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January 2025 Report to the Legislature

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Data for Fiscal Year 2024

Scholarship Granting Organizations Certified for 2025

<u>SGO Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Zip Code</u>
ACE Scholarships SGO, Kansas LLC	5251 DTC Parkway, Suite 1150	Greenwood Village	CO	80111
Catholic Diocese of Salina Education Fund	103 N. 9th Street	Salina	KS	67401
Catholic Education Foundation	12615 Parallel Parkway	Kansas City	KS	66109
Christian Faith Centre, Inc.	1130 South Broadway	Wichita	KS	67211
Cornerstone Charitable Foundation	1110 N. Independence	Beloit	KS	67420
The Independent School	8317 E. Douglas	Wichita	KS	67207
Prime Fit Youth Foundation	7719 W 11th Street N	Wichita	KS	67212
Renewanation	1110 Gravel Hill Road	Vinton	VA	24179
Scholarships for Catholic Schools	910 Central Avenue	Dodge City	KS	67801
St. Paul Lutheran School Foundation	320 N. 7 th Street	Leavenworth	KS	66048
Support for Catholic Schools	424 N. Broadway	Wichita	KS	67202

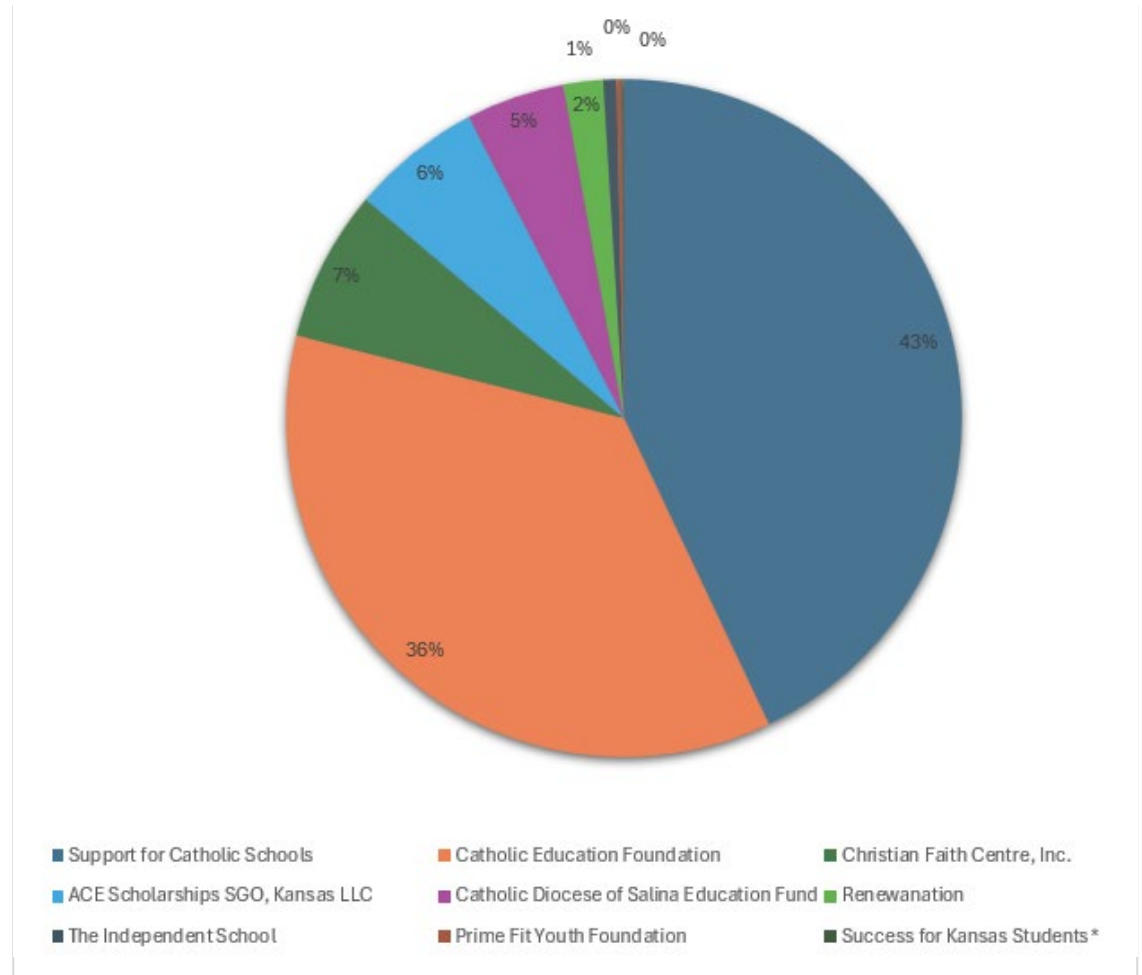
Bold SGOs are new in fiscal year 2024.

