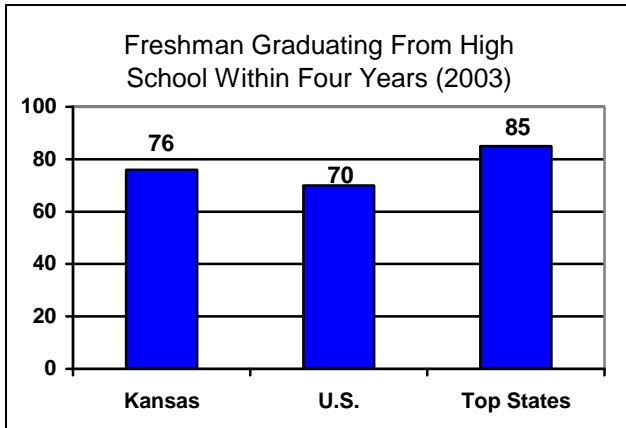


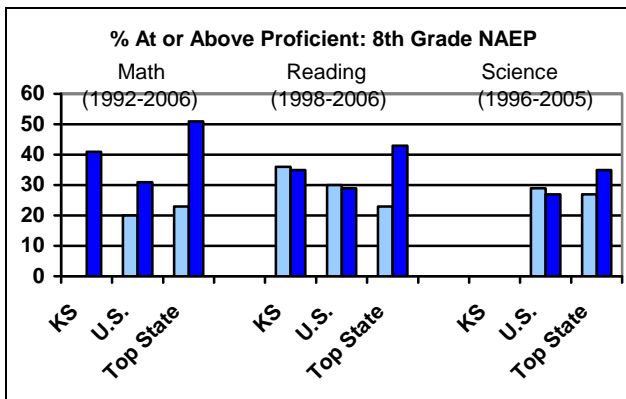
How is Kansas' economy changing?

By 2012, 78% of Kansas' fastest growing jobs will require some college or training beyond high school, including a projected 18,000 jobs in the health care field.

How many students graduate on time from high school in Kansas each year?



Are 8th-graders ready for high school?



Is the achievement gap in Kansas closing in math and science?

% AT OR ABOVE PROFICIENT: NAEP			
8 th GRADE MATH	1992	2006	% Point Change
All	--	41%	--
White	--	46%	--
African American	--	16%	--
Latino	--	16%	--
8 th GRADE SCIENCE	2000	2005	% Point Change
All	--	--	--
White	--	--	--
African American	--	--	--
Latino	--	--	--

Are Kansas high school students on the path to college?

Are 8th-graders taking Algebra (2005)?

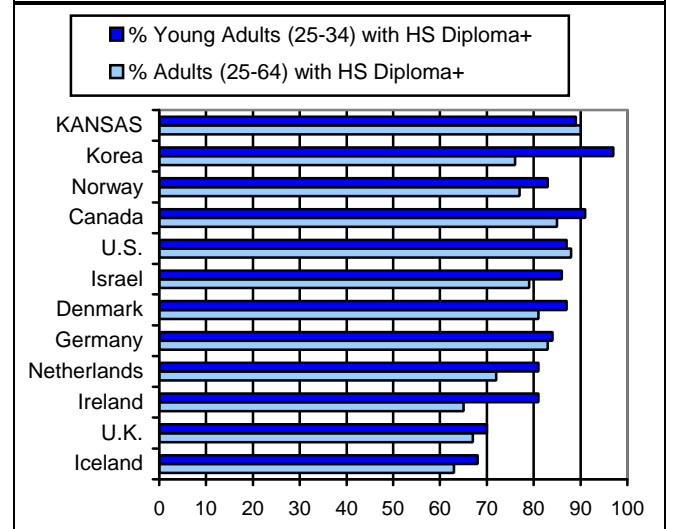
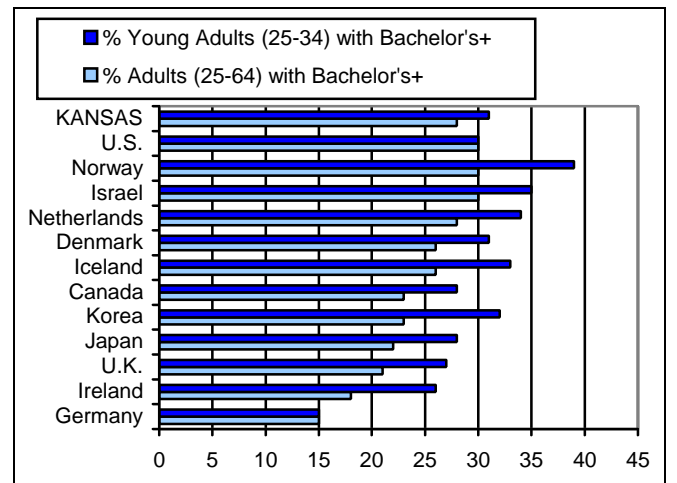
Kansas.....39%
 U.S.....41%
 Top States.....56%

Are 11th/12th-graders taking AP exams (2004)?

Kansas.....5%
 U.S.....12%
 Top States.....18%

2005	KANSAS	U.S.
Participation in ACT	76%	40%
Average ACT score	21.7	20.9
Participation in SAT	9%	49%
Average SAT score	1173	1028

How does Kansas stack up internationally?





KANSAS DATA FACT SHEET

How Prepared Are Students in Kansas for Life After High School?



What are Kansas' school demographics?

2003-04	KANSAS	U.S.
# of Public Schools	1,413	95,726
Total Public School Enrollment	470,490	48,540,725
# of High Schools	423	22,782
Total High School Enrollment	147,915	14,333,486
Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity/Program Participation		
White	76%	59%
African American	9%	17%
Latino	11%	19%
Asian/Pacific Islander	2%	4%
American Indian/Alaskan	1%	1%
Free/Reduced Lunch Eligible	38%	36%
English Language Learner	7%	11%

End Notes

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