



E-Rate

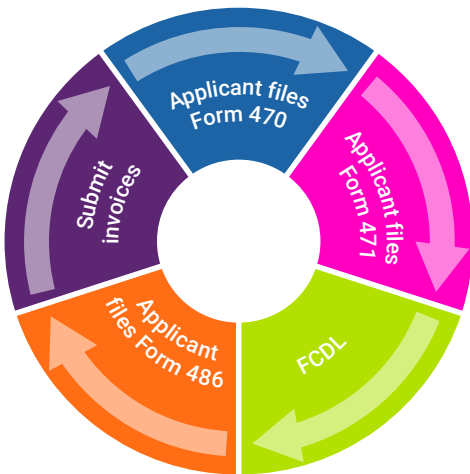
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What is E-Rate?

The Schools and Libraries Program of the Universal Service Fund, commonly known as **E-Rate**, offers funding for broadband and networking solutions to most public schools and libraries in the United States. Depending on the recipient organization's location and level of need, E-Rate provides eligible K-12 schools and libraries discounts ranging from 20-90% toward the cost of qualifying equipment and services.

The basic E-Rate cycle



Eligible items

- Access points
- Switches
- Wireless controller systems
- Routers and modems
- Firewalls (including services and components)
- UPS battery backups
- Racks, cables, and mounting equipment
- Internal broadband distribution software

Why SHI Public Sector?

SHI Public Sector offers cost-effective and compelling Category 1 and 2 services and products under E-Rate. We help you maximize E-Rate funding to achieve your specific needs and empower learning in your community. SHI's dedicated E-Rate team consists of tenured Senior E-Rate Program Managers, OEM experts, and agnostic data center and networking professionals who will guide you through the breadth of technology options available through E-Rate. We support the application process and enable easy procurement and implementation of all equipment and services purchased with E-Rate funding.

SHI Public Sector at a glance



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