

The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) offers the following two grant opportunities to purchase equipment to support Career and Technical Education and Dual Credit programs. Those grants are the Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) grant and the Dual Credit grant. While these grants share similarities, they are in fact separate grants with some differing criteria. Please see the breakdown below if you are considering which grant to apply for.

Note: applying for one grant does not disqualify an applicant from applying for the other.

	JET Grant	Dual Credit Grant	Dual Credit Healthcare Grant
<b>Who can apply</b>			
Public Independent school districts	Yes	Yes	No
Open enrollment charter schools	Yes	No	No
Windham School District	Yes	No	No
Public Junior/Community Colleges	Yes	Yes	Yes
Public Technical Colleges	Yes	Yes	Yes
Public State Colleges	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>What does grant pay for</b>			
New equipment purchases	Yes	Yes	No
Equipment repairs	No	Yes	No
Replace existing equipment	No	Yes	No
Tuition, Certification Costs, & Curriculum	No	No	Yes
<b>Programs Supported</b>			
New programs	Yes	Yes	Yes
Existing programs	No	Yes	Yes
Expanding programs	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Grant requirements</b>			
Must lead to a license, certificate, or credential	Yes	Yes	Yes
Supported by at least one employer	No	Yes	No
Supports a High Demand Occupation	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dual Credit is a requirement	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Funding &amp; Budget Information</b>			
How much funding is available each year?	Approx. \$15 Million	Approx \$1.3 Million	Approx. \$3 Million
What is the funding source?	TWC General Revenue	TWC Skills Development Fund	Skills Development Grant
What is the minimum amount awarded?	\$40,000	No minimum	No minimum
What is the maximum amount awarded?	\$350,000	\$220,000	\$300,000
Grant is a reimbursement program.	Yes	Yes	No
<b>Application Information</b>			
High Demand Confirmation Form must be signed and included with application	No*	Yes	Yes**
How many applications can an entity submit?	One	One	One
Is there an application resource kit?	Yes	No	Yes
<b>Program Information</b>			
Website	<a href="http://twc.texas.gov/JET">twc.texas.gov/JET</a>	<a href="http://twc.texas.gov/services/education/dual-credit">twc.texas.gov/services/education/dual-credit</a>	
*High Demand Board Confirmation Forms are only required with a JET Grant application if the Applicant opts to apply for an SOC which is not included in Attachment 1- Pre-Approved SOC by WDA List.			
**A Local Workforce Board Review Form is required with all Dual Credit Healthcare applications.			