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Energizing Education: OG&E Donates Supplies to Sapulpa Teachers

Electric utility provides over \$100,000 in classroom materials to local schools



Sapulpa educators receive free school supplies at OG&E's teacher pop-up shop.

SAPULPA (Aug. 19, 2022) – With the new school year beginning, it's time to stock up on school supplies. However, many families struggle to afford school materials, and too often teachers end up paying out-of-pocket for those critical classroom supplies. To alleviate this financial burden on Sapulpa educators, Oklahoma Gas & Electric (OG&E) hosted a free teacher pop-up shop on Aug. 15, 2022 at Sapulpa High School to ensure local teachers have the supplies they need for their students to succeed.

Volunteers from the electric utility, as well as representatives from Sapulpa Public Schools, distributed important school supplies like paper, binders, scissors, glue and more to teachers in the Sapulpa area.

"A quality education requires quality supplies, and with this generous donation, we can now provide that to our kids," said Megan Cannon, STEM coordinator at Sapulpa Public Schools. "It's such a relief to not have to worry about purchasing these materials on our own, and we are so thankful that OG&E is investing in our students!"

Over the next few weeks, OG&E volunteers and representatives will host additional pop-up shops across the service area, providing over \$100,000 of vital school supplies to multiple Oklahoma school districts. This is the third year OG&E has hosted teacher pop-up shops.

"Every student deserves access to the tools they need for a successful school year, and that responsibility shouldn't fall on our teachers alone" said Tammy Taylor, OG&E community affairs manager. "It is extremely important to invest in our community, and this often starts with our youngest community members. Our pop-up shops are just one way OG&E shows its commitment to energizing education."

All donated supplies for the teacher pop-up shops are purchased from Shawnee-based South Central Industries, a nonprofit that employs individuals with developmental disabilities.

"OG&E generosity and commitment to Sapulpa education is so impactful," said Rob Armstrong, Sapulpa Public Schools Superintendent. "Because of the donated school supplies, our teachers don't have to use their own resources on classroom necessities and can instead focus on providing an amazing education for our students. We're thrilled our classrooms will be well-equipped for this school year!"

Donating resources to classrooms is just one example of OG&E's commitment to educational stewardship. Whether it's scholarships, classroom project funding or student safety programs, OG&E is dedicated to education investment. For more information on how the organization supports Oklahoma schools, visit oge.com/education.

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