Eligible Students Verified for the Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program

There have been 4,847 eligibility forms submitted to KSDE. KSDE has determined 3,954 students to be eligible for a scholarship since the start of the program on January 1, 2015. The SGO breakout for the 3,954 eligible students is below.

Scholarship Granting Organizations	Eligible Students
Support for Catholic Schools	1698
Catholic Education Foundation	1,423
Christian Faith Centre, Inc.	286
ACE Scholarships SGO, Kansas LLC	247
Catholic Diocese of Salina Education Fund	186
Renewanation	75
The Independent School	25
Prime Fit Youth Foundation	10
Success for Kansas Students*	4
Topeka Lutheran School Foundation, Inc.*	0

*No longer participates in the Tax Credit Scholarship program.

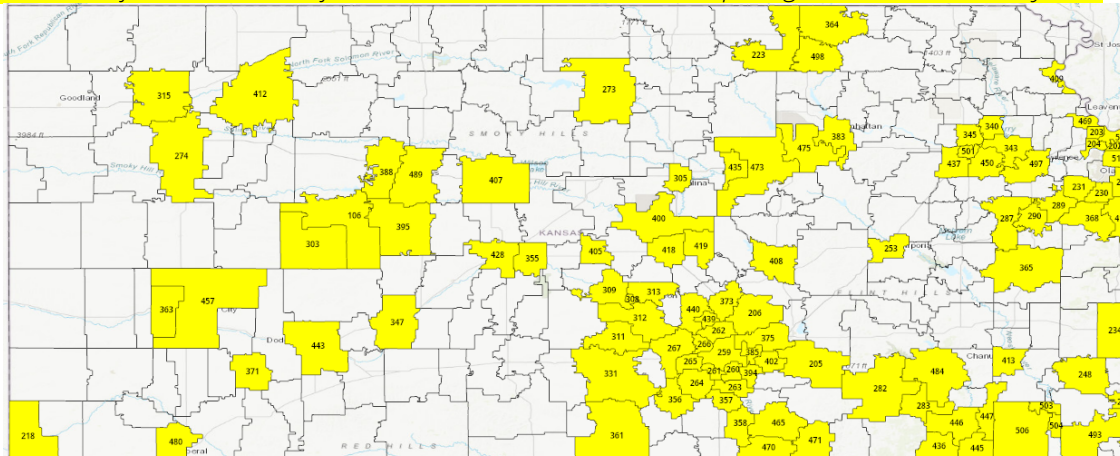


The 3,954 eligible students, since the inception of the program, are from 105 public school districts in Kansas throughout the program's history:

