FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, THIS CHILD WAS DYING FOR A GOOD EDUCATION.



disease that robs our youth of an opportunity to grow, prosper and contribute. Simple functions like reading the classified ads, writing a check, even comprehending a warning sign become monumental tasks with disastrous implications.

But we're winning the fight against this plague. Dedicated educators, concerned parents, a responsive community and a school system that works have helped turn the corner.

And the Maryland State Lottery has been proud to have been part of this effort.

Since 1973, more than \$510 million dollars have been given to the General Fund by the Maryland State Lottery Agency to aid in education. We believe that's where the smart money really is.

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