

Request for Proposal
For
Air Conditioning Units
For
First and Second Floor

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Growing evidence demonstrates that heat impairs student learning and negatively impacts school morale. A potential policy solution is investing in air-conditioning. High temperatures have been found to decrease productivity in both teachers and students. Hot classrooms may prevent children from learning effectively, and teachers from teaching effectively, due to discomfort, exhaustion, or slowed cognition. High temperatures may also lead to increased absenteeism in schools ([Randell and Gray, 2016, 2019](#)). Classroom air conditioning is also one of the many aspects of educational inequality.

Understanding the budget and facility constraints, we have sought out alternative affordable options. We had Prisco Appliances and Planet TV and Appliance both come out to Amani and give us an estimate on the type of work and cost it would take to put air conditioners in the classrooms on the first floor and second floor.

Prisco Appliances: \$16,250

Planet TV and Appliance: \$12,955

Specifics

- Window Units
- Bracket Supports
- Plexiglass filler
- 15 large units
- 2 small units
- Delivery and Installation

**It does not appear to be a need for additional electrical work so this is the cost.



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