The mission of Kansas State University is to foster excellent teaching, research and service that develop a highly skilled and educated citizenry necessary to advancing the well-being of Kansas, the nation and the international community. The university embraces diversity encourages engagement and is committed to the discovery of knowledge, the education of undergraduate and graduate students, and improvement in the quality of life and standard of living of those we serve.

Ness County

18,824
Full-time equivalent enrollment at K-State (fall 2018)
14—number of students attending from Ness County

$286,000,000
Financial aid amount awarded to K-State students. 70% of students receive scholarships, grants, loans or work-study. (fall 2018)
$101,691—financial aid awarded to students from Ness County
10—number of students from Ness County receiving financial aid

6,706
Number of students enrolled in online classes (fall 2018)
4—number of online students from Ness County

#1
K-State is the top college choice of graduating high school seniors in Kansas (2018)
#1—choice of graduating seniors in Ness County

90,894
Total number of K-State alumni living in Kansas
97—number of alumni residing in Ness County
Selected alumni occupations in Ness County
11—Agriculture/related industries
3—Veterinarians
1—Engineer
3—Educators
3—Business/Finance

$174,200,000
Total private support to the university (FY18)
$199,076—total donations from Ness County
55—number of donors from Ness County
University Facts

96% - amount of recent bachelor’s degree graduates surveyed who are employed or attending graduate school or professional programs (January 2019)

18,800+ - students come from all 50 states and more than 100 countries

389 undergraduate majors and options; 74 master’s degrees, 45 doctoral degrees and 44 graduate certificates in multiple disciplines are available across the university

72,017 — number of children participating in Kansas 4-H activities in 2018

10,422 — 4-H volunteers in Kansas in 2018

$196.5 Million — amount of research expenditures funded by federal and private sources in FY 2017

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

$3.1 Million — amount earned in licensing income in FY 2018

Kansas State University owns 261 buildings with a replacement value of $3,543,934,869

Kansas State University Visionary Goal:
By 2025, K-State will be recognized as one of the nation’s Top 50 Public Research Universities.