Since 1986, the Missouri Lottery has contributed more than $2.2 billion to the state of Missouri and public education. Annual Lottery contributions comprise about 3.7 percent of the state’s funding for public education – an effort shared by local, state and federal governments. For fiscal year 2005, more than $225 million from Lottery proceeds have been appropriated to Missouri’s public education programs by the Missouri Legislature through House Bills 1002, 1003 and 1021 from the 92nd General Assembly, and House Bill 14 from the 93rd General Assembly (supplemental). The following is a list of programs that will receive Lottery proceeds.

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
$148,739,067

$112,887,149 (4 percent of total program funding)
Foundation Program
These funds help pay for day-to-day operations of school districts, including At-Risk Programs, special education, gifted education, transportation, early childhood special education, the Career Ladder Program, vocational education and early childhood development.

$16,429,631 (99 percent of total program funding)
A+ Schools Program
Through this program, high schools meet specific standards to assure their students are well prepared to pursue advanced education and employment. Students who graduate from a designated A+ School may qualify for state-paid assistance to attend any public community college or technical school in the state.

$7,768,606 (77 percent of total program funding)
Public Placement Excess Cost Program
This program was established to assist school districts in providing education services to students in residential placements through the Missouri Department of Mental Health or the Missouri Division of Family Services by paying the excess cost incurred by those school districts for educating these students placed outside the school district where their parents reside.

$4,568,630 (37 percent of total program funding)
Performance-Based Assessment Program
This program provides funding for continued development, administration and scoring of the statewide Missouri Assessment Program (MAP). The Lottery funding covers testing costs for the subjects of math and communication arts.

$4,122,368 (100 percent of total program funding)
Safe Schools Initiative
Through this program, grants will be provided to schools to make them safer. Educational programs to serve violent, disruptive and abusive students will be created to make schools safer for all students and teachers.
$1,400,000 (3 percent of total program funding)
Vocational Rehabilitation Program
This money will be used by the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation to assist clients who have disabilities to obtain employment by diagnosis, physical restoration, training, placement and other related services.

$355,893 (46.6 percent of total program funding)
College Credit Fees/Advanced Placement
This money funds courses, exams and other expenses that lead to high school students receiving college credit and Advanced Placement examination fees for low-income families.

$342,754 (85 percent of total program funding)
Maintenance/Repair State Schools
This money will support various repair projects at the state-operated schools for severely handicapped children, the Missouri School for the Deaf and the Missouri School for the Blind.

$250,000 (29 percent of total program funding)
Character Education Initiatives
These funds will provide teacher training and resources to schools to emphasize the importance of universal values such as responsibility, respect, trustworthiness, fairness, caring and citizenship.

$200,000 (100 percent of total program funding)
Future Minority Teacher Scholarships
This money will be used to help fund Missouri’s Scholarships Program for minority teacher education students in approved programs at four-year colleges or universities in Missouri.

$158,156 (24 percent of total program funding)
Missouri Scholars and Fine Arts Academies
This money will be used to help fund the Missouri Scholars and Fine Arts Academies. These two gifted academies offer opportunities for high-achieving students to participate in educational activities beyond those offered during the regular school year.

$145,000 (29 percent of total program funding)
Early-Grade Literacy
These funds provide targeted funding for professional development activities related to the early-grade literacy programs offered at Southeast Missouri State University.

$110,880 (1 percent of total program funding)
Administration Costs
These funds will help pay for general administrative expenses and equipment.
FY05 Missouri Lottery Proceeds
Missouri Department of Higher Education
$76,365,310

The following Lottery proceeds are used to fund salaries, equipment and library purchases, and institution-based student financial aid at each of the higher education locations.

$36,869,596 (9 percent of total state funding)
University of Missouri campuses (Columbia, Kansas City, St. Louis and Rolla)

$7,200,409 (9 percent of total state funding)
Southwest Missouri State University, Springfield

$5,920,132 (6 percent of total state funding)
Community Colleges

$4,985,715 (9 percent of total state funding)
Central Missouri State University, Warrensburg

$4,059,895 (9 percent of total state funding)
Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau

$3,776,109 (9 percent of total state funding)
Truman State University, Kirksville

$2,599,805 (9 percent of total state funding)
Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville

$1,768,039 (8.5 percent of total state funding)
Missouri Western State College, St. Joseph

$1,722,820 (8 percent of total state funding)
Missouri Southern State University, Joplin

$1,551,205 (9 percent of total state funding)
Lincoln University, Jefferson City

$908,704 (9 percent of total state funding)
Harris-Stowe State College, St. Louis

$420,528 (9 percent of total state funding)
Linn State Technical College, Linn
$2,750,000 (86 percent of total program funding)
Missouri College Guarantee Fund
The Missouri College Guarantee Program provides scholarships to students based on financial need and academic achievement.

$1,332,353 (8 percent of total program funding)
Workforce Preparation Projects at Community Colleges
This money will be used by community colleges to help expand their delivery of post-secondary career and vocational training, such as customized employer training.

$500,000 (50 percent of total program funding)
University of Missouri, Kansas City
These funds will be used to purchase dental equipment for the dental school on the Kansas City campus.