

Funded: Kansas Report

A Detailed Look at Kansas's Funding Policies



Kansas

Funding Basics

Formula Type

Kansas has suspended its student funding formula. School districts currently receive funding in the form of a block grant.

Base Amount

Kansas has suspended its student funding formula and does not currently use a base amount. School districts currently receive funding in the form of a block grant.

Expected Local Share

Kansas has suspended its student funding formula. School districts currently receive funding in the form of a block grant.

Student Characteristics

Grade Level

Kansas has suspended its student funding formula and does not currently differentiate funding based on students' grade levels. School districts currently receive funding in the form of a block grant.

English Language Learner

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Student Poverty

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Special Education

Kansas funds special education using a partial reimbursement system, in which districts report their special education expenses to the state and receive reimbursement for a portion of those expenses.

The state reimburses districts for three types of expenses associated with implementing students' special education plans: transportation (reimbursed at a rate of 80%), special teachers (reimbursed based on the amount appropriated, distributed in proportion to the percentage of the state's special education teachers employed in each district), and catastrophic costs (reimbursed at a rate of 75% of costs above a threshold equal to twice the per-teacher entitlement from the prior year). There is also a small amount of money set aside to compensate districts for losses due to an adjustment in school-based Medicaid payments.

Gifted

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Career and Technical Education

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Community Characteristics

District Poverty

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Sparsity and/or Small Size

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For a complete list of primary sources, please see the appropriate state page at funded.edbuild.org

