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SIX KANSAS SCHOOLS MAKE HIGH MARKS AS EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senator Bob Dole today announced that six Kansas schools have been chosen for the Department of Education's Secondary School Recognition Program, 1984-85.

The Kansas Schools selected for this program are: Sante Fe Trail Junior High School, Olathe; Meadow Brook Junior High School, Shawnee Mission; Robinson Middle School, Topeka; Seaman High School, Topeka; Sumner Academy of Arts & Sciences; Kansas City; and Salina High School South, Salina;

"I am pleased the Department of Education has noted the high caliber of these Kansas schools. The administrators, parents and teachers who have worked together to build these schools into the fine educational institutions that they are deserve a pat on the back for their efforts."

The schools were judged on the basis of their outstanding performances in such areas as curriculum, school climate, teacher and pupil incentives and national test scores. Out of 509 schools across the country that were nominated for the program, 212 schools were actually chosen.