School LAND Trust Program
Annual Statewide Distribution 2001-2021

The School LAND Trust Program, established by the legislature in 1999, distributes a portion of the annual earnings from the permanent State School Fund through districts and charter schools to all public schools in the state. School Community Councils or Charter Trust Land Councils in each school prepare a plan to address the school’s greatest academic needs with the distribution. Local School Boards and Charter Authorizing Agencies approve the plans in the spring, and schools with approved plans receive funding in the summer for the next school year. Plans for the upcoming school year and reports on expenditures and plan implementation are reviewed by school boards annually. Funding for the program flows through the local education agency business administrators and goes through the same audit procedures as other school funding.

2019-20 Distribution   $82,663,051
Planned 2020-21 Distribution*   $88,830,000

Average Distributions for the 2019-20 School Year
An average elementary school received $68,000
An average middle/junior high school received $106,000
An average high school received $138,000
An average charter school received $74,000
The average per pupil distribution was $125