The impact of Kansas State University on the state of Kansas is felt across each of the 105 counties. As the nation’s first operational land-grant university, K-State is committed to serving the state’s 2.9 million residents. A fundamental tenet of the university’s mission is to contribute to the advancement of the state of Kansas.

To explore how expansive our footprint really is, visit k-state.edu/govrelations/impact/index.html.

### Labette County

- **20,854**
  Total enrollment at K-State (fall 2020)
  - 34—number of students attending from Labette County

- **$234,218,949**
  Financial aid amount awarded to K-State students.
  - 70% of K-State students receive scholarships, grants, loans or work-study. (fall 2020)
  - $347,788—financial aid awarded to students from Labette County
  - 33—number of students receiving financial aid from Labette County

- **95%** of recent bachelor’s degree graduates surveyed are employed or attending graduate school or professional programs (January 2020)
- **58%** of recent graduates employed in Kansas
- **76%** of recent graduates employed in the region (KS, MO, NE, OK, CO)
- **#1**—highest starting salaries in Kansas (SmartAsset, 2014-2019)

- **5,593**
  Total FTE employees at K-State (fall 2020)
  - 18—number of employees in Labette County

- **$177,400,000**
  Total private support to the university (FY20)
  - $22,268—total donations from Labette County
  - 74—number of donors from Labette County

- **110,740**
  Total number of K-State alumni living in Kansas
  - 219—number of alumni residing in Labette County

**Alumni by college in Labette County**

- **82**—Agriculture
- **1**—Architecture, Planning & Design
- **4**—Arts & Sciences
- **17**—Business Administration
- **30**—Education
- **13**—Engineering
- **23**—Graduate School
- **21**—Health & Human Sciences
- **5**—K-State Polytechnic
- **6**—Veterinary Medicine
University Facts

#1 — Best value college in Kansas (SmartAsset, 2019)

20,800+ students come from all 50 states and more than 100 countries

87% — Freshman-to-Sophomore Retention Rate (fall 2020)

4,315 bachelor’s degrees, 1,130 master’s degrees, and 326 PhDs & 115 DVMs conferred in 2020

$218.6 Million — amount of research expenditures funded by federal and private sources in FY 2019

330 — number of U.S. patents issued to Kansas State University to date

$2.99 Million — amount earned in licensing income in FY 2020

4 — number of U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) Feed the Future labs located at Kansas State University

Kansas State University owns 444 buildings with a replacement value of $2,890,352,000

The information contained in this report was collected from offices across the K-State campus. Visit k-state.edu/about-engagement-impact/sources.html for more information.