- 1,509 students from USD 259 Wichita.
- 1,046 students from USD 500 Kansas City.
- 230 students from USD 501 Topeka.
- 63 students from USD 443 Dodge City.
- 66 students from USD 457 Garden City.
- 48 students from USD 250 Pittsburg.
- 43 students from USD 308 Hutchinson.
- 30 students from USD 428 Great Bend.
- 24 students from USD 453 Leavenworth.
- 75 students each from USD 260 Derby, 261 Haysville and USD 512 Shawnee Mission.
- 30 students from USD 489 Hays
- 50 students each from USD 233 Olathe and USD 446 Independence
- 26 students from USD 265 Goddard
- 31 students each from USD 266 Maize and USD 305 Salina
- 68 students from the following districts: USD 267 Renwick, USD 273 Beloit, USD 331 Kingman-Norwich, USD 413 Morris County, USD 435 Abilene, USD 445 Coffeyville and USD 475 Geary County.
- 42 students from USD 373 Newton and USD 470 Arkansas City.
- 27 students from USD 202 Turner-Kansas City
- 216 students are from the follow districts: USD 106 Western Plains, 203 Piper-Kansas City, 204 Bonner Springs-Edwardsville, 205 Bluestem, 206 Remington-Whitewater, 218 Elkhart, 223 Barnes, 229 Blue Valley, 230 Spring Hill, 231 Gardner Edgerton, 234 Fort Scott, 248 Girard, 253 Emporia, 260 Derby, **262 Valley Center**, 263 Mulvane, 264 Clearwater, 274 Oakley, **282 West Elk**, **283 Elk Valley**, 287 West Franklin, 289 Wellsville, 290 Ottawa, 303 Ness City, 309 Nickerson-South Hutchinson, 311 Pretty Prairie, 312 Haven, 313 Buhler, 315 Colby, **340 Jefferson West**, 343 Perry, 345 Seaman, 347 Kinsley-Offerle, 355 Ellinwood, 356 Conway Springs, 357 Belle Plaine, 358 Oxford, 361 Chaparral, 363 Holcomb, 364 Marysville, 365 Garnett, 368 Paola, 371 Montezuma, 375 Circle, 383 Manhattan, 385 Andover, 388 Ellis, 394 Rose Hill, 395 LaCrosse, 400 Smoky Valley, 402 Augusta, **405 Lyons**, **407 Russell County**, 408 Marion-Florence, 409 Atchison, 412 Hoxie, 416 Louisburg, 418 McPherson, 419 Canton-Galva, **436 Caney Valley**, 437 Auburn-Washburn, **439 Sedgwick**, 440 Halstead, 447 Cherryvale, 450 Shawnee Heights, 465 Winfield, 469 Lansing, 471 Dexter, 473 Chapman, 480 Liberal, 484 Fredonia, 493 Columbus, 497 Lawrence, 498 Valley Heights, 503 Parsons, 504 Oswego and 506 Labette County.

School Year	Eligible Students Awarded Scholarships
2014-2015	7
2015-2016	143
2016-2017	210
2017-2018	131
2018-2019	125
2019-2020	215
2020-2021	277
2021-2022	562
2022-2023	1,162
2023-2024	2,360
Please note that the eligible student numbers for each school year may change due to eligible students transferring between different Scholarship Granting Organizations. The 2023-2024 eligible student numbers are final at the end of the school year.	

Districts with eligible students for the Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program shown below in yellow

