

K-12 Education



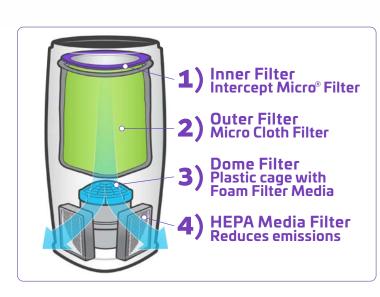




## Does your cleaning routine really work?

Approximately 13.8 million school days are missed each year due to asthma, according to the CDC National Center for Health Statistics. Students and faculty typically spend 85% to 90% of their time indoors, where pollutants are more concentrated than outdoors, sometimes by 10 or even 100 times.

Many schools receive funding based on the actual number of students in desks, and can't afford to lose attendance due to indoor pollutants triggering health issues. Evidence continues to mount that indoor air quality (IAQ) directly impacts student academic performance and health.



#### Cleaning for Health® with ProTeam vacuums

- Clean carpet and hard surfaces without stirring up dust
- The air stays cleaner, reducing the need to dust often
- Hear the difference with lower decibel levels which also reduces noise pollution

#### Experience productivity, comfort and innovation with the ProTeam GoFit® Series

Combining decades of experience, user insights and innovative engineering, the GoFit Series tackles your cleaning challenges. Vacuuming carpets as well as hard floor surfaces frequently and thoroughly with an efficient vacuum system can remove allergens and fine particles from the school environment.

**MULTIPLE MODEL OPTIONS** — 3-, 6-, 10-quart corded option with the same power and efficiency

**VERSATILE** — choose the size for your comfort and cleaning needs



**Productivity** 





Cleaning for Health



**Ease of Use** 

## Productivity savings to vacuum 100K Sq. Ft.

| PROTEAM VACUUM<br>ROI ANALYSIS  | VACUUM<br>TYPE                          | SQ. FT. PER<br>HOUR | DAILY LABOR<br>COST* | MONTHLY<br>LABOR COST | ANNUAL<br>LABOR COST |
|---|---|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 100,000 sq. ft. Facility<br>Annual Savings using a<br>ProTeam Cordless Backpack*<br>versus a 14" Upright: | 14" Upright                             | 3,075               | \$422.76             | \$9,301               | \$111,609            |
|   | ProTeam Backpack<br>w/14" Tool          | 8,195               | \$158.60             | \$3,489               | \$41,870             |
| \$89,850 / 80%  | ProTeam Cordless<br>Backpack w/14" Tool | 15,785              | \$82.42              | \$1,813               | \$21,759             |

Source – The Official ISSA Cleaning Times (www.issa.com) Used with permission. \*Based on \$13 hour average wage Source – Bureau of Labor Statistics (http://www.bls.gov/ooh/)

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of the energy and effort needed to clean the same area as an upright.



### Discover the newest in backpack vacuum technology

The GoFit Series is designed with the user in mind to accommodate users of all sizes and all cleaning needs. They feature our quick-adjust harness system for unparalleled productivity and comfort.

The GoFit Cordless units come in 3 and 6-quart sizes and are ideal for navigating freely without potential tripping hazards, offering extended runtimes with 4Ah or 8Ah batteries and a high/low power switch for tailored cleaning power.

"It is ideal for vacuuming between desks and tables. I loved using this vacuum."

Llianeth G., Atlanta, GA

### Remove and prevent facility damage

Weather conditions can also significantly affect the cleanliness and safety of a school building. Whether it's the rain causing wet floors and mud-tracked hallways or an accidental spill in the classroom, a ProGuard wet/dry vacuum can tackle these potential hazards, delivering a hygienic and hazard-free environment.

#### **Applications**

- · Entryway / Walk
  - **Extreme Weather**
- Transportation
- Emergency Spill
- Floor Stripping
- Jobsite



# Simsbury public schools rely on ProTeam backpack vacuums & high dusting kits

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In Simsbury, Connecticut, the local school district is comprised of seven schools and an administrative facility that make up over 750,000 sq. ft. of space. Steve Twitchell, Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds, oversees maintenance of that space from floor to ceiling, using ProTeam vacuums.

"ProTeam backpack vacuums are fast, affordable, and built for speed. When a custodian puts on a ProTeam backpack, they keep moving until the space is clean."

Simsbury custodians reach more areas with their High Dusting Kits. One school has a 14-foot wall of windows with windowsills that gather dust. Using the extension wands, a custodian can vacuum those windowsills with their feet safely on the ground.

It is critical to remove dust from every surface, because dust can be inhaled and trigger asthma and allergies. For Twitchell, creating healthy buildings is a top priority.

"Our ProTeam vacuums are so effective, we know we are doing our part to make our buildings healthy. The buildings look and feel so clean, people think our buildings are new."



ProTeam is a proud partner of the American Lung Association.

Together, we fight for clean indoor air so that we all can breathe easier.

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