

MINUTES OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL FINANCE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Kathe Decker at 9:00 A.M. on March 16, 2006 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:  
Valdenia Winn- excused

Committee staff present:  
Kathie Sparks, Kansas Legislative Research  
Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Office  
Ann Deitcher, Committee Secretary

**HB 2986 - School districts; school finance.**

A motion was made by Representative O'Neal and seconded by Representative Crow to adopt New Section 21 into HB 2986. (Attachment 1). The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative O'Neal proposed the alternative amendment to New Section 27, (Attachment 2), to be adopted into HB 2986. The motion was seconded by Representative Gordon

Representative Merrick asked if this amendment would go along with his proposed amendment. (Attachment 3). Theresa Kiernan explained that there would be no conflict.

A motion was made by Representative O'Neal and seconded by Representative Decker that the alternative amendment to HB 2986 would now read "in order to adjust for regional cost differences among school districts in the state, the State Board shall make recommendations to the Governor for adjustments to the amount of state aid. In determining the amount of any such adjustments, the Board will receive it's data from the LPA studies. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representative Merrick moved that his amendment be merged into Representative O'Neal's alternative amendment to HB 2986. Representative O'Neal seconded the motion. The motion passed on a voice vote.

Representatives Crow, Flaharty and Phelps wished to be recorded as nay votes.

Regarding the density at-risk, the Chair asked for a letter to be written by Staff to the LEPC requesting that they would have the At-risk Council take a look at the density at-risk because of the complexity of the issue.

Representative Decker proposed a new act (5rs2300), concerning at-risk pupils. This bill would establish a pilot program for the creation of academies in certain school districts providing for the administration and oversight of such a program. (Attachment 4).

New Section 4 (a) was offered as an amendment to this bill. (Attachments 5 and 6).

Representative O'Neal asked staff to add in (b), another criteria under which districts could qualify and that would be at least 50% at-risk pupils. This would pick up an additional five districts, those being Elk Valley, Galena, Coffeerville, Liberal and Dodge City.

A motion was made by Representative O'Neal and seconded by Representative Crow to include this amendment to the bill. The motion carried on a voice vote.

A motion was made by Representative Decker and seconded by Representative O'Neal that this bill be adopted as amended. The motion carried on a voice vote.

Representative Decker made the motion that the moneys for this would come from high density at-risk funds.

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Representative Merrick seconded the motion and it passed on a voice vote.

Information regarding vocational ed start-up grants was provided. (Attachment 7).

Representative DeCastro moved that this amendment be made, the motion was seconded by Representative O'Neal and passed on a voice vote.

A motion was made by Representative Merrick and seconded by Representative Gordon to amend **HB 2986** to stay within the percentage that was budgeted.. This would mean adjusting it to spend the same amount of extra dollars. (Attachment 8). The motion carried on a voice vote.

It was moved by Representative Crow and seconded by Representative Phelps to approve the minutes for the meetings of March 1, 2 and 3. The motion passed on a voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:35. The next meeting of the Select Committee is scheduled for Friday, March 17, 2006.

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New Sec. 21. It is the public policy of the state of Kansas that *neither* the legislature *nor school districts* shall not be required to pay any costs attributable to meeting federal law or rules and regulations or standards adopted by the state board in conformance with such federal law unless funding to comply with such federal law, rules and regulations or standards is provided by the federal government in an amount deemed adequate by the legislature.

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New Sec. 27. Subject to the limitations for appropriations therefor, the 10 districts above 100.0 on the salary index contained in Cost Study Analysis of Elementary and Secondary Education in Kansas: Estimating the costs of K-12 Education (January 2006) reported by the legislative division of post audit shall be eligible for a grant of moneys to enhance teacher salaries in an amount to be determined by the state board of education in accordance with the recommendations of such cost analysis study.

(U.S.D. No. 500 Kansas City, U.S.D. No. 501 Topeka, U.S.D. No. 259 Wichita, U.S.D. No. 308 Hutchinson, U.S.D. No. 233 Olathe, U.S.D. No. 202 Kansas City-Turner, U.S.D. No. 231 Gardner-Edgerton-Antioch, U.S.D. No. 230 Spring Hill, U.S.D. No. 512 Shawnee Mission and U.S.D. No. 232 De Soto)

Alternative:

New Sec. . In order to provide for the differences in the cost of living among the school districts in the state, the state board shall make recommendations to the governor for adjustments to the amount of base state aid per pupil. In determining the amount of any such adjustment, the board shall use data from the national center for educational statistics, studies conducted by the board or other sources the board deems appropriate. The state board shall file such recommendations, if any, as part of the budget estimate required by K.S.A. 75-3717, and amendments thereto.

Proposed Amendment

On page 14, following line 9, by inserting:

“Sec. 16. K.S.A. 2005 Supp. 72-6449. ~~Cost of living weighting.~~ (a) As used in this section, "school district" or "district" means a school district authorized to make a levy under this section.

(b) The board of education of any district may levy a tax on the taxable tangible property within the district for the purpose of financing the costs incurred by the state that are attributable directly to assignment of the cost of living weighting to the enrollment of the district. There is hereby established in every school district a fund which shall be called the cost of living fund, which fund shall consist of all moneys deposited therein or transferred thereto in accordance with law. All moneys derived from a tax imposed pursuant to this section shall be credited to the cost of living fund. The proceeds from the tax levied by a district credited to the cost of living fund shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the state school district finance fund.

(c) The state board of education shall determine whether a district may levy a tax under this section as follows:

(1) Determine the statewide average appraised value of single family residences for the calendar year preceding the current school year;

(2) multiply the amount determined under (1) by 1.25;

(3) determine the average appraised value of single family residences in each school district for the calendar year preceding the current school year; and

(4) subtract the amount determined under (2) from the amount determined under (3). If the amount determined for the district under (4) is a positive number and the district is authorized to adopt and has adopted a local option budget in an amount equal to the state prescribed percentage in the current school year, the district qualifies for assignment of cost of living weighting and may levy a tax on the taxable tangible property of the district for the purpose of financing the costs that are attributable directly to assignment of the cost of living weighting to enrollment of the district.