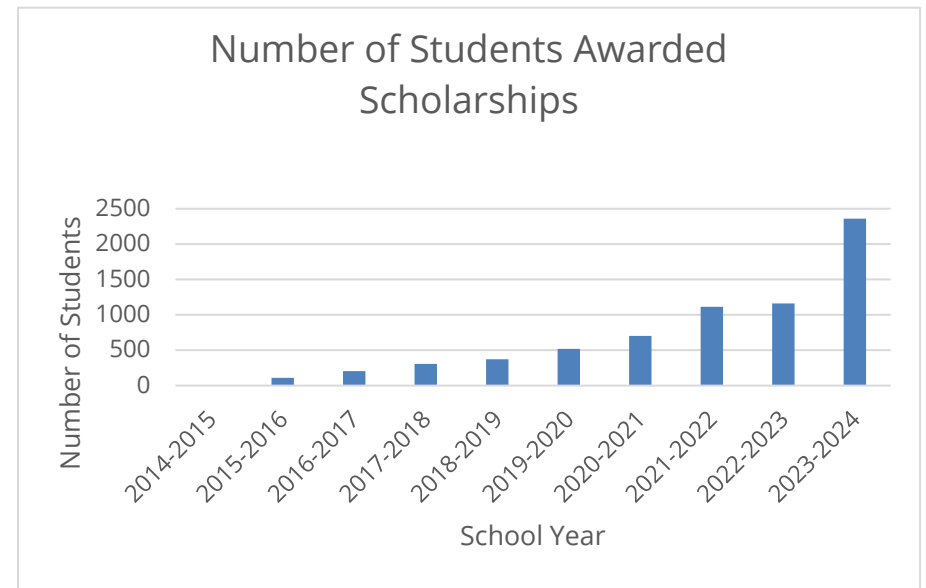
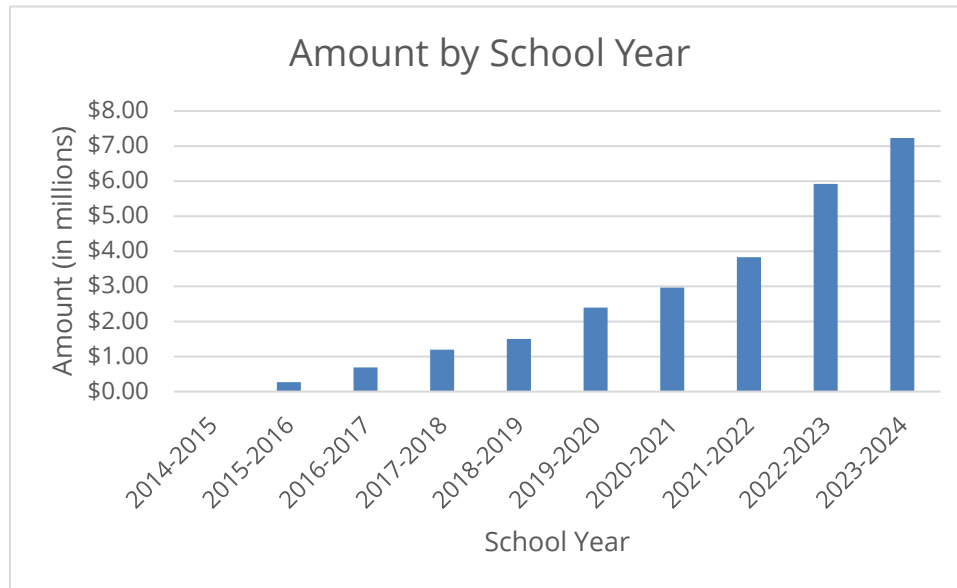


Scholarships Awarded

For the 2023-2024 school year, there were 2,360 students awarded scholarships totaling \$7,233,672.33

Since the beginning of the program, 8,188 student scholarships were awarded totaling \$30,286,073.70

	2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR	2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR	2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR	2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR	2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR	2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR	2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR	2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR*	2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR	TOTAL
NUMBER OF STUDENTS AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS	109	204	307	372	519	702	1,113	1,162	2,360	8,188
NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PRIVATE SCHOOLS W/STUDENTS RECEIVING SCHOLARSHIPS	13	16	28	39	42	43	80	125	119	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIPS	\$268,753.50	\$687,254.00	\$1,195,461.62	\$1,499,603.42	\$2,394,652.07	\$2,965,331.46	\$3,830,750.04	\$5,923,555	\$7,233,672.33	\$30,286,073.70



