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.

## Sherman County

### 20,229
Total enrollment at K-State (fall 2021)

- 19 — number of students attending from Sherman County

### $210,665,568
Financial aid amount awarded to K-State students.

- 76% of K-State students receive scholarships, grants, loans or work-study. (fall 2021)

- $196,792 — financial aid awarded to students from Sherman County

- 19 — number of students receiving financial aid from Sherman County

### 97%
of recent bachelor’s degree graduates surveyed are employed or attending graduate school or professional programs (Class of 2020-2021)

### 54%of recent graduates employed in Kansas

### 71%of recent graduates employed in the region (KS, MO, NE, OK, CO)

### #1 — highest starting salaries in Kansas (SmartAsset, 2014-2020)

### 5,607
Total FTE employees at K-State (fall 2021)

- 7 — number of employees in Sherman County

### $155.5 Million
Total private support to the university (FY21)

- $54,705 — total donations from Sherman County

- 47 — number of donors from Sherman County

### 110,740
Total number of K-State alumni living in Kansas

- 143 — number of alumni residing in Sherman County

Alumni by college in Sherman County

- 45 — Agriculture
- 0 — Architecture, Planning & Design
- 33 — Arts & Sciences
- 15 — Business Administration
- 17 — Education
- 13 — Engineering
- 4 — Graduate School
- 11 — Health & Human Sciences
- 10 — K-State Salina
- 1 — Veterinary Medicine
# University Facts

1. Best value college in Kansas (*SmartAsset*, 2020)

2. Average financial aid packet for a full-time, Kansas undergraduate student (2021)

3. Freshman-to-Sophomore Retention Rate (fall 2021)

4. Bachelor’s degrees, master’s degrees, and PhDs & DVMs conferred in 2021

5. Amount of research expenditures funded by federal and private sources in FY 2020

6. Number of U.S. patents issued to Kansas State University to date

7. Amount earned in licensing income in FY 2020

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

Kansas State University owns buildings with a replacement value of $3,300,189,553

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