



# Community Solar at Olympia High School

Puget Sound Energy opened its first-ever Community Solar site on the roof of Olympia High School in November 2021. Solar panels at this site generate 100-percent local solar energy sent directly to the grid, where it can be used to help power the homes of PSE customers right here in Thurston County.

The Olympia School District is a leader in its commitment to educating students on the importance of renewable energy and sustainability. This site contributes to its mission of encouraging students to be stewards of the environment and provides opportunities for further education.

Through the Community Solar program, PSE customers can subscribe to shares of new solar energy installations located on the rooftops of publically owned buildings and other properties throughout PSE's service area. It's one way PSE is working together to create a clean energy future for all.



## Community Solar at OHS by the numbers

**532**

Number of solar panels installed on the roof of gym at Olympia High School

**260,030**

Estimated kWh of electricity generated annually

**22,416,149**

Number of smartphones that could be charged with its annual output

**204,680**

Pounds of coal that would need to be burned to generate that amount of electricity



More than 500 solar panels were installed on the roof of Olympia High School as part of Puget Sound Energy's first Community Solar project.



Representatives from Puget Sound Energy and the Olympia School District cut the ribbon on the completed Olympia High School Community Solar site in November 2021.

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