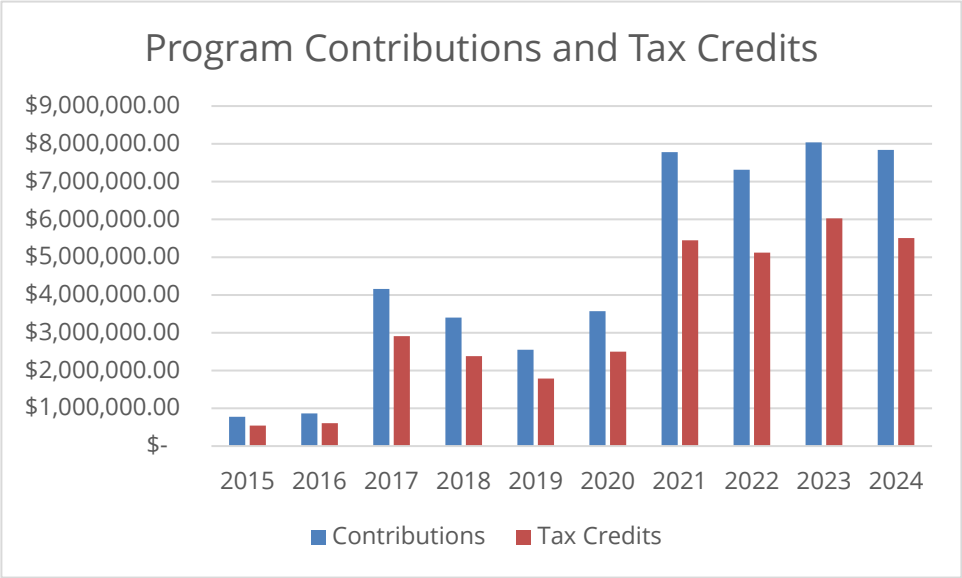
Contributions and Tax Credits

In the 2024 tax year, there were \$7,839,995.00* in contributions and \$5,504,238.75* in tax credits reported. Since the beginning of the program in 2015, there have been \$46,299,507.00 in total contributions received and \$32,827,751.65 in tax credits.

Contributions and tax credits data provided by Kansas Dept. of Revenue.

	2016 TAX YEAR	2017 TAX YEAR	2018 TAX YEAR	2019 TAX YEAR	2020 TAX YEAR	2021 TAX YEAR	2022 TAX YEAR	2023 TAX YEAR	2024 TAX YEAR*	TOTAL
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTIONS	\$865,000.00	\$4,159,881.00	\$3,400,266.00	\$2,551,988.00	\$3,572,903.00	\$ 7,782,390.00	\$7,313,994.00	\$8,030,465.00	\$7,839,995.00	\$46,299,507.00
TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAX CREDITS	\$605,500.00	\$2,911,916.70	\$2,380,186.20	\$1,786,391.60	\$2,501,032.10	\$5,447,673.00	\$5,119,795.80	\$6,022,848.75	\$5,504,238.75	\$32,827,751.65

*The 2024 tax year contribution and credit amounts are as of 12/24/2024 and have not been finalized.



Qualified Private Schools Participating in the Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program