(d) Except as provided by subsection (e), no tax may be levied under this section unless the board of education adopts a resolution authorizing such a tax levy and publishes the resolution at least once in a newspaper having general circulation in the district. Except as provided by subsection (e), the resolution shall be published in substantial compliance with the following form:

Unified School District No. \_\_\_\_\_,

\_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas.

RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved that:

The board of education of the above-named school district shall be authorized to levy an ad valorem

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tax in an amount not to exceed the amount necessary to finance the costs attributable directly to the assignment of cost of living weighting to the enrollment of the district. The ad valorem tax authorized by this resolution may be levied unless a petition in opposition to the same, signed by not less than 5% of the qualified electors of the school district, is filed with the county election officer of the home county of the school district within 30 days after the publication of this resolution. If a petition is filed, the county election officer shall submit the question of whether the levy of such a tax shall be authorized in accordance with the provisions of this resolution to the electors of the school district at the next general election of the school district, as is specified by the board of education of the school district.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the board of education of Unified School District No. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, (year)\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the board of education.

All of the blanks in the resolution shall be filled. If no petition as specified above is filed in accordance with the provisions of the resolution, the resolution authorizing the ad valorem tax levy shall become effective. If a petition is filed as provided in the resolution, the board may notify the county election officer to submit the question of whether such tax levy shall be authorized. If the board fails to notify the county election officer within 30 days after a petition is filed, the resolution shall be deemed abandoned and of no force and effect and no like resolution shall be adopted by the board within the nine months following publication of the resolution. If a majority of the votes cast in an election conducted pursuant to this provision are in favor of the resolution, such resolution shall be effective on the date of such election. If a majority of the votes cast are not in favor of the resolution, the resolution shall be deemed of no effect and no like resolution shall be adopted by the board within the nine months following such election.

~~(c) Any resolution adopted pursuant to this section for school year 2005-2006 shall not be subject to the provisions of subsection (d) relating to publication, protest or election:~~

(e) In each school year, each district that imposes a cost of living levy shall be provided cost of living state aid in an amount determined by the state board as provided in this subsection. The state board shall:

(1) Determine the amount of the assessed valuation per pupil in the preceding school year of each district in the state;

(2) rank the districts from low to high on the basis of the amounts of assessed valuation per pupil determined under (1);

(3) identify the amount of the assessed valuation per pupil located at the 81.2 percentile of the amounts ranked under (2);

(4) divide the assessed valuation per pupil of the district in the preceding school year by the amount identified under (3);

(5) subtract the ratio obtained under (4) from 1.0. If the resulting ratio equals or exceeds 1.0, the district is not entitled to receive cost of living state aid. If the resulting ratio is less than 1.0, the district is entitled to receive cost of living state aid in an amount the district is obligated to pay under subsection (b) by such ratio. The product is the amount of cost of living state aid the district is entitled to receive for the school year;

(6) if the amount of appropriations for cost of living state aid is less than the amount each district is entitled to receive for the school year, the state board shall prorate the amount appropriated among the districts in proportion to the amount each district is entitled to

receive:

(7) the state board shall prescribe the dates upon which the distribution of payment of cost of living state aid to school districts shall be due. Payments of such state aid shall be distributed to districts on the dates prescribed by the state board. The state board shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount due each district, and the director of accounts and reports shall draw a warrant on the state treasurer payable to the treasurer of the district. Upon receipt of the warrant, the treasurer of the district shall credit the amount thereof to the cost of living fund of the district to be used for the purposes of such fund;

(8) if any amount of cost of living state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year pursuant to the other provisions of this section is not paid on or before June 30 of such school year, then such payment shall be paid on or after the ensuing July 1, as soon as moneys are available therefor. Any payment of cost of living state aid that is due to be paid during the month of June of a school year and that is paid to school districts on or after the ensuing July 1 shall be recorded and accounted for by school districts as a receipt for the school year ending on the preceding June 30.”;

By renumbering sections;

Repealer;

Title

## HOUSE BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

By

AN ACT concerning at-risk pupils; establishing a pilot program for the creation of academies in certain school districts; providing for the administration and oversight of such program.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. As used in this act:

(a) "Academy" means an academy established pursuant to this act.

(b) "At-risk" pupil means a pupil having one or more of the characteristics established by the state board which places such pupil at risk of failure in school.

(c) "Program" means the at-risk pupil academy program established by section 2, and amendments thereto.

(d) "School district" means U.S.D. No. 259, U.S.D. No. 457, U.S.D. No. 500 and U.S.D. No. 501.

(e) "State board" means the state board of education.

(f) "State educational institution" means a state educational institution as defined by K.S.A. 76-711, and amendments thereto, which has been designated by the state board to administer the provisions of this act and to provide oversight of academies established by this act.

Sec. 2. Subject to the limitations of appropriations therefor, there is hereby established the at-risk pupil academy program. Such program shall be administered by the state educational institution designated by the state board pursuant to section 3, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 3. (a) The state board shall designate a state educational institution to administer the provisions of this act and to provide oversight of academies established pursuant thereto.

(b) The state educational institution shall establish the curriculum for academies. The curriculum shall be age-appropriate and culturally relevant to the student population of the academies. The curriculum shall provide a student-friendly educational environment that is personalized, character-based and



computer-integrated. Teachers and administrators of the academies shall meet the same qualifications of teachers who teach in public schools in the district and shall be selected on the basis of their professionalism and dedication to the success of each student attending the academy.

(c) The state educational institution and school district in which such academy is located may enter into agreements under which the district provides facilities and services to such academy. The state educational institution also may enter into agreements with other public or private entities for the provision of such facilities or services.

(d) Academies shall meet or exceed the accreditation standards adopted by the state board. Students attending an academy shall be required to take the state assessments in the same manner as students attending public schools in the district.

