



Active Innovation Grants

Company Name	Start Date	End Date	Award Amount	Project Description
Eastern Idaho Electrical JATC	11/1/2025	10/31/2026	\$149,903.00	The Eastern Idaho Electrical JATC project will reduce financial barriers, add advanced training technology, and expand hands-on learning to strengthen Idaho's electrical workforce. It will support 89 apprentices with tools, materials, and VR training, all of whom will earn industry credentials and enter employment within 60 days.
Far + Wise	1/1/2025	12/31/2026	\$250,005.00	Far + Wise will expand its Trade and Vocational Camps to at least 30 camps serving 180 students, and launch four pre-apprenticeship programs with training and paid internships for 40 high school students and recent graduates in key local industries.
Global Talent (Jannus)	1/1/2026	12/31/2027	\$250,000.00	Jannus's Global Talent program will help internationally experienced professionals overcome employment barriers through coaching, credential support, and employer-partner internships, connecting participants to high-demand fields across Idaho.
Idaho Business for Education (IBE) Youth Apprenticeship (YAP)	6/1/2024	5/31/2027	\$1,250,013.41	Idaho Business for Education's Youth Apprenticeship Program will expand registered apprenticeships statewide by recruiting employers and youth ages 16–24, supporting them through enrollment, and connecting schools and employers through the EcoSystem platform. All apprentices receive on-the-job training and related instruction, and the program will serve 300 youth.

Idaho Manufacturing Alliance	1/1/2026	12/31/2027	\$339,284.00	Idaho Manufacturing Alliance will create a pre-apprenticeship program for 250 high school students across six schools, preparing them for careers in manufacturing, semiconductors, and advanced technologies. The program will include industry-recognized credentials, employer engagement, internships, and a career matchmaking platform. Of the 250 students, 200 will earn credentials and 140 will enter employment within 60 days.
Idaho Out-of-School Network (ION, Jannus)	2/1/2024	1/31/2027	\$950,546.30	Jannus's Idaho Out of School Network will train 250 teens and adults for careers in child development, education, and STEM through pre-apprenticeships, on-the-job training, and mobile makerspace activities. The program will provide 20 hours of training to 150 youth placed as STEM Ambassadors and 20 hours to 100 current staff, with all trainees gaining hands-on experience and workforce-aligned skills.
Idaho Outfitters & Guides Association	4/1/2026	3/31/2028	\$74,965.00	The Idaho Outfitters and Guides Association will relaunch the Professional Guide Institute to provide statewide training in communication, interpretation, and resource stewardship for outdoor guides. The program will offer an online curriculum developed with industry partners and train 150 individuals, all earning industry credentials and entering employment within 60 days.
IDOC Idaho Falls Community Reentry Center	6/1/2026	5/31/2027	\$10,000.00	The Idaho Department of Corrections will create a computer classroom at the Idaho Falls Community Reentry Center to build digital skills for justice-involved individuals. The space will support individualized coaching, digital literacy, online learning, and career-connected training. The project will serve about 300 people each year, with most completing job-related certifications or earning recognized credentials.
Kamiah Joint School District	1/5/2026	1/4/2028	\$204,000.00	Kamiah Joint School District will train high school students for in-demand roles in welding, machining, industrial maintenance, automation, and healthcare. The project will provide industry-recognized skills through pre-apprenticeships,

				internships, and apprenticeships. It will train 80 students, with 40 entering employment within 60 days and 60 earning credentials, supported by grant-funded equipment, supplies, and stipends.
Kaniksu Community Health	4/13/2025	4/12/2026	\$23,291.18	Kaniksu Community Health will expand its Forensic Nursing Services Program by training six nurses in trauma-informed, evidence-based care, including SANE/SAFE training for full 24/7 coverage. The project will strengthen community response, improve coordination with law enforcement and support agencies, and reduce rural access barriers, with grant funds covering training and essential equipment.
North Idaho High School Aerospace Program	1/2/2026	1/1/2027	\$25,000.00	The North Idaho High School Aerospace Program will train 40 rural students in aircraft maintenance, engineering basics, airplane assembly, FAA ground school, and flight training. Students gain hands-on experience through job shadowing and building airworthy aircraft, with at least 10 entering aviation jobs within 60 days. Grant funds support a teacher stipend, airplane parts, equipment, and hangar space.
LCSC Direct Support Professional RAP	7/1/2025	6/30/2027	\$266,412.57	Lewis-Clark State College will launch an Idaho-specific, NADSP-certified DSP apprenticeship to address workforce shortages, developing a competency-based curriculum and providing mentor support. Grant funds will cover curriculum development, a training coordinator, mentor stipends, and startup costs. The program will train 40 participants over two years.
LEAP Housing	1/13/2025	1/12/2027	\$149,592.30	LEAP will deliver statewide training to help local governments create and maintain workforce housing, covering needs assessment, partnerships, resources, technical skills, and leadership. Training will be offered through workshops, technical assistance, regional cohorts, statewide calls, and customized consulting. At least 150 people will be trained.

University of Idaho (UI) IKEEP	5/1/2024	4/30/2027	\$999,988.21	The University of Idaho's IKEEP program will expand the pipeline of American Indian and Alaska Native educators by offering dual-credit courses for high school students, supporting apprenticeships for university students, and piloting an Educational Leadership cohort. The program will also provide on-site and online professional development throughout the grant, serving at least 350 participants.
Idaho Business for Education	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending
Treasure Valley Family YMCA	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending