

INFORMATION SHEET



Financial Literacy Education 2021

A survey was completed in 2016 with regard to the status of school districts implementing a financial literacy policy. The following is the FINANCIAL LITERACY EDUCATION SURVEY RESULTS:

(*denotes allowance of multiple answers per submission.)

1. Financial literacy policy is:

128	(42.1 %)	In place and fully implemented
128	(42.1%)	Under development
43	(14.1%)	In place and partially implemented
5	(1.6%)	In place but has not been implemented

SUMMARY 100% have a policy in place or is under development

2. Financial literacy policy includes*:

279	(91.8%)	High school instruction
117	(38.5%)	Middle/Junior High instruction
58	(19.1%)	Elementary instruction
45	(14.8%)	Community involvement
13	(4.3%)	Parent component
14	(4.6%)	None of the above

SUMMARY: Financial literacy instruction is happening ~~42~~, but over 90% at the high school level.

3. Financial literacy education includes*:

197	(64.8%)	Financial literacy is embedded in curriculum
123	(40.5%)	Has a stand-alone financial literacy-based course
92	(30.3%)	Financial literacy course is elective
79	(26.0%)	Financial literacy course is required for graduation
15	(4.9%)	None of the above applies

SUMMARY 171 districts have course(s) in place that addresses financial literacy, of those 123 districts offer a stand-alone course; In addition, 79 districts require the course(s) for graduation.

Where Commonly Embedded/Taught :

Subject areas in which financial literacy is most often taught/embedded includes:

- Business
- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Mathematics
- Social Studies

KSDE has developed a webpage with resources: <https://www.ksde.org/Default.aspx?tabid=1043>

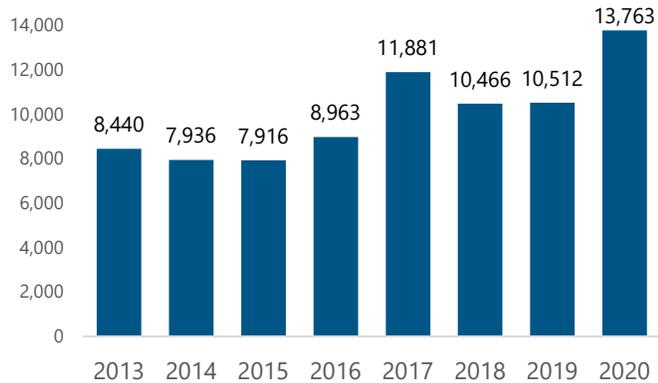


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Kansas Financial Literacy Student Data:

Over the past eight years:

79,877 students have completed the Consumer and Personal Finance course.



Consumer and Personal Finance Course Offerings by Pathway:

Pathway	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	Total
Family, Community and Consumer Services	211	219	220	217	223	215	213	218	1,736
Business Finance	177	181	180	179	178	199	209	213	1,516
Business Management and Entrepreneur -ship	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	58	103	124	285

Definition:

Financial Literacy—The ability to use knowledge and skills to manage one’s financial resources effectively for lifetime financial security.

Kansas Financial Literacy Standards:

Kansas recognizes the [K-12 Jumpstart National Standards](http://www.jumpstart.org/national-standards.html) (<http://www.jumpstart.org/national-standards.html>).

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