Sec. 4. The state board shall adopt rules and regulations deemed necessary for the implementation of this act. The state board may adopt any rules and regulations recommended by the state educational institution.

Sec. 5. (a) On or before July 1, 2007, there shall be established in each school district a middle school at-risk academy and a high school at-risk academy. Attendance at each academy shall be limited to no more than 100 pupils. The parent or guardian of any at-risk pupil who desires to attend an academy shall submit an application in the manner and form required by the state educational institution. The application shall be accompanied by any information required by the state educational institution.

(b) In order to provide a fair method of selecting pupils, the state educational institution shall establish a lottery system for the selection of pupils when the number of applications exceed the number of openings at an academy. The state educational institution shall establish the deadline for the submission of applications and a procedure for the notification of applicants of the acceptance or nonacceptance for

attendance at an academy.

Sec. 6. On or before September 1, 2006, the state educational institution shall report its progress on the implementation of this act to the legislative educational planning committee. The state educational institution shall submit other reports as requested by the chairperson of the legislative educational planning committee. On or before September 1, 2007, and each year thereafter, the state educational institution shall make an annual report on the program to the legislative educational planning committee. On or before the first day of the legislative session in 2008 and 2009, the legislative educational planning committee shall prepare and submit to the legislature a report on the program and any recommendations relating thereto.

Sec. 7. The provisions of this act shall expire on June 30, 2009.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

New Sec. 4. (a) The density at-risk pupil weighting of each school district shall be determined by the state board by multiplying the number of at-risk pupils included in enrollment of the district by .1 in school year 2006-2007, by .155 in school year 2007-2008 and by .242 in school year 2008-2009 and each school year thereafter. The product is the density at-risk pupil weighting of the district.

(b) As used in this section, "school district" means any school district which had an enrollment in the preceding school year of (1) at least **50% at-risk pupils** or (2) **at least 35.1%** of pupils who were eligible for free or reduced price meals under the national school lunch act and **at-risk pupils with** an enrollment density of at least 212.1 pupils per square mile.



At-risk

2/2/2006									
USD No.	County Name	USD Name	FTE Enroll inc4yr at risk 9/20/2005	At-Risk Students	2005-2006 Headcount	2005-06 Pct Free Meals	Additional 5% if >=44.9 and <50	Additional 9% if >50%	High At Risk Districts FTE
229	Johnson	Blue Valley	18,975.2	447	19,867	2.25%	0.0	0.0	0.0
207	Leavenworth	Ft. Leavenworth	1,536.0	59	1,643	3.59%	0.0	0.0	0.0
203	Wyandotte	Piper	1,408.0	76	1,456	5.22%	0.0	0.0	0.0
385	Butler	Andover	3,891.6	239	4,049	5.90%	0.0	0.0	0.0
458	Leavenworth	Basehor-Linwood	2,062.7	126	2,131	5.91%	0.0	0.0	0.0
266	Sedgwick	Maize	5,867.3	394	6,067	6.49%	0.0	0.0	0.0
469	Leavenworth	Lansing	2,150.5	157	2,216	7.08%	0.0	0.0	0.0
267	Sedgwick	Renwick	1,932.5	145	2,004	7.24%	0.0	0.0	0.0
232	Johnson	DeSoto	4,928.2	404	5,207	7.76%	0.0	0.0	0.0
432	Ellis	Victoria	259.3	21	269	7.81%	0.0	0.0	0.0
348	Douglas	Baldwin City	1,347.0	112	1,419	7.89%	0.0	0.0	0.0
416	Miami	Louisburg	1,472.8	124	1,536	8.07%	0.0	0.0	0.0
372	Shawnee	Silver Lake	727.8	66	759	8.70%	0.0	0.0	0.0
265	Sedgwick	Goddard	4,277.4	401	4,445	9.02%	0.0	0.0	0.0
423	McPherson	Moundridge	415.0	41	426	9.62%	0.0	0.0	0.0
230	Johnson	Spring Hill	1,639.8	173	1,715	10.09%	0.0	0.0	0.0
339	Jefferson	Jefferson County	478.2	53	497	10.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
448	McPherson	Inman	422.5	47	437	10.76%	0.0	0.0	0.0
340	Jefferson	Jefferson West	938.5	107	968	11.05%	0.0	0.0	0.0
268	Sedgwick	Cheney	752.0	92	805	11.43%	0.0	0.0	0.0
289	Franklin	Wellsville	787.0	95	824	11.53%	0.0	0.0	0.0
233	Johnson	Olathe	23,422.0	2,843	24,533	11.59%	0.0	0.0	0.0
394	Butler	Rose Hill	1,683.5	204	1,738	11.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
356	Sumner	Conway Springs	558.1	81	690	11.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
464	Leavenworth	Tonganoxie	1,640.7	201	1,706	11.78%	0.0	0.0	0.0
449	Leavenworth	Easton	691.1	86	707	12.16%	0.0	0.0	0.0
512	Johnson	Shawnee Mission	27,477.2	3,474	28,529	12.18%	0.0	0.0	0.0
264	Sedgwick	Clearwater	1,234.3	158	1,285	12.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
378	Riley	Riley County	628.0	80	648	12.35%	0.0	0.0	0.0
460	Harvey	Hesston	763.0	100	785	12.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
291	Gove	Grinnell	112.0	15	117	12.82%	0.0	0.0	0.0
306	Saline	Southeast of Saline	691.4	92	715	12.87%	0.0	0.0	0.0
375	Butler	Circle	1,476.8	199	1,526	13.04%	0.0	0.0	0.0
381	Ford	Spearville	343.0	47	355	13.24%	0.0	0.0	0.0
451	Nemaha	B & B	208.0	29	215	13.49%	0.0	0.0	0.0
442	Nemaha	Nemaha Valley	498.4	74	547	13.53%	0.0	0.0	0.0
329	Wabaunsee	Alma	452.0	64	471	13.59%	0.0	0.0	0.0
231	Johnson	Gardner-Edgerton	3,647.8	526	3,865	13.61%	0.0	0.0	0.0
425	Doniphan	Highland	238.0	34	247	13.77%	0.0	0.0	0.0
293	Gove	Quinter	319.0	46	334	13.77%	0.0	0.0	0.0
307	Saline	Ell-Saline	453.5	66	473	13.95%	0.0	0.0	0.0
263	Sedgwick	Mulvane	1,858.3	278	1,921	14.47%	0.0	0.0	0.0
450	Shawnee	Shawnee Heights	3,370.6	516	3,478	14.84%	0.0	0.0	0.0
488	Marshall	Axtell	316.5	54	357	15.13%	0.0	0.0	0.0
262	Sedgwick	Valley Center	2,424.2	382	2,518	15.17%	0.0	0.0	0.0
345	Shawnee	Seaman	3,329.9	529	3,479	15.21%	0.0	0.0	0.0
437	Shawnee	Auburn Washburn	5,103.3	813	5,315	15.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
491	Douglas	Eudora	1,288.6	210	1,347	15.59%	0.0	0.0	0.0
400	McPherson	Smoky Valley	1,005.6	166	1,064	15.60%	0.0	0.0	0.0
320	Pottawatomie	Wamego	1,280.6	209	1,337	15.63%	0.0	0.0	0.0
223	Washington	Barnes	387.1	74	470	15.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
281	Graham	Hill City	390.6	66	418	15.79%	0.0	0.0	0.0
368	Miami	Paola	2,004.7	333	2,106	15.81%	0.0	0.0	0.0
311	Reno	Pretty Prairie	289.0	48	298	16.11%	0.0	0.0	0.0
439	Harvey	Sedgwick	528.5	89	547	16.27%	0.0	0.0	0.0
422	Kiowa	Greensburg	279.0	48	293	16.38%	0.0	0.0	0.0
411	Marion	Goessel	270.0	47	279	16.85%	0.0	0.0	0.0
441	Nemaha	Sabetha	906.5	161	945	17.04%	0.0	0.0	0.0
343	Jefferson	Perry	956.5	169	991	17.05%	0.0	0.0	0.0
410	Marion	Durham-Hills	668.9	121	709	17.07%	0.0	0.0	0.0
335	Jackson	North Jackson	404.0	72	420	17.14%	0.0	0.0	0.0

