



# School Finance & Governance Update

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# **Presentation Topics**





- Budget Update
- Federal Relief Funding
- Attendance Reporting
- Emergency Waivers



# **Budget Update**

# State Revenue Update



FY 2022 collections as of October 19:

Individual Income Taxes	-15.0%
Sales Taxes	+20.3%
Corporate Income Taxes	-16.4%
All Other	+9.0%
Refunds (deduct)	-10.1%
Net General Revenue	-7.6% (approx\$261.5 M)

 Removing \$783.8 M in deferred FY20 revenue from FY21 translates into a net increase of 19.6% (+\$522 M)

# SAT, DVM and Threshold Percentages



State Adequacy Target (SAT) = \$6,375

Dollar Value Modifier (DVM) for can be viewed at http://dese.mo.gov/financial-admin-services/school-finance/data-reports

#### Threshold Percentages

	FY 2021 & FY 2022	FY 2023 & FY 2024
Free & Reduced-Price Lunch	29.45%	30.95%
Special Education (IEP)	12.83%	13.11%
Limited English Proficiency (LEP)	2.07%	2.29%

# Pending Payment Adjustments

- FY 2022 funding impacted by FY 2021 attendance:
  - Prop. C, Classroom Trust Fund, Small Schools Grant
- § 163.021(4), RSMo. provides relief:

Whenever there has existed within the district an infectious disease, contagion, epidemic, plague or similar condition whereby the school attendance is substantially reduced for an extended period in any school year, the apportionment of school funds and all other distribution of school moneys shall be made on the basis of the school year next preceding the year in which such condition existed.

## Classroom Trust Fund

- Classroom Trust Fund is one funding source of Basic Formula
- Be careful not to double budget



#### FY 2022 Classroom Trust Fund





For every \$10 million shortfall in receipts, compared to the appropriation, the amount per ADA adjusts by -\$12 per ADA

# FY 2022 Prop C

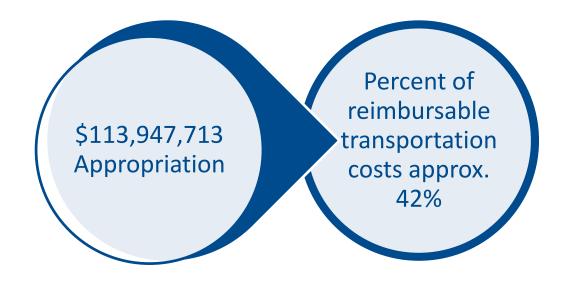




Each \$10 million variance from the appropriation level impacts the amount per WADA by approximately \$11.

# FY 2022 Transportation Funding





Transportation is paid on the prior year's ASBR data

# **Budget Information and Resources**



#### **Basic Formula Calculation Tool**

http://dese.mo.gov/financial-admin-services/school-finance/calculation-tools

#### Finance Topics & Procedures

http://dese.mo.gov/financial-admin-services/school-finance/finance-topics-procedures

#### **School Finance Memos**

http://dese.mo.gov/financial-admin-services/school-finance/school-finance-memos

#### The State Auditor's Office Tax Rate Calculation

https://auditor.mo.gov/property-tax-calculators



# **Federal Relief Funding**

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**Current Status** 

\$182,231,124 Distributed

\$15,273,686 Distributed

\$8,655,755 Distributed

\$276,463,417 Distributed

Grant Programs Released Aug. 31

State Application Approved Oct. 7

**Awaiting Appropriation** 

<b>COVID Relief Funds Summary</b>
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**LEA Allocations** 

\$192,131,014

\$20,399,380

\$15,258,661

\$784,055,062

\$12,145,405

\$1,762,124,659

Grant

Elementary & Secondary School

Missouri Student Connectivity -

Connections (ESSER I & GEER I)

Elementary & Secondary School

Elementary & Secondary School

Emergency Relief III (ESSER III)

Emergency Relief II (ESSER II)

Governor's Emergency

Education Relief II (GEER II)

**Transportation Supplement** 

(GEER I)

Emergency Relief (ESSER I)

**Grant Purposes** 

**COVID Response** 

**Student Devices** 

**Extra Transportation Costs** 

**COVID Response** 

**CTE Programs** 

**COVID Response** 

# **Current/Closed Grant Efforts**

- ESSER I
- ESSER II
- GEER I Transportation
- GEER I/ESSER I Missouri Student Connectivity: Connections
- GEER II Parent Reimbursement
- GEER II Career Center Equipment & Enhancement
- GEER II JAG Alternative School
- Missouri Postsecondary Advising
- Teacher Recruitment & Retention
- USDA Child Nutrition Emergency Operational Cost Reimbursements
- CARES K-12 Support
- Emergency Worker Childcare
- Student Connectivity: Access
- COVID-19 Response Supply Reimbursement
- Transportation for Meal Delivery

### **Future Grant Efforts**

#### **Appropriations Needed**

- ARP ESSER III
- ARP Homeless I
- ARP Homeless II
- ARP IDEA Part B
- ARP IDEA Part B Preschool
- ARP Summer Learning
- ARP Afterschool
- Instructional Resources

### Reminder

Federal Relief Funds Webinar October 22, 2021 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

(Recording to be Distributed)





# **Attendance Reporting**

# Attendance Flexibility



- Alternative Methods of Instruction § 171.033, RSMo.
  - Inclement weather, utility outage, contagious disease
  - LEAs must have an approved plan
  - Notify parents on the day of implementation
  - □ Limited to 36 hours per year

Note: AMI-X rule has expired

# Student COVID-19 Quarantines



- Qualifies as Homebound
- Options to claim attendance
  - 5 hours one-on-one instruction
  - Live remote participation through video
  - Use of AMI methodology on an individual student basis (added 7/30/2021)



# **Emergency Waivers**

# **Emergency Waivers Remaining**



- Use of School Buses Section 163.161.1, RSMo
- Retired Member of PSRS Working for a District Sections 169.560.1 and .2, RSMo
- Retired Member of PEERS Working for a District — Section 169.660.2, RSMo











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