



# Supporting Undocumented and DACA students

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## FAQ on Kansas 2004 House Bill 2145

### Eligibility for Resident Tuition for Certain Undocumented Immigrants and Others

#### Who is eligible for resident tuition and fees under the new law?

Any student who:

1. has attended an accredited Kansas high school for three or more years and
2. has either graduated from an accredited Kansas high school or has earned a GED issued in Kansas and
3.
  - a. in the case of a person without lawful immigration status; has signed and filed an affidavit with the institution stating that the person or the person's parents have filed an application to legalize such person's immigration status, or will file such an application as soon as such person is eligible to do so or
  - b. in the case of a person with a legal, nonpermanent immigration status, has filed with the postsecondary educational institution an affidavit stating that such person has filed an application to begin the process for U.S. citizenship or will file such application as soon as such person is eligible to do so.

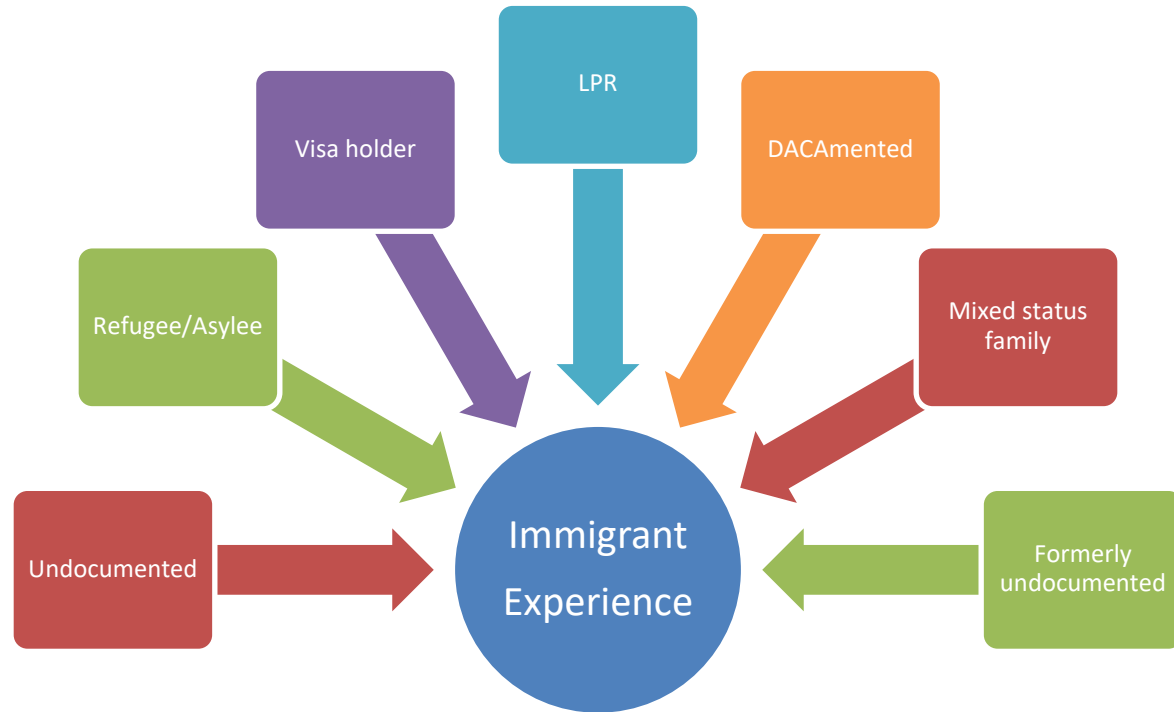
(Note that if the student is a U.S. citizen, they are eligible for resident tuition if they meet 1 and 2.)



# Undocumented Students

- At K-State, undocumented students are eligible for admission & scholarships
- There are 18 states in the U.S. with policies that allow eligible undocumented students to pay in-state tuition:
  - CA, CO, CT, FL, IL, **KS**, MD, MN, NE, NJ, NM, NY, OR, TX, UT, WA, OK & RI.

