

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK FIELD TRIP GIVEAWAY OFFICIAL RULES

NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT OF ANY KIND NECESSARY TO ENTER TO WIN

GIVEAWAY PERIOD: The Ohio Lottery Teacher Appreciation Week Field Trip Giveaway runs from Sunday, September 1, 2024, at 12:00:00 AM through Monday, March 10, 2025, at 11:59:59 PM.

ELIGIBILITY: The Giveaway is open to teachers who are nominated for Teacher of the Month through the Ohio Lottery's Partners in Education program. Any nomination submitted for Teacher of the Month from September 1, 2024, at 12:00:00 AM through March 10, 2025, at 11:59:59 PM will be eligible for the drawing. Each teacher is allowed one entry in the drawing. The Ohio Lottery Commission ("Sponsor"), Marcus Thomas LLC ("Administrator"), their employees, successors, affiliates, prize suppliers, and advertising and promotion agencies, and each of their respective parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, and their respective agents, representatives, officers, directors, shareholders and employees (collectively, "Releasees"), and each of their immediate family members (e.g., spouse, parents, children and siblings, and their respective spouses, regardless of where they live) and individuals living in the same households as each of these individuals, whether related or not, of the above are not eligible to enter or win.

SPONSOR AND ADMINISTRATOR: The Sponsor of this Giveaway is the Ohio Lottery Commission, 615 W. Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44113 along with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, 2045 Morse Road, Columbus, Ohio 43229. The Administrator of this Giveaway is Marcus Thomas LLC, 4781 Richmond Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44128.

HOW TO ENTER:

Submit a Teacher of the Month nomination from Sunday, September 1, 2024, at 12:00:00 AM through Monday, March 10 at 11:59:59 PM to automatically be entered into a bonus drawing for the "Giveaway". There will be a bonus drawing conducted in March following the eligibility period to determine the winner.

ENTRY PERIODS:

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DETERMINATION AND NOTIFICATION OF WINNER:

There will be one (1) winner selected and five (5) alternates. If the teacher can accept the award in conjunction with approval from the building principal, then the selected teacher will win a field trip through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) to an Ohio State Park or designated area along with a \$500 gift card for the school. The gift card is given to the teacher's school by the Ohio Lottery. The principal of the school where the teacher is employed will be contacted by the Ohio Lottery Marketing Representative. If the principal approves that the teacher can accept the field trip and the school will accept the \$500 gift card, the Ohio Lottery Marketing Representative will contact the teacher to inform them that they are a winner of the Teacher Appreciation Giveaway. If the principal states that the teacher is not able to accept the award, the first alternate

on the list will be selected as the winner. This process will continue until a winner is confirmed. The winning teacher for the Giveaway will be contacted by the Ohio Lottery Marketing Representative once approval is granted from the building principal where the teacher is employed. The Ohio Department of Natural Resources will arrange, facilitate, and accompany the teacher and students on the field trip. The teacher will schedule the field trip to an Ohio State Park or designated area with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources. The field trip must be taken by the end of the current school year; the school year varies by date per school.

SPONSOR'S DECISIONS FINAL AND BINDING: The results of the Giveaway, all decisions by the Sponsor, Administrator, its agents or judges related to whether an Entry complies with the Official Rules, and the interpretation by Sponsor or its agents of these Official Rules are final and binding on all entrants and other participants as to all aspects of this Giveaway.

PRIZES: For the entire promotion there will be one winner.

The prize will be a field trip to an Ohio State Park or designated area for the winning teacher and their class and a \$500 gift card for the school provided by the Ohio Lottery. The winner (teacher) will be announced on both the Ohio Lottery and Ohio Department of Natural Resources social media platforms during the week of May 5-9, 2025.

The teacher will schedule the field trip with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources. The school will be responsible for scheduling and arranging the bussing/transportation and any associated costs with transportation and/or substitute teacher(s). The school will be responsible for obtaining all applicable parent or guardian permissions.

ODDS: The odds of winning a prize depend upon the total number of eligible Entries received and the number of prizes.

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION: By entering, entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules, including all eligibility requirements and the decisions of the Sponsor and Administrator and their employees, which are final and binding. By entering the Giveaway or accepting a prize, each winner irrevocably consents to the use of his/her name, address (city and state), image, likeness, photograph, voice and all other material submitted with the Entry, and biographical material for advertising, publicity and promotional purposes by Sponsor, or party designated by the Sponsor, in any and all media now known or hereafter devised including, but not limited to, the internet, worldwide, in perpetuity, without additional compensation, notification or permission, except where prohibited by law. By entering, you irrevocably agree to release and hold harmless Administrator or Sponsor, together with their officers, employees, agents, and members, from any claims, actions, injury, loss or damage of any kind including, but not limited to, personal injury or death, resulting, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, from participating in this Giveaway or from the acceptance, possession, or use or misuse of a prize, or from Sponsor or Sponsor's designees' use of a winner's image, likeness, photograph, voice or biographical material. This limitation of liability is a comprehensive limitation of liability that applies to all damages of any kind, including (without limitation) compensatory, direct, indirect or consequential damages; loss of data, income or profit; loss of damage to property; and claims of third parties. Entrants agree that Releasees have not made nor are in any manner responsible or liable for any warranty, representation or guarantee, statutory, express or implied (including, but not limited to, the implied warranties of merchantability, title and fitness for a particular purpose), in fact or in law, relative to

the Giveaway. Entrants agree that they have full legal right to submit all information, images and other materials submitted as part of the Entry.

GENERAL: Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel or suspend part or all of this promotion at any time without notice for any reason, including if in the opinion of the Sponsor, its agents or judges there is any suspected or actual evidence of electronic or other tampering with any portion of the Giveaway; or if any technical issues, bugs, nonauthorized human intervention or other causes corrupt or impair the administration, security, fairness or integrity, and proper play or submission of Entries of the event. In the event of cancellation or termination, Sponsor may, at its sole discretion, void any Entries it suspects are at issue and award the prizes in a random drawing from among all nonsuspect, eligible Entries received up to the time of cancellation (or earlier date determined in the Sponsor's sole discretion if cancellation occurs after the close of the Event Period). Sponsor may at its sole discretion void any Entries that it considers to be in bad taste. Sponsor's failure to enforce any term of these Official Rules shall not constitute a waiver of that or any other provision. Sponsor reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify entrants who violate these Official Rules or interfere with this Giveaway in any manner. If an entrant is disqualified, then the Sponsor reserves the right to terminate that entrant's eligibility to participate in the Giveaway (and void all associated Entries).

DISPUTES: By submitting an Entry, entrant agrees that: (a) any and all disputes, claims and causes of action arising out of, or connected with, the Giveaway or any prize awarded shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, and exclusively by the appropriate court located in the state of Ohio; (b) any and all claims, judgments and awards shall be limited to actual out-of-pocket costs incurred, including costs associated with entering a Giveaway, but in no event attorneys' fees or expenses; and (c) entrant waives the right to claim any damages whatsoever including, but not limited to, punitive, consequential, direct or indirect damages. All issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Terms and Conditions, entrant's rights and obligations, or the rights and obligations of the Sponsor in connection with the Giveaway shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the state of Ohio, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law rules (whether of the state of Ohio or any other jurisdiction), which would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdiction other than the state of Ohio.

WINNER Name: The winner's name will be revealed on the Ohio Lottery and Ohio Department of Natural Resources' social media during Teacher Appreciation Week, May 5-9, 2025.