

# THE LANE LIST

## KENTUCKY LOTTERY PROCEEDS

**K**ENTUCKY Lottery proceeds to state government for the 10 years ending in fiscal 2018 total nearly \$2.3 billion. State law calls for a goal of 35% of total sales to be a dividend to the state budget, but some past years have been less; the other 65% goes to prizes and administration. Dividend proceeds go toward the General Fund for college scholarships and grant programs, including the KEES scholarship program. Unclaimed prize money is directed to a trust fund established to cover any shortfalls in funding to the KEES scholarship program. Overall proceeds to the state General Fund and grant and scholarship programs since the lottery's 1989 inception are nearly \$5.2 billion.

### State Government's Kentucky Lottery Receipts

FISCAL YEAR	UNCASHED TICKETS	DIVIDEND PAYMENTS
2018	\$9,841,236.93	\$253.0 million
2017	\$9,966,528.02	\$241.6 million
2016	\$8,966,357.88	\$241.8 million
2015	\$6,567,958.10	\$221.5 million
2014	\$9,861,200.66	\$219.5 million
2013	\$9,028,129.99	\$215.3 million
2012	\$7,922,770.97	\$210.8 million
2011	\$11,734,434.21	\$200.5 million
2010	\$11,589,562.77	\$200.0 million
2009	\$7,676,237.35	\$193.5 million
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$93,154,416.88</b>	<b>\$2.197 billion</b>

### How the lottery dividend is spent

The state's \$253 million lottery dividend for FY 2018 was apportioned as follows:

ORGANIZATION	AMOUNT
Ky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES)	\$106,149,200
College Access Program (CAP)	\$71,288,800
Ky Tuition Grant Program (KTG)	\$38,297,600
Ky National Guard Tuition Assistance Program	\$7,398,100
Teacher Scholarship Program	\$1,732,800
Work Ready Scholarship Program	\$15,900,000
Dual Credit Scholarship Program	\$10,000,000
Collaborative Center for Literacy Development	\$1,200,000
Reading Diagnostic and Intervention Fund	\$1,800,000
<b>Total expenditures*</b>	<b>\$253,766,500</b>

\* Funding for these programs slightly exceeded FY 2018 Lottery revenues of \$253,000,000.

- **Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES):** Merit-based scholarship; earned in high school; based on academic performance; for students graduating from a Kentucky high school and attending an eligible Kentucky public or private college. Average award in FY18: \$1,654
- **College Access Program (CAP):** Need-based scholarship for students attending an eligible Kentucky public or private college. Average award in FY18: \$1,577
- **Kentucky Tuition Grant (KTG):** Need-based scholarship for full-time students attending an eligible Kentucky private college. Average award in FY18: \$2,920
- **Kentucky National Guard Tuition Assistance Program:** Provides members of the Kentucky National Guard attending a public university or community college in Kentucky tuition assistance up to the in-state tuition rate of the institution the member attends. Those attending private postsecondary institutions receive assistance up to the average in-state tuition rate at public universities. Average award in FY18: \$6,035
- **Teacher Scholarship Program:** Need-based scholarship designed to attract highly qualified students into the teaching profession and support current Kentucky teachers who are seeking additional credentials. Recipients must agree to teach in Kentucky for a given time period, or they must repay the scholarship with interest. Average award in FY18: \$3,100
- **Work Ready Scholarship Program:** Scholarship awarded to those seeking credentials in one of Kentucky's top five high-demand workforce sectors; currently those sectors are advanced manufacturing, business services/information technology, construction, health care and transportation/logistics. Recipients must have not yet earned an associate degree or higher to be eligible. Average award in FY18: \$3,250
- **Dual Credit Scholarship Program:** Awarded to Kentucky high school juniors and seniors to earn postsecondary education credit hours while in high school. Participant institutions must offer a discounted tuition rate for such coursework, set at one-third of the KCTCS in-state hourly tuition rate. Average award in FY18: \$324
- **Collaborative Center for Literacy Development (\$1.2m), Reading Diagnostic & Intervention (\$1.8m):** Programs administered by the Department of Education

Sources: Ed Ross, state controller; John Chilton, state budget director.