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			FTE Enroll	At-Risk					High At Risk
USD			inc4yr at risk	Students	2005-2006	2005-06 Pct	Additional 5%	Additional 9%	Districts
No.	County Name	USD Name	9/20/2005		Headcount	Free Meals	if >=44.9 and <50	if >50%	FTE
396	Butler	Douglass	828.3	151	873	17.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
444	Rice	Little River	285.0	52	297	17.51%	0.0	0.0	0.0
303	Ness	Ness City	272.6	52	295	17.63%	0.0	0.0	0.0
206	Butler	Remington-Whitewater	539.0	98	555	17.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
327	Ellsworth	Ellsworth	595.8	109	617	17.67%	0.0	0.0	0.0
354	Barton	Clafin	295.0	54	303	17.82%	0.0	0.0	0.0
313	Reno	Buhler	2,129.5	400	2,238	17.87%	0.0	0.0	0.0
342	Jefferson	McLouth	541.3	101	554	18.23%	0.0	0.0	0.0
412	Sheridan	Hoxie	324.5	62	340	18.24%	0.0	0.0	0.0
364	Marshall	Marysville	754.2	147	800	18.38%	0.0	0.0	0.0
384	Riley	Blue Valley	219.1	42	226	18.58%	0.0	0.0	0.0
380	Marshall	Vermillion	541.7	106	568	18.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
359	Sumner	Argonia	204.0	40	213	18.78%	0.0	0.0	0.0
240	Ottawa	Twin Valley	633.7	125	665	18.80%	0.0	0.0	0.0
323	Pottawatomie	Westmoreland	777.0	154	818	18.83%	0.0	0.0	0.0
273	Mitchell	Beloit	748.7	150	793	18.92%	0.0	0.0	0.0
336	Jackson	Holton	1,112.0	218	1,152	18.92%	0.0	0.0	0.0
419	McPherson	Canton-Galva	400.4	81	422	19.19%	0.0	0.0	0.0
421	Osage	Lyndon	447.0	90	468	19.23%	0.0	0.0	0.0
418	McPherson	McPherson	2,369.9	478	2,478	19.29%	0.0	0.0	0.0
492	Butler	Flinthills	313.5	62	319	19.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
463	Cowley	Udall	368.7	76	391	19.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
228	Hodgeman	Hanston	69.5	14	72	19.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
321	Pottawatomie	Kaw Valley	1,085.0	222	1,140	19.47%	0.0	0.0	0.0
406	Doniphan	Wathena	380.0	77	395	19.49%	0.0	0.0	0.0
377	Atchison	Atchison County	734.3	151	768	19.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
288	Franklin	Central Heights	600.1	122	619	19.71%	0.0	0.0	0.0
314	Thomas	Brewster	125.8	26	130	20.00%	0.0	0.0	0.0
208	Trego	WaKeeney	398.0	83	414	20.05%	0.0	0.0	0.0
473	Dickinson	Chapman	963.4	205	991	20.69%	0.0	0.0	0.0
205	Butler	Leon	711.5	155	736	21.06%	0.0	0.0	0.0
497	Douglas	Lawrence	9,855.4	2,175	10,302	21.11%	0.0	0.0	0.0
222	Washington	Washington	353.5	78	369	21.14%	0.0	0.0	0.0
388	Ellis	Ellis	377.6	86	404	21.29%	0.0	0.0	0.0
435	Dickinson	Abilene	1,468.0	334	1,568	21.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
251	Lyon	North Lyon Co.	555.7	121	568	21.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
338	Jefferson	Valley Halls	436.5	96	450	21.33%	0.0	0.0	0.0
454	Osage	Burlingame	332.0	75	347	21.61%	0.0	0.0	0.0
252	Lyon	Southern Lyon Co.	586.0	133	613	21.70%	0.0	0.0	0.0
379	Clay	Clay Center	1,327.2	299	1,377	21.71%	0.0	0.0	0.0
402	Butler	Augusta	2,131.2	492	2,259	21.78%	0.0	0.0	0.0
383	Riley	Manhattan	4,913.7	1,126	5,161	21.82%	0.0	0.0	0.0
104	Jewell	White Rock	98.5	22	100	22.00%	0.0	0.0	0.0
362	Linn	Prairie View	998.6	227	1,031	22.02%	0.0	0.0	0.0
204	Wyandotte	Bonner Springs	2,191.5	509	2,301	22.12%	0.0	0.0	0.0
244	Coffey	Burlington	836.0	197	887	22.21%	0.0	0.0	0.0
358	Sumner	Oxford	381.7	88	396	22.22%	0.0	0.0	0.0
434	Osage	Santa Fe	1,204.8	278	1,250	22.24%	0.0	0.0	0.0
433	Doniphan	Midway	197.0	45	202	22.28%	0.0	0.0	0.0
325	Phillips	Phillipsburg	632.5	149	666	22.37%	0.0	0.0	0.0
297	Cheyenne	St. Francis	311.0	73	323	22.60%	0.0	0.0	0.0
260	Sedgwick	Derby	6,334.2	1,495	6,597	22.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
270	Rooks	Plainville	391.8	97	425	22.82%	0.0	0.0	0.0
420	Osage	Osage City	727.5	173	753	22.97%	0.0	0.0	0.0
489	Ellis	Hays	2,869.5	692	3,012	22.97%	0.0	0.0	0.0
211	Norton	Norton	673.6	160	696	22.99%	0.0	0.0	0.0
249	Crawford	Frontenac	743.0	181	785	23.06%	0.0	0.0	0.0
438	Pratt	Skyline	352.5	84	364	23.08%	0.0	0.0	0.0
239	Ottawa	North Ottawa Co.	550.5	133	574	23.17%	0.0	0.0	0.0
226	Meade	Meade	478.2	116	500	23.20%	0.0	0.0	0.0
408	Marion	Marion	635.2	154	660	23.33%	0.0	0.0	0.0

