

## KANSAS POLICY INSTITUTE

ADVOCATING FOR FREE MARKETS AND THE PROTECTION OF PERSONAL LIBERTY

## It's How Money is Spent that Matters...not How Much

## Florida effectively spent \$4 Billion less and made much stronger gains

Per-Pupil Current Expenditures (excluding Capital Outlay and Debt)

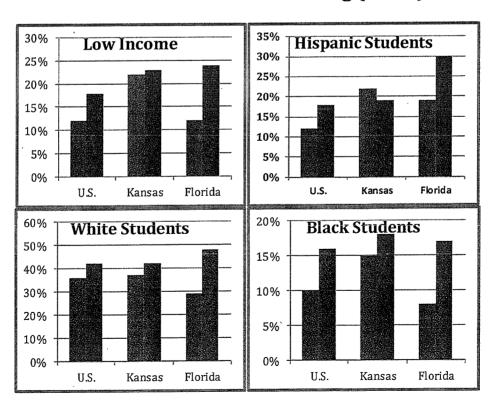
School Year	Florida	Kansas	Difference	KS FTE Enrollment	Extra Spending
1998-1999	\$5,790	\$6,015	\$225	448,926	\$101,008,283
1999-2000	\$5,831	\$6,294	\$463	448,610	\$207,706,569
2000-2001	\$6,170	\$6,937	\$767	446,970	\$342,825,913
2001-2002	\$6,213	\$7 <b>,</b> 339	\$1,126	445,377	\$501,494,052
2002-2003	\$6,439	\$7,454	\$1,015	444,541	\$451,209,521
2003-2004	\$6,793	\$7,776	\$983	443,302	\$435,765,669
2004-2005	\$7,215	\$7,926	\$711	441,868	\$314,167,864
2005-2006	\$7,812	\$8,640	\$828	442,556	\$366,436,120
2006-2007	\$8,567	\$9,243	\$676	444,879	\$300,738,001
2007-2008	\$9,084	\$9,883	\$799	446,874	\$357,052,326
2008-2009	\$8,760	\$9,951	\$1,191	447,615	\$533,109,584
2009-2010*	\$8,741	\$9,715	\$974	453,324	\$441,537,868
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Public School Finance Data; KSDE, *2010 most recent data					\$4,353,051,769

## 4th Grade Students Proficient in Reading (NAEP)



**1998** 

**2011** 



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