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How Virginia's Education Benefits from Lottery Profits

Q: Lottery profits don't really go to schools, do they?

A: Yes they do! All profits raised by the Virginia Lottery go to K-12 public schools. That's not an option—it's the law. Virginia's constitution requires the state to use every penny it gets from the Virginia Lottery for K-12 public schools.

Q: If Lottery profits really go to schools, then why do schools still need money? I thought the Lottery was taking care of it.

A: Some people are surprised to hear that Lottery funds are a relatively small piece of a much larger pie. The $486.5 million that the Virginia Lottery raised in fiscal year 2013 was only about 8 percent of the total state education budget.

Q: So, Lottery profits go to schools, but what happens if the state takes that money away?

A: The Lottery raises money for public education and then hands it over to the state. From there, it's up to the state government on how to delegate the funds.