONS FOR REDUCING COSTS.

PSO offers tools to help school districts cut energy costs, including:

- Rebates. PSO can help pay for specific improvements including lighting, HVAC upgrades, occupancy sensors and more.
- Total Building Tune-Up. We can help optimize your existing equipment for more efficient performance while increasing the life of your building's systems.
- Peak Performers. Earn cash incentives for voluntarily reducing peak energy usage.
- Master Energy Planning. Let PSO benchmark your facilities. We'll help you find ways to establish and achieve long-term energy management goals.

## A LESSON PLAN IN EFFICIENCY:

Follow these low-cost tips to save energy.

- Turn off lights in empty rooms.
- Stagger equipment run times to reduce peak usage.
- Adjust temperatures. A few degrees can make a big impact on energy costs.
- Use power strips to control office equipment and reduce phantom load.
- Educate staff about the importance of saving energy.

Nationwide, schools spend an average of \$181.53 per student on energy costs alone. By making efficiency upgrades and following ENERGY STAR® guidelines, Davenport Community School District in Iowa reduced per-student spending to just \$88.46, saving the district more than \$1 million in three years.¹

## HOW MUCH CAN YOU SAVE WITH HELP FROM PSO?

Do the math at PowerForwardWithPSO.com. Or call 888.776.1366 to learn more.

<sup>1</sup> http://www.energystar.gov/ia/business/challenge/learn\_more/Schools.pdf



