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**Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Alabama’s School Grant Program  
Awards almost \$325,000 in Grants to Address Childhood Obesity**

**BIRMINGHAM, AL** – In our commitment to help prevent childhood obesity, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Alabama’s Be Healthy School Grant Program is awarding \$324,200 in grants to 33 schools statewide benefitting 15,004 students in grades K through sixth for the 2019 - 2020 school year. Each school is receiving a grant up to \$10,000. The grants are for the implementation of school-based health and wellness programs, emphasizing increased exercise, nutrition education and parental involvement during the school year.

*Congratulations to the following schools receiving grants for the 2019-2020 school year:*

<u>School</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>County</u>
Appalachian High	Oneonta	Blount
Belgreen Elementary	Russellville	Franklin
Brent Elementary	Brent	Bibb
Brewbaker Primary	Montgomery	Montgomery
Cahaba Elementary	Trussville	Jefferson
Coosada Elementary	Millbrook	Autauga
Dixie Elementary	Opelika	Russell
Double Springs Elementary	Double Springs	Winston
Eura Brown Elementary	Gadsden	Etowah
Fruitdale High	Fruitdale	Washington
Green Acres Middle	Birmingham	Jefferson
Greensboro Elementary	Greensboro	Hale
G.W. Trenholm Primary	Tuscumbia	Colbert
Headland Middle	Headland	Henry

Jackson Intermediate	Jackson	Clarke
Jackson Steele Elementary	Hayneville	Lowndes
Lincoln Elementary	Lincoln	Talladega
Lynn Elementary	Lynn	Winston
MacMillan International Academy	Montgomery	Montgomery
Mary B. Austin Elementary	Mobile	Mobile
Mt. Olive Elementary	Mt. Olive	Jefferson
Odenville Elementary	Odenville	St. Clair
Pearl Haskew Elementary	Irvington	Mobile
Piedmont Elementary	Piedmont	Calhoun
Pike County Elementary	Brundidge	Pike
Robinson Elementary	Birmingham	Jefferson
Speake School	Danville	Lawrence
Striplin Elementary	Gadsden	Etowah
University Charter School	Livingston	Sumter
Valley Jr. High	Jasper	Walker
Webb Elementary	Webb	Houston
West Decatur Elementary	Decatur	Morgan
Woodstock Elementary	Woodstock	Bibb

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