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USD			inc4yr at risk	Students	2005-2006	2005-06 Pct	Additional 5%	Additional 9%	Districts
No.	County Name	USD Name	9/20/2005		Headcount	Free Meals	if >=44.9 and <50	if >50%	FTE
429	Doniphan	Troy	367.5	89	381	23.36%	0.0	0.0	0.0
332	Kingman	Cunningham	212.0	51	218	23.39%	0.0	0.0	0.0
300	Comanche	Comanche County	310.2	77	329	23.40%	0.0	0.0	0.0
224	Washington	Clifton-Clyde	304.6	77	327	23.55%	0.0	0.0	0.0
477	Gray	Ingalls	245.9	62	263	23.57%	0.0	0.0	0.0
237	Smith	Smith Center	426.5	104	441	23.58%	0.0	0.0	0.0
330	Wabaunsee	Wabaunsee East	523.0	129	547	23.58%	0.0	0.0	0.0
427	Republic	Belleville	439.5	108	455	23.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
462	Cowley	Central	352.0	86	362	23.76%	0.0	0.0	0.0
509	Sumner	South Haven	244.5	60	251	23.90%	0.0	0.0	0.0
221	Washington	North Central	111.5	28	117	23.93%	0.0	0.0	0.0
312	Reno	Haven	1,055.7	263	1,093	24.06%	0.0	0.0	0.0
322	Pottawatomie	Onaga	360.5	90	372	24.19%	0.0	0.0	0.0
496	Pawnee	Pawnee Heights	178.5	45	186	24.19%	0.0	0.0	0.0
355	Barton	Ellinwood	477.6	134	553	24.23%	0.0	0.0	0.0
326	Phillips	Logan	183.5	48	198	24.24%	0.0	0.0	0.0
254	Barber	Barber Co.	592.5	155	627	24.72%	0.0	0.0	0.0
261	Sedgwick	Haysville	4,434.1	1,154	4,663	24.75%	0.0	0.0	0.0
440	Harvey	Halstead	706.9	186	745	24.97%	0.0	0.0	0.0
331	Kingman	Kingman	1,064.0	292	1,169	24.98%	0.0	0.0	0.0
227	Hodgeman	Jetmore	299.5	78	312	25.00%	0.0	0.0	0.0
315	Thomas	Colby	987.3	256	1,020	25.10%	0.0	0.0	0.0
371	Gray	Montezuma	252.4	68	268	25.37%	0.0	0.0	0.0
498	Marshall	Valley Heights	379.9	102	402	25.37%	0.0	0.0	0.0
284	Chase	Chase County	467.5	123	481	25.57%	0.0	0.0	0.0
219	Clark	Minneola	244.0	66	258	25.58%	0.0	0.0	0.0
287	Franklin	West Franklin	874.7	235	913	25.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
403	Rush	Otis-Bison	218.3	58	224	25.89%	0.0	0.0	0.0
436	Montgomery	Caney	817.5	221	853	25.91%	0.0	0.0	0.0
395	Rush	LaCrosse	318.5	90	347	25.94%	0.0	0.0	0.0
397	Marion	Centre	283.0	76	293	25.94%	0.0	0.0	0.0
243	Coffey	Lebo-Waverly	577.5	155	596	26.01%	0.0	0.0	0.0
245	Coffey	LeRoy-Gridley	270.5	73	280	26.07%	0.0	0.0	0.0
218	Morton	Elkhart	667.1	189	723	26.14%	0.0	0.0	0.0
481	Dickinson	Rural Vista	394.5	106	405	26.17%	0.0	0.0	0.0
255	Barber	South Barber Co.	252.0	69	262	26.34%	0.0	0.0	0.0
105	Rawlins	Rawlins County	341.5	94	355	26.48%	0.0	0.0	0.0
389	Greenwood	Eureka	639.4	175	660	26.52%	0.0	0.0	0.0
248	Crawford	Girard	1,052.0	293	1,104	26.54%	0.0	0.0	0.0
337	Jackson	Mayetta	926.7	257	962	26.72%	0.0	0.0	0.0
294	Decatur	Oberlin	432.5	119	445	26.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
292	Gove	Grainfield	167.0	46	171	26.90%	0.0	0.0	0.0
487	Dickinson	Herington	509.7	143	527	27.13%	0.0	0.0	0.0
382	Pratt	Pratt	1,177.8	339	1,237	27.41%	0.0	0.0	0.0
506	Labette	Labette County	1,638.2	469	1,707	27.48%	0.0	0.0	0.0
393	Dickinson	Solomon	405.8	115	418	27.51%	0.0	0.0	0.0
271	Rooks	Stockton	344.0	98	356	27.53%	0.0	0.0	0.0
482	Lane	Dighton	244.2	72	260	27.69%	0.0	0.0	0.0
278	Jewell	Mankato	207.0	59	213	27.70%	0.0	0.0	0.0
103	Cheyenne	Cheylin	144.5	41	147	27.89%	0.0	0.0	0.0
274	Logan	Oakley	410.0	129	462	27.92%	0.0	0.0	0.0
272	Mitchell	Waconda	348.4	105	372	28.23%	0.0	0.0	0.0
215	Kearny	Lakin	636.5	188	665	28.27%	0.0	0.0	0.0
376	Rice	Sterling	501.7	150	529	28.36%	0.0	0.0	0.0
102	Gray	Cimarron-Ensign	632.6	190	668	28.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
242	Wallace	Weskan	119.0	35	123	28.46%	0.0	0.0	0.0
101	Neosho	Erie-St. Paul	696.5	209	733	28.51%	0.0	0.0	0.0
407	Russell	Russell	989.5	291	1,020	28.53%	0.0	0.0	0.0
474	Kiowa	Haviland	176.0	58	203	28.57%	0.0	0.0	0.0
363	Finney	Holcomb	874.6	268	930	28.82%	0.0	0.0	0.0
495	Pawnee	Ft. Larned	918.8	277	958	28.91%	0.0	0.0	0.0

