



Seattle City Light

# COMMUNITY Connections

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## Energy Heroes Program Reaches Record Numbers in 2024-2025 School Year

The Energy Heroes educational program had an amazing 2024-2025 school year! We reached over 5,185 students in 47 schools, expanding our reach into new communities. Since 2008, this program has offered hands-on learning about electrical safety and renewable energy, with a focus on equity and environmental education. This year, we held more workshops in underserved communities and provided materials for students who speak multiple languages. The Energy Heroes program is growing and helping to create a generation that understands energy, equity, and sustainability. We're excited to reach even more students in the future. If you're interested in bringing this program to your school, please get in touch!

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## Spotlight



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Seattle weather changes quickly this time of year. It can go from sunny skies to sudden storms in no time. Stormy conditions increase the chance of power outages in our area. To help you stay prepared, we have tips and resources to keep you safe, comfortable, and informed during a storm. If you experience an outage, check our outage map for the latest updates on affected areas, estimated restoration times, and other important details.

**Stay Prepared**

## PLUGGED IN



### Plugged In

Our third annual Electric Car Guest Drive event showcased an increasing interest in electric vehicles. We offered 160 test drives of popular EV models, such as the Hyundai Ioniq 5, Ford Mustang Mach-E, and Volkswagen ID.4. The event highlighted the attendees' strong inclination towards adopting electric transportation, with over two-thirds of surveyed participants expressing a high likelihood to purchase an electric vehicle.

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## POWERFUL Tips



### Powerful Tips

Back-to-school season is a great time to rethink how we use electricity. From morning routines to evening homework, small changes can make a difference. Simple steps like using lighting and appliances more efficiently, unplugging devices when they're not in use, and adjusting thermostat settings can go a long way. Explore our tips to help lower your electricity bills, make daily life easier, and contribute to a more sustainable future.

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