



**Funding is now available  
to Maine businesses for  
training provided through the  
Maine Community College System  
for *new and current* workers!**

**Services provided to businesses expanding in Maine:**

- Recruitment Assistance—advertising and screening
- Pre-hire training for potential hires
- Post-hire training for new hires
- Targeted training for industry certifications
- Customized training, consultation and curriculum
- Flexible scheduling—days, evenings, weekends
- Classes delivered at your worksite or on campus

**Not expanding right now? We can help fund incumbent worker training!**

Employers with:

1-50 employees in Maine can apply for a 100% training grant

51-100 employees in Maine can apply for a 75% training grant

101+ employees in Maine can apply for a 50% grant

**Eligibility for grant:**

- Business must have a physical location in Maine
- Trainees must be Maine residents
- Trainees must be full-time employees working at facilities in Maine
- Positions must be at a skill level that would take 3 months or more to learn
- Wages and benefits must be competitive
- Training must be cost effective

**For more information:**

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[www.mccs.me.edu/business/MQC.html](http://www.mccs.me.edu/business/MQC.html)

207-699-4901

# Frequently Asked Questions

- **How do I apply for a MQC training grant?**

Apply online at [www.training.mccs.me.edu](http://www.training.mccs.me.edu) or call us at 207-699-4901 to have an application mailed to you.

- **Is there a deadline to apply?**

There is no deadline to apply. Grants are awarded to qualifying businesses on a first come, first served basis.

- **What types of training can be funded by a MQC grant?**

Our grants cover a wide variety of courses, credit and non-credit. Our training coordinators will work with your business to help determine what training would be most beneficial to your company, and to customize the curriculum to your needs.

- **How are MQC grants funded?**

MQC training grants are state funded. Grant funded training is delivered through the Maine Community College System. No grant funds go directly to the company.

- **What if my business is not eligible for an MQC grant?**

The Maine Community College System can provide information about other training grant opportunities you may qualify for and quotes for customized employee training.

- **Who can I call with additional questions about MQC grants or to discuss an application?**

Please call Maine Quality Centers at 207-699-4901 for more information.