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386	Greenwood	Madison-Virgil	246.0	75	258	29.07%	0.0	0.0	0.0
106	Ness	Western Plains	191.5	58	199	29.15%	0.0	0.0	0.0
290	Franklin	Ottawa	2,380.5	723	2,476	29.20%	0.0	0.0	0.0
461	Wilson	Neodesha	742.0	229	784	29.21%	0.0	0.0	0.0
200	Greeley	Greeley County	252.3	78	267	29.21%	0.0	0.0	0.0
286	Chautauqua	Chautauqua	416.0	127	434	29.26%	0.0	0.0	0.0
417	Morris	Morris County	837.0	257	877	29.30%	0.0	0.0	0.0
341	Jefferson	Oskaloosa	583.6	184	627	29.35%	0.0	0.0	0.0
350	Stafford	St. John-Hudson	395.8	123	417	29.50%	0.0	0.0	0.0
511	Harper	Attica	120.0	36	122	29.51%	0.0	0.0	0.0
466	Scott	Scott County	900.7	285	965	29.53%	0.0	0.0	0.0
431	Barton	Hoisington	627.8	194	655	29.62%	0.0	0.0	0.0
415	Brown	Hiawatha	897.9	279	938	29.74%	0.0	0.0	0.0
357	Sumner	Belle Plaine	758.5	235	790	29.75%	0.0	0.0	0.0
399	Russell	Paradise	133.5	41	137	29.93%	0.0	0.0	0.0
346	Linn	Jayhawk	560.3	180	589	30.56%	0.0	0.0	0.0
467	Wichita	Leoti	456.4	150	490	30.61%	0.0	0.0	0.0
398	Marion	Peabody-Burns	390.1	123	401	30.67%	0.0	0.0	0.0
352	Sherman	Goodland	944.0	309	1,007	30.69%	0.0	0.0	0.0
299	Lincoln	Sylvan Grove	138.5	44	143	30.77%	0.0	0.0	0.0
298	Lincoln	Lincoln	362.7	120	388	30.93%	0.0	0.0	0.0
365	Anderson	Garnett	1,102.3	356	1,151	30.93%	0.0	0.0	0.0
471	Cowley	Dexter	234.5	74	239	30.96%	0.0	0.0	0.0
465	Cowley	Winfield	2,415.0	793	2,559	30.99%	0.0	0.0	0.0
490	Butler	El Dorado	2,086.0	682	2,196	31.06%	0.0	0.0	0.0
213	Norton	West Solomon	58.0	19	61	31.15%	0.0	0.0	0.0
324	Phillips	Eastern Heights	150.0	48	154	31.17%	0.0	0.0	0.0
241	Wallace	Wallace	204.0	65	207	31.40%	0.0	0.0	0.0
468	Lane	Healy	104.0	33	105	31.43%	0.0	0.0	0.0
392	Osborne	Osborne	352.7	115	363	31.68%	0.0	0.0	0.0
413	Neosho	Chanute	1,831.4	613	1,905	32.18%	0.0	0.0	0.0
269	Rooks	Palco	149.0	51	158	32.28%	0.0	0.0	0.0
347	Edwards	Kinsely-Offerle	308.5	113	349	32.38%	0.0	0.0	0.0
275	Logan	Triplains	118.0	40	123	32.52%	0.0	0.0	0.0
447	Montgomery	Cherryvale	680.6	233	713	32.68%	0.0	0.0	0.0
459	Ford	Bucklin	245.5	84	257	32.68%	0.0	0.0	0.0
373	Harvey	Newton	3,433.7	1,217	3,719	32.72%	0.0	0.0	0.0
333	Cloud	Concordia	1,054.7	367	1,120	32.77%	0.0	0.0	0.0
212	Norton	Northern Valley	180.0	62	189	32.80%	0.0	0.0	0.0
258	Allen	Humboldt	511.2	179	544	32.90%	0.0	0.0	0.0
247	Crawford	Cherokee	784.5	269	813	33.09%	0.0	0.0	0.0
484	Wilson	Fredonia	742.5	258	776	33.25%	0.0	0.0	0.0
279	Jewell	Jewell	143.0	49	147	33.33%	0.0	0.0	0.0
328	Ellsworth	Lorraine	452.3	159	477	33.33%	0.0	0.0	0.0
360	Sumner	Caldwell	276.1	98	294	33.33%	0.0	0.0	0.0
387	Wilson	Altoona-Midway	268.0	94	280	33.57%	0.0	0.0	0.0
475	Geary	Junction City	5,909.3	2,098	6,226	33.70%	0.0	0.0	0.0
361	Harper	Anthony-Harper	854.6	307	911	33.70%	0.0	0.0	0.0
220	Clark	Ashland	204.5	73	214	34.11%	0.0	0.0	0.0
305	Saline	Salina	7,066.2	2,533	7,399	34.23%	0.0	0.0	0.0
479	Anderson	Crest	248.0	87	254	34.25%	0.0	0.0	0.0
353	Sumner	Wellington	1,638.0	588	1,715	34.29%	0.0	0.0	0.0
256	Allen	Marmaton Valley	362.0	128	373	34.32%	0.0	0.0	0.0
214	Grant	Ulysses	1,655.1	610	1,771	34.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
426	Republic	Pike Valley	257.5	93	270	34.44%	0.0	0.0	0.0
366	Woodson	Woodson	437.5	159	461	34.49%	0.0	0.0	0.0
202	Wyandotte	Turner	3,660.5	1,338	3,868	34.59%	0.0	0.0	0.0
508	Cherokee	Baxter Springs	859.0	316	913	34.61%	0.0	0.0	0.0
235	Bourbon	Uniontown	455.5	167	480	34.79%	0.0	0.0	0.0
455	Republic	Hillcrest	96.5	35	100	35.00%	0.0	0.0	0.0
504	Labette	Oswego	468.5	173	490	35.31%	0.0	0.0	0.0