<u>Name</u>			<u>City</u>	<u>Name</u>			<u>City</u>
1	St. Andrew Elementary		Abilene	66	Bethany Lutheran School		Overland Park
2	St. John Lutheran School		Alma	67	Holy Cross Catholic School		Overland Park
3	Sacred Heart Catholic School		Arkansas City	68	Holy Spirit Catholic School		Overland Park
4	Maur Hill-Mount Academy		Atchison	69	John Paul II Catholic School		Overland Park
5	St Benedict Catholic School		Atchison	70	Mt. Olive Lutheran School		Overland Park
6	St. James Catholic School		Augusta	71	Overland Christian School		Overland Park
7	Sunrise Christian Academy		Bel Aire	72	Saint Thomas Aquinas High School		Overland Park
8	St John High		Beloit	73	Holy Trinity Catholic School		Paola
9	St. John Elementary		Beloit	74	St. Patrick Catholic School		Parsons
10	Holy Rosary-Wea Catholic School		Bucyrus	75	St. Mary's Colgan High School		Pittsburg
11	St. Patrick Catholic School		Chanute	76	St. Mary's Elementary School		Pittsburg
12	Holy Name Catholic School		Coffeyville	77	Sacred Heart Elementary		Plainville
13	Heartland Christian School		Colby	78	St Ann Catholic School		Prairie Village
14	Sacred Heart Elementary		Colby	79	Bishop Miega High School		Roeland Park
15	St. Joseph Catholic School		Conway Springs	80	St Agnes Catholic School		Roeland Park
16	St. Mary Parish Catholic School		Derby	81	Sacred Heart Jr/Sr High School		Salina
17	Sacred Heart Cathedral		Dodge City	82	St. Mary Elementary		Salina
18	Berean Academy		Elbing	83	Sts. Peter and Paul School		Seneca
19	St. Joseph Elementary		Ellinwood	84	Good Shepard School		Shawnee
20	St Mary Elementary		Ellis	85	Hope Lutheran School		Shawnee
21	Sacred Heart School		Emporia	86	Maranatha Christian Academy		Shawnee
22	St. Mary Catholic School		Fort Scott	87	Midland Adventist Academy		Shawnee
23	St Mary Elementary		Garden City	88	Sacred Heart Catholic School in Shawnee		Shawnee
24	St. Dominic Elementary		Garden City	89	St Joseph Catholic School		Shawnee
25	St Rose Philippine Duchesne Catholic School		Garnett	90	Tipton Catholic High School		Tipton
26	Holy Spirit Catholic School		Goddard	91	Cair Paravel Latin School		Topeka
27	Holy Family Catholic School		Great Bend	92	Christ the King School		Topeka
28	St John Elementary		Hanover	93	Hayden Catholic High School		Topeka
29	Thomas More Prep-Marian		Hays	94	Heritage Christian School		Topeka
30	Holy Family Elementary		Hays	95	Holy Family Catholic School		Topeka
31	St. Cecilia Catholic School		Haysville	96	Mater Dei Catholic School		Topeka
32	Central Christian School		Hutchinson	97	Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic School		Topeka
33	Holy Cross Catholic School		Hutchinson	98	St Matthew Catholic School		Topeka
34	Trinity Catholic High School		Hutchinson	99	Topeka Collegiate School		Topeka
35	St. Andrew Catholic School		Independence	100	Topeka Lutheran School		Topeka

<u>Name</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>City</u>
36 Zion Lutheran School	Independence	101 Tyro Community Christian School	Tyro
38 St. Xavier Catholic Schools	Junction City	102 All Saints Catholic School	Wichita
39 Bishop Ward High School	Kansas City	103 Annoor Islamic School	Wichita
40 Christ the King School	Kansas City	104 Bishop Carroll Catholic High School	Wichita
41 Holy Name School	Kansas City	105 Blessed Sacrament Catholic School	Wichita
42 Our Lady Of Unity	Kansas City	106 Central Christian Academy	Wichita
43 Resurrection Catholic School at the Cathedral	Kansas City	107 Christ the King Catholic School	Wichita
44 St Patrick	Kansas City	108 Classical School of Wichita	Wichita
45 St. Patrick Catholic School	Kingman	109 Holy Cross Lutheran School	Wichita
46 Bishop Seabury Academy	Lawrence	110 Holy Savior Catholic School	Wichita
47 Corpus Christi Catholic School	Lawrence	111 Kapaun Mt. Carmel Catholic High School	Wichita
48 St John Catholic School	Lawrence	112 Life Preparatory Academy	Wichita
49 Xavier Catholic School	Leavenworth	113 Magdalen Catholic School	Wichita
50 Cure' of Ars Catholic School	Leawood	114 Resurrection Catholic School	Wichita
51 Nativity Parish School	Leawood	115 St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School	Wichita
52 St Michael the Archangel Catholic School	Leawood	116 St. Anne Catholic School	Wichita
53 Holy Trinity Catholic School	Lenexa	117 St. Catherine of Siena Catholic School	Wichita
54 St James Academy	Lenexa	118 St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School	Wichita
55 Flint Hills Christian School	Manhattan	119 St. Joseph Catholic School	Wichita
56 Manhattan Catholic Schools	Manhattan	120 St. Jude Catholic School	Wichita
57 St Gregory Catholic School	Marysville	121 St. Margaret Mary Catholic School	Wichita
58 Elyria Christian School	McPherson	122 St. Patrick Catholic School	Wichita
59 St. Joseph Catholic School	McPherson	123 St. Peter Catholic School	Wichita
60 St. Joseph Catholic School	Mount Hope	124 St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic School	Wichita
61 Sacred Heart Elementary	Ness City	125 The Independent School	Wichita
62 St. Mary Catholic School	Newton	126 Trinity Academy	Wichita
63 St. Joseph Grade Elementary	Oakley	127 Urban Preparatory Academy	Wichita
64 Prince of Peace Catholic School	Olathe	128 Wichita Collegiate	Wichita
65 St Paul Catholic School	Olathe	129 Wichita Friends School	Wichita
66 Sacred Heart Catholic Grade School	Ottawa	130 Holy Name Catholic School	Winfield
67 Ascension Catholic School	Overland Park		

