BACK TO COOL

A SCHOOL OF THOUGHT ON HVAC





ENERGY COSTS ARE A MAJOR BUDGET LINE ITEM FOR SCHOOLS; OFTEN SECOND ONLY TO SALARIES.

NATIONALLY, K-12 SCHOOLS SPEND MORE THAN

\$8 BILLION

A YEAR ON ENERGY



ENERGY BREAKDOWN

54% HVAC

20% Lighting

19% Water Heating

7% Other

BETTER ENERGY CAN SAVE AN ESTIMATED

\$2 BILLION PER YEAR

AN EQUIVALENT COST OF NEARLY

NEW TEXTBOOKS

BETTER AIR QUALITY
MEANS BETTER HEALTH



IMPROVED AIR QUALITY
REDUCES ILLNESS BY 40%
ON AVERAGE

BETTER AIR QUALITY MEANS BETTER ATTENDANCE



IMPROVED AIR QUALITY CAN REDUCE ABSENTEEISM RATES BY AS MUCH AS

15%

BETTER COMFORT MEANS BETTER PERFORMANCE



ENERGY EFFICIENCY IS DIRECTLY RELATED TO ALL-AROUND SCHOOL PERFORMANCE



MODULATION
TECHNOLOGY
DELIVERS A HIGHER
LEVEL OF COMFORT
AND BETTER AIR
QUALITY AT LOWER
OPERATING COSTS

CONSISTENT
TEMPERATURE AND
HUMIDITY CONTROL



WHETHER IT'S 100 KIDS IN THE GYM OR 25 IN THE CLASSROOM ON AVERAGE

MODULATION TECHNOLOGY

CAN REDUCE ENERGY

COSTS BY



VERSUS MINIMUM
EFFICIENCY SYSTEMS
WITH FIXED CAPACITIES



Modulating compressors and variable speed fan

VS



Single-stage compressor and single speed fan

GET MORE "PAYBACK" INSTEAD OF "PAYING UP"

OLD OR INEFFICIENT
EQUIPMENT MAY NOT
MEET CODES OR
STANDARDS AND
COULD RESULT IN
LOST SCHOOL DAYS



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EQUIPMENT FAILURE
CAN RESULT IN MORE
COSTS THAN PLANNED
IMPROVEMENTS

STEPS SCHOOLS CAN TAKE FOR BETTER ENERGY PERFORMANCE



GET SYSTEMS CHECKED REGULARLY



UPGRADE TO
PROGRAMMABLE
THEMOSTATS FOR
BETTER ROOM CONTROL
TEMPERATURE



CLEAN AIR SUPPLY
DIFFUSERS, REGISTERS,
OUTSIDE AIR INTAKES
AND FILTERS



KEEP RECORDS OF ENERGY USE AND MAINTENANCE