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310	Reno	Fairfield	373.6	138	390	35.38%	0.0	0.0	0.0
404	Cherokee	Riverton	864.6	322	903	35.66%	0.0	0.0	0.0
238	Smith	West Smith Co.	179.0	65	182	35.71%	0.0	0.0	0.0
210	Stevens	Hugoton	1,001.4	384	1,065	36.06%	0.0	0.0	0.0
367	Miami	Osawatomie	1,185.0	458	1,246	36.76%	0.0	0.0	0.0
493	Cherokee	Columbus	1,188.5	456	1,239	36.80%	0.0	0.0	0.0
446	Montgomery	Independence	1,889.7	726	1,965	36.95%	0.0	0.0	0.0
334	Cloud	Southern Cloud	221.5	85	228	37.28%	0.0	0.0	0.0
285	Chautauqua	Cedar Vale	157.5	61	163	37.42%	0.0	0.0	0.0
351	Stafford	Macksville	289.0	114	303	37.62%	0.0	0.0	0.0
309	Reno	Nickerson	1,131.1	453	1,204	37.62%	0.0	0.0	0.0
453	Leavenworth	Leavenworth	3,940.2	1,570	4,147	37.86%	0.0	0.0	0.0
257	Allen	Iola	1,428.0	564	1,488	37.90%	0.0	0.0	0.0
507	Haskell	Satanta	377.5	154	402	38.31%	0.0	0.0	0.0
295	Decatur	Prairie Heights	12.5	5	13	38.46%	0.0	0.0	0.0
452	Stanton	Stanton County	454.4	187	486	38.48%	0.0	0.0	0.0
390	Greenwood	Hamilton	101.5	41	106	38.68%	0.0	0.0	0.0
217	Morton	Rolla	198.5	80	206	38.83%	0.0	0.0	0.0
344	Linn	Pleasanton	408.5	167	429	38.93%	0.0	0.0	0.0
476	Gray	Copeland	127.0	55	140	39.29%	0.0	0.0	0.0
234	Bourbon	Ft. Scott	1,879.2	775	1,970	39.34%	0.0	0.0	0.0
409	Atchison	Atchison	1,557.8	648	1,646	39.37%	0.0	0.0	0.0
424	Kiowa	Mullinville	121.5	56	141	39.72%	0.0	0.0	0.0
430	Brown	Brown County	662.5	276	685	40.29%	0.0	0.0	0.0
494	Hamilton	Syracuse	459.0	197	485	40.62%	0.0	0.0	0.0
503	Labette	Parsons	1,432.1	626	1,529	40.94%	0.0	0.0	0.0
349	Stafford	Stafford	305.5	133	317	41.96%	0.0	0.0	0.0
316	Thomas	Golden Plains	188.1	85	200	42.50%	0.0	0.0	0.0
282	Elk	West Elk	412.5	187	439	42.60%	0.0	0.0	0.0
225	Meade	Fowler	179.0	81	190	42.63%	0.0	0.0	0.0
502	Edwards	Lewis	119.0	54	126	42.86%	0.0	0.0	0.0
369	Harvey	Burrton	277.0	125	291	42.96%	0.0	0.0	0.0
401	Rice	Chase	163.3	74	171	43.27%	0.0	0.0	0.0
374	Haskell	Sublette	495.4	233	537	43.39%	0.0	0.0	0.0
209	Stevens	Moscow	211.2	103	236	43.64%	0.0	0.0	0.0
428	Barton	Great Bend	3,023.8	1,392	3,180	43.77%	0.0	0.0	0.0
483	Seward	Kismet-Plains	685.0	331	737	44.91%	16.6	0.0	16.6
308	Reno	Hutchinson	4,542.1	2,149	4,777	44.99%	107.5	0.0	107.5
457	Finney	Garden City	6,859.4	3,366	7,405	45.46%	168.3	0.0	168.3
505	Labette	Chetopa	560.5	266	582	45.70%	13.3	0.0	13.3
456	Osage	Marais Des Cygnes	258.7	125	272	45.96%	6.3	0.0	6.3
253	Lyon	Emporia	4,592.9	2,273	4,911	46.28%	113.7	0.0	113.7
246	Crawford	Northeast	588.5	285	613	46.49%	14.3	0.0	14.3
250	Crawford	Pittsburg	2,542.2	1,247	2,670	46.70%	62.4	0.0	62.4
470	Cowley	Arkansas City	2,748.6	1,360	2,908	46.77%	68.0	0.0	68.0
216	Kearny	Deerfield	335.3	170	362	46.96%	8.5	0.0	8.5
486	Doniphan	Elwood	297.4	151	312	48.40%	7.6	0.0	7.6
405	Rice	Lyons	827.5	442	894	49.44%	22.1	0.0	22.1
283	Elk	Elk Valley	192.0	103	204	50.49%	0.0	9.3	9.3
499	Cherokee	Galena	737.0	394	775	50.84%	0.0	35.5	35.5
445	Montgomery	Coffeyville	1,806.3	1,015	1,893	53.62%	0.0	91.4	91.4
501	Shawnee	Topeka	12,607.4	7,206	13,343	54.01%	0.0	648.5	648.5
480	Seward	Liberal	4,215.7	2,460	4,482	54.89%	0.0	221.4	221.4
259	Sedgwick	Wichita	45,497.2	26,787	48,655	55.05%	0.0	2,410.8	2,410.8
443	Ford	Dodge City	5,630.0	3,399	5,977	56.87%	0.0	305.9	305.9
500	Wyandotte	Kansas City	18,877.5	12,600	20,120	62.62%	0.0	1,134.0	1,134.0
TOTALS			442,821.4	135,282	465,915		465,915.0	465,915.0	931,830.0