# Immigration Spectrum



Browser address bar: <https://www.k-state.edu/admissions/undergrad/manhattan/apply/deadlines.html>

Navigation links: [Find your rep](#), [For educators](#)

- **Nov. 1:** Priority date for spring international students
- **Dec. 1:** Priority date for spring transfer students and fall freshmen
- **Feb. 1:** Priority date for summer/fall transfer students and international students

### Selective admission priority date

- **Feb. 1** is the priority application date for:
  - College of Architecture, Planning & Design programs
  - Carl R. Ice College of Engineering programs domestic students only
  - The wildlife and outdoor enterprise management program in the College of Agriculture
  - The interior design program in the College of Health and Human Sciences

### Financial aid

- Apply for federal student aid and find out if you qualify for grants, loans and work-study programs with the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid, or FAFSA](#). K-State's federal code for the FAFSA is 001928.
  - **Nov. 1:** Priority deadline for spring transfer students
  - **Dec. 1:** Priority deadline for incoming freshmen and fall and summer transfer students

### Additional scholarship opportunities

- **Freshmen:**
  - **Dec. 15** is the application deadline for [competitive awards](#), which require supplemental applications and in some cases, an interview process.
  - **Feb. 1** is the priority deadline to create and submit your [K-State Scholarship Network \(KSN\) profile and application](#). KSN is a portal that connects you to scholarship opportunities that are in addition to the general university scholarships/awards triggered off of your



# Applying to Scholarships & College

## A. Documents

- Transcripts (AP courses/exams, honors)
- Personal essays
- Letters of Recommendation
- SAT/ACT req. -> competitive awards
- Résumé

## B. Your Purpose

- Your story and what drives you (intellectually, values, goals)

K-State Scholarship Network x +

https://www.k-state.edu/sfa/scholarships-aid/scholarships/ksn/

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**Scholarships**

- Future student scholarships/awards
- Continuing student scholarships
- K-State Scholarship Network**
  - Detailed instructions for future students
  - Detailed instructions for continuing students
  - Frequently asked questions
- Scholarships outside of K-State

**Grants**

**Work Study**

**Loans**

**Summer Financial Aid**

**Veterans Benefits**

## K-State Scholarship Network

The K-State Scholarship Network (KSN) is an online application portal that will connect you to additional scholarship opportunities.

You will create a profile in the system that will help match you to specific scholarship opportunities provided by K-State donors and offered through university departments, potentially including your own academic college and/or department.

**Make sure to submit your K-State Scholarship Network application by the priority date that applies to you:**

- Incoming freshmen:**
  - Feb. 1
- Incoming transfer students, international students and continuing students:**
  - March 15

[Sign in to KSN >](#)

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# Meet my advisor

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- Job Opportunities
- Vice Provost for Enrollment Management

## Meet my advisor

Our knowledgeable financial aid advisors are here to help! Every student at K-State is assigned a personal financial aid advisor in order to successfully guide each student through the scholarship and financial aid process.

Financial aid advisors are available to assist students and their families with information about the financial aid process, including how to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or how to apply for K-State scholarships.

Call or email at:  
785-532-6420

[finaid@k-state.edu](mailto:finaid@k-state.edu)

### Students whose last names begin with A-G

Including Manhattan, Olathe, and Global Campuses

Dylan Babcock



# National Scholarships

**Rumba Meats & USHLI Partner to Award \$25,000 in Scholarships**

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**About The Rumba Meats Scholarship**

Rumba Meats, part of the Cargill family of brands, helps the Hispanic community celebrate their culture and preserve their heritage through food. Through a partnership with United States Hispanic Leadership Institute, Rumba Meats is awarding 25 post-secondary academic scholarships of \$1,000 each and helping empower today's Hispanic youth to become tomorrow's leaders.

