

# A+ Schools Program

Presented

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# Program Overview

- Outstanding Schools Act of 1993
- Students who graduate are well prepared to pursue advanced education and employment
- Reduce the dropout rate
- Raise academic expectations by eliminating general-tracking courses
- Provide career pathways for all students
- Work closely with business and higher-education leaders to better prepare students for after graduation

How does A+ benefit our students?

- TWO YEARS TUITION & FEES PAID BY THE STATE TO ANY MISSOURI COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL!!
- INTRINSIC REWARDS FOR BOTH THE TUTORS AND STUDENTS BEING TUTORED!

# Student Requirements

- Written agreement
- Attend a Designated A+ High School
- Graduate with a 2.5 Cumulative GPA
- Overall Attendance of 95%
- Perform 50 Hours of Unpaid Tutoring
- Maintain Good Citizenship
- Good Faith Effort to Secure Funding (FAFSA)
- Register for Selective Service

# After Graduation.....

- Attend a MO Community College or Technical School
- Full Time Student
- Maintain a 2.5 GPA
- Make a Good Faith Effort Each Year to Secure Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA)

Students may delay these funds up to a max of FOUR years from the day of graduation.

# TUTORING

- Classroom Tutoring
- Drama Kids
- Early Childhood Lab
- FFA Farm Field Day
- Mark Twain Science Club
- RMS Tutoring
- Wyman ABC Program
- Special Events
- Math Counts



# GOT DATA?

- 430 Students Currently Enrolled

## 2007-2008 School Year

- 510 Students Enrolled
- 7999.54 hours for 07-08 year  
13040.2 cumulative hours for grades 9-12
- 1.5% Drop-out Rate

## 2007-2008 Senior Class

106 Eligible—38 Plan to Use Funds

\$1.2 million in Scholarships

8537.25 Total Tutoring Hours

3.40 Avg GPA

96.85% Attendance

67.88 Avg Hours per Student

# Conclusion

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME!!