



Financial Aid Programs at a Glance

Federal & State of Kansas

All award ranges and terms subject to change by federal, state, and/or institutional guidelines. There are typically school specific aid programs available. Please check with the school(s) in which you are interested for more funding opportunities.

*Due to limited funding, schools may establish a priority date for filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to be considered for these awards.

Name	Terms	Available to	How to apply
State of Kansas Scholarship	No repayment	KS resident undergraduates working on a first degree who are designated state scholars; limited funding.	File Kansas Student Aid Application (www.kansasregents.org) by May 1; pay appropriate fee. File the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Kansas Ethnic Minority Scholarship	No repayment	KS resident undergraduate minority students working on a first degree; limited funding.	File Kansas Student Aid Application (www.kansasregents.org) by May 1; pay appropriate fee. File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Multiple Kansas Teacher Scholarships	Requires commitment to teach in Kansas	KS resident undergraduates and graduates seeking initial teacher certification; limited funding	File Kansas Student Aid Application (www.kansasregents.org) by May 1; pay appropriate fee. File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Private Scholarships	Varies by donor	All students attending or planning to attend college	Varies by donor
Federal Pell Grant	No repayment	Undergraduates working on a first degree	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant*	No repayment	Pell eligible undergraduates working on a first degree	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Kansas Comprehensive Grant*	No repayment	KS resident undergraduates working on a first degree	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Academic Competitiveness Grant	No repayment	Pell eligible undergraduates in their first two years of study	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov and meet general eligibility requirements.
National Science and Mathematics Access to Retain Talent Grant	No repayment	Pell eligible undergraduates in their third and fourth years of study majoring in specified academic programs.	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov and meet general eligibility requirements.
Federal Work-Study*	Work at a job on or off campus. Community service positions available; financial need is required	Undergraduates and graduates	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov . Answer yes to the question specifically about work-study.
Federal Perkins Student Loan*	No interest until repayment begins 9 months after leaving school; then 5% interest	Undergraduates and graduates	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Federal Student Loan (subsidized and unsubsidized; 6.8% fixed interest)	Subsidized – no interest in school; Unsubsidized – interest varies; Repayment begins 6 months after leaving school	Undergraduates and graduates	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov .
Federal Parent Loan for Undergraduates (PLUS)	Interest varies; Repayment begins 60 days after the final disbursement	Parents of dependent students	File the FAFSA at www.fafsa.ed.gov . Check with the school(s) in which you are interested about additional paperwork that may be required.
Alternative Loans	Varies by lender	Undergraduates, graduates, and international students	Information about loan programs available from the financial aid office at the school(s) in which you are interested.

Financial Aid Terms

Scholarships	Awards in this category generally do not have to be repaid. Meritorious achievement is required.
Grants	Awards in this category generally do not have to be repaid. Financial need is required.
Work-Study	Awards are earned through employment either on-campus or in the community and are paid in the form of a regular paycheck.
Loans	The borrower must repay awards in this category even if the student does not complete his/her academic program.