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New Sec. .(a) In each school year, to the extent that appropriations are available, each school district which desires to establish a vocational education program may submit an application for a grant of moneys in an amount to be determined by the state board for the purpose of paying the costs of establishing such program including operating expenses and acquiring equipment.

(b) In order to be eligible for a grant under this section, the board of education of the school district shall submit to the state board an application for a grant. The application shall be prepared in such form and manner as required by the state board and shall be submitted at a time to be determined and specified by the state board.

(c) The state board shall establish standards and criteria for reviewing, evaluating and approving applications for grants submitted pursuant to this section. All grants shall be awarded by the state board in accordance with the standards and criteria established by the state board. The state board shall determine the amount of grants and be responsible for payment of grants to school districts. If the amount of appropriations for the payment of grants under this section is insufficient to pay in full the amount each school district is determined to be eligible to receive for the school year, the state board shall prorate the amount appropriated among all school districts which are eligible to receive grants of state moneys in proportion to the amount each school district is determined to be eligible to receive.

(d) Each school district which is awarded a grant under this section shall make such periodic and special reports of statistical and financial information to the state board as it may request.

Amend K.S.A. 2005 Supp. 72-6407:

by striking:

~~(c) "At-risk pupils" means pupils who are eligible for free meals under the national school lunch act and who are enrolled in a district which maintains an approved at-risk pupil assistance plan.~~

and inserting:

**(c) "At-risk pupil" means a pupil who has a scored less than proficient on the mathematics or reading state assessment during the preceding school year and who is enrolled in a district which maintains an approved at-risk pupil assistance plan.**

Amend K.S.A. 2005 Supp. 72-6414:

by striking:

~~(a) The at-risk pupil weighting of each district shall be determined by the state board by multiplying the number of at-risk pupils included in enrollment of the district by .193. The product is the at-risk pupil weighting of the district.~~

and inserting:

**(a) The at-risk weighting of each district shall be determined by the state board as follows:**

**(1)(A) for school year 2006-2007, determine the number of pupils who took the mathematics or reading state assessments in school year 2004-2005 and (B) for school year 2007-2008 and each school year thereafter, determine the number of pupils who took the mathematics or reading state assessments in the preceding school year;**

**(2)(A) for school year 2006-2007, determine the number of pupils who scored below proficiency on either the mathematics or reading state assessments in school year 2004-2005 and (B) for school year 2007-2008 and each school year thereafter, determine the number of pupils who scored below proficiency on either the mathematics or reading state assessments in the preceding school year;**

**(3) divide the number determined under paragraph (2) by the number determined under paragraph (1);**

**(4) multiply the enrollment of the district by the dividend determined under paragraph (3);**  
**and**

**(5) multiply the product determined under paragraph (4) by .27 for school year 2006-2007, .37 for school year 2007-2008 and .484 for school year 2008-2009 and each school year thereafter. The product is the at-risk pupil weighting of the district.**

(b) Except as provided in subsection (d), of the amount a district receives from the at-risk pupil weighting, an amount produced by a pupil weighting of .01 shall be used by the district for achieving mastery of basic reading skills by completion of the third grade in accordance with standards and outcomes of mastery identified by the state board under K.S.A. 72-7534, and amendments thereto.

(c) A district shall include such information in its at-risk pupil assistance plan as the state board may require regarding the district's remediation strategies and the results thereof in achieving the third grade reading standards and outcomes of mastery identified by the state board. The reporting requirements shall include information documenting remediation strategies and improvement made by pupils who performed below the expected standard on the second grade diagnostic reading test prescribed by the state board.

(d) A district whose pupils substantially achieve the state board standards and outcomes of mastery of reading skills upon completion of third grade may be released, upon request, by the state board from the requirements of subsection (b).