A qualified private school is any nonpublic school that provides education to elementary or secondary students, has notified the state board of its intention to participate in the program and complies with the requirements of the program. On and after July 1, 2020, a qualified private school shall be accredited by the state board or a national or regional accrediting agency that is recognized by the state board for the purpose of satisfying the teaching performance assessment for professional licensure. Schools new to TCLISSP in SY 2023-2024 are bold.

Scholarship Granting Organizations Participating with Qualified Schools

SGO Name	City	State	Working with Qualified Schools		
ACE Scholarships SGO, Kansas LLC	Denver	CO	Does not limit the number or type of qualified private schools that will receive educational scholarships.		
Christian Faith Centre, Inc.	Wichita	KS	Urban Preparatory Academy-Wichita	The Independent School-Wichita	OptimaEd-Virtual
Cornerstone Charitable Foundation	Beloit	KS	St. John Catholic School	Tipton Catholic High School-Tipton	
The Independent School	Wichita	KS	The Independent School-Wichita		
Prime Fit Youth Foundation	Wichita	KS	Holy Savior Catholic School-Wichita	Urban Preparatory Academy-Wichita	
St. Paul Lutheran School Foundation	Leavenworth	KS	St. Paul Lutheran School		
Renewanation	Roanoke	VA	Central Christian Academy-Wichita Overland Christian School-Overland Park	Central Christian School-Hutchinson	Maranatha Christian Academy
Scholarships for Catholic Schools, Inc.	Dodge City	KS	Sacred Heart Catholic School-Ness City Holy Family Catholic School-Great Bend	St. Dominic Catholic School-Garden City Sacred Heart Catholic School-Dodge City	St.Mary Catholic School-Garden City St. Joseph Catholic School-Ellinwood
Catholic Diocese of Salina Education Fund	Salina	KS	St. Mary Elementary-Salina Manhattan Catholic Schools-Manhattan Sacred Heart Jr/Sr High School-Salina St. John Catholic Elementary-Beloit St. John's Catholic School-Hanover	Sacred Heart Elementary-Plainville St. Francis Xavier Catholic School-Junction City Thomas More Prep/Marion Jr-Sr High School-Hays St. Andrew Elementary-Abilene St. Mary Elementary-Ellis	St Joseph Elementary-Oakley Holy Family Elementary-Hays St. John Catholic High School & Middle School-Beloit Tipton Catholic High School-Tipton Sacred Heart Elementary-Colby
Catholic Education Foundation	Kansas City	KS	Cure of Ars School-Leawood John Paul II School-Overland Park Ascension School-Overland Park Bishop Ward High School-Kansas City Christ the King School-Topeka Holy Rosary School-Bucyrus Mater Dei School-Topeka Maur Hill-Mount Academy-Atchison Sacred Heart of Jesus School-Shawnee Sacred Heart School-Emporia St James Academy-Lenexa St Patrick School-Kansas City St Paul School-Olathe Sts Peter & Paul School-Seneca	Good Shepherd School-Shawnee Nativity Parish School-Leawood Bishop Miege High School-Roeland Park Christ the King School-Kansas City Hayden High School-Topeka Holy Spirit School-Overland Park Most Pure Heart of Mary School-Topeka St Gregory