



Pennsylvania Grant Program – Ensuring Access to Menstrual Products

1. This grant program will provide period products in public schools at no cost.
2. **Qualifications:** school districts, intermediate units, career and technical centers as well as brick-and-mortar charter schools
3. **Timeline:** Effective Fall 2024
4. **Funding:** \$3 million grant in the 2024-25 fiscal year



Success in education hinges on a student's ability to focus. No students who menstruate shouldn't be unable to attend school due to financial barriers or insufficient access to necessary menstrual hygiene products. This grant program will support schools in obtaining menstrual supplies and dispensing devices, ensuring that students have the essential tools to succeed in their academic pursuits.

“By providing free period products in schools, we are reducing stress for young people and making sure they can learn without more unnecessary distractions.”

- Pennsylvania's First Lady Lori Shapiro