**Scholarship Requirements**

- Must be a high school senior graduating in the Spring of 2023
- Applicants must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment as full-time undergraduate students in an accredited four-year or two-year institution in the U.S. or U.S. territories


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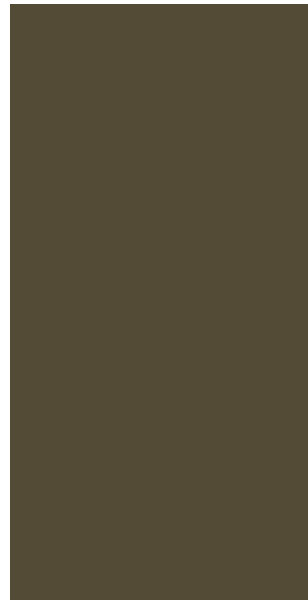
# President Obama's anti-deportation plan (June 15, 2012): **DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals)**

- On June 15, 2012, the Secretary of Homeland Security announced that certain people who came to the United States as children and meet several guidelines may request consideration of deferred action for a period of 2 years, subject to renewal. They are also eligible to request work authorization. Deferred action is an exercise of prosecutorial discretion to defer removal action against an individual for a certain period of time. Deferred action does not provide lawful status.
- On Aug. 30, 2022, DHS published the DACA Final Rule, with the intent to preserve and fortify the DACA policy. This rule, which puts into effect regulations at 8 CFR 236.21-236.25, rescinds and replaces the DACA guidance set forth in the 2012 Memorandum issued by Secretary Napolitano.

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# Restricted Fields for Undocumented Students

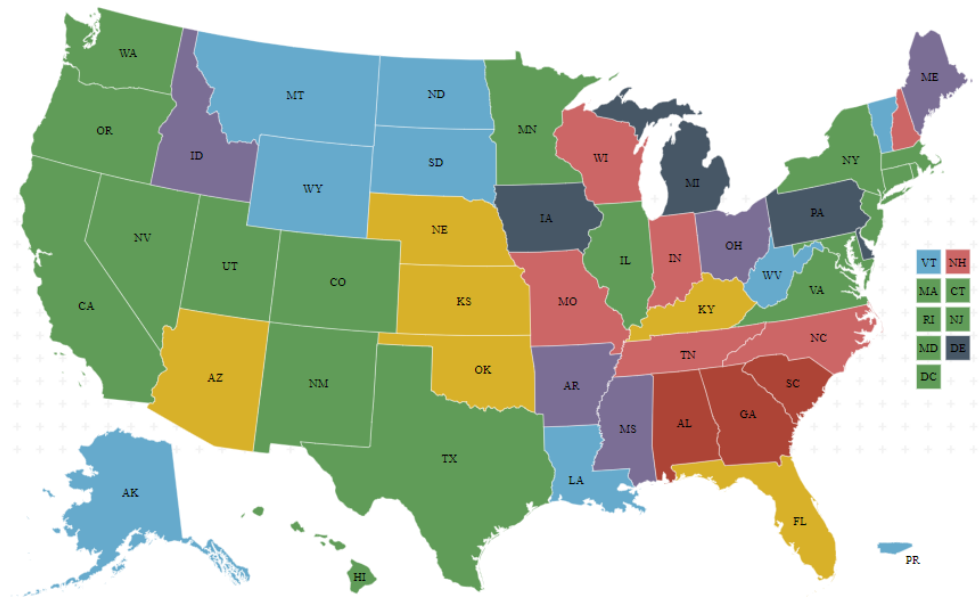
Anything that requires a licensing examination, background checks (SS#), be sure to check with the academic program

- College of Technology and Aviation
- Nursing/medical programs
- Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management

*\*DACA Recipients are eligible to seek licensing in these fields*



### Tuition & Financial Aid Equity for Undocumented Students



Comprehensive Access | Accessible | Limited | Limited to DACA  
No State Policy | Restrictive | Prohibitive Enrollment



# Eligibility – DACA and Undocumented

## Ineligible:

- Federal Student Aid
- State Aid
- Some private scholarships and donor funded scholarships

## Eligible:

- In-State Tuition
  - for students who have lived in KS, attended a KS school for the last three years, and are graduating from a KS High School
- K-State Scholarships (caveat – some donor scholarships)
- Institutional Aid and Grants
  - DACA students are also eligible for on-campus employment





# Organizations & Websites

- The Greater Kansas City Hispanic Development Fund
- The Kansas Hispