



# Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc. & Touchstone Energy 2023/2024 Classroom Empowerment Grant Application

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

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

School Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone Number (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Electric Cooperative Territory: **Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc**

Name of Project Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility** is limited to schools located in Tri-County Electric Cooperative service areas. Teachers and administrators of K-12 public and private schools may apply. Eight \$500 grants will be awarded. For more information about Touchstone Energy, log on at [www.touchstoneenergy.coop](http://www.touchstoneenergy.coop). Touchstone Energy and Tri-County Electric Cooperative reserves the right to photograph the grant winners and use the photos for publicity purposes. Projects must be completed by the time school is out for the summer. Incomplete entries will be deemed ineligible and will not be judged. **Recipients must provide written proof of completion detailing how the grant funds were used within six months of the project's completion.**

**Deadline:** Application forms must be received by your local electric cooperative by mail, e-mail or fax no later than **November 10, 2023**. Awards will be announced mid-December 2023.

**For additional questions, please call Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc. (618) 244-5151 or e-mail Lynn Hutchison at [lhutchison@tricountycoop.com](mailto:lhutchison@tricountycoop.com).**

**Mail grant applications to:**

**TCEC, Attn: Lynn Hutchison, 3906 Broadway St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864.**

### **Judging Process:**

Applications will be reviewed by an impartial panel of judges. If necessary, applicants may be contacted for additional information.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Teacher or Administrator)

*If I receive the grant, I pledge to follow all completion requirements and provide written proof of completion within six months of my project's end.*