School-Marysville St Agnes School-Roeland Park St John School-Lawrence St Joseph School-Shawnee Our Lady of Unity-Kansas City St Thomas Aquinas High School-Overland Park Holy Trinity School-Paola	Holy Cross School-Overland Park Prince of Peace School-Olathe Corpus Christi School-Lawrence Resurrection School at the Cathedral-Kansas City St Matthew School-Topeka Holy Trinity School-Lenexa Holy Name School-Kansas City Sacred Heart School-Ottawa St Ann School-Prairie Village Holy Family School-Topeka St Michael the Archangel School-Leawood Xavier Elementary-Leavenworth St Benedict School-Atchison St Rose Philippine Duchesne School-Garnett
Support for Catholic Schools	Wichita	KS	All Saints Catholic School-Wichita Bishop Carroll Catholic High School-Wichita Holy Family Catholic School-Great Bend Holy Name Catholic School-Winfield Holy Savior Catholic School-Wichita Resurrection Catholic School-Wichita St. Cecilia Catholic School-Haysville St. Dominic Elementary-Garden City St. Joseph Catholic School-Mount Hope St. Joseph Catholic School-Wichita St. Mary Catholic School-Fort Scott St. Mary Parish Catholic School-Derby St. Patrick Catholic School-Chanute St. Patrick Catholic School-Kingman St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic School-Wichita	Blessed Sacrament Catholic School-Wichita Kapaun Mt. Carmel Catholic High School-Wichita St. Joseph Elementary-Ellinwood Trinity Catholic High School-Hutchinson Holy Spirit Catholic School-Goddard St. Anne Catholic School-Wichita St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School-Wichita Sacred Heart Cathedral-Dodge City St. Patrick Catholic School-Parsons St. Jude Catholic School-Wichita Holy Cross Catholic School-Hutchinson St. Patrick Catholic School-Wichita Holy Name Catholic School-Coffeyville St. Joseph Catholic School-McPherson Sacred Heart Catholic School-Arkansas City	Christ the King Catholic School-Wichita St. Mary Elementary-Garden City Sacred Heart Elementary-Ness City St. Mary's Colgan High School-Pittsburg Magdalen Catholic School-Wichita St. Catherine of Siena Catholic School-Wichita St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School-Wichita St. James Catholic School-Augusta St. Mary's Elementary School-Pittsburg St. Margaret Mary Catholic School-Wichita St. Andrew Catholic School-Independence St. Peter Catholic School-Wichita St. Joseph Catholic School-Conway Springs St. Mary Catholic School-Newton

Informational Website Links:

Kansas Department of Education Website for Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program:

<https://www.ksde.org/Agency/Fiscal-and-Administrative-Services/School-Finance/Tax-Credit-for-Low-Income-Students-Scholarship-Program>

Kansas Department of Revenue Website for Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program:

<https://www.ksrevenue.org/prtaxcredits-LowIncomeStudents.html>

The Tax Credit for Low Income Students Scholarship Program act K.S.A. 72-4351 through 72-4357 (Kansas Office of Revisor of Statutes) https://ksrevisor.org/statutes/chapters/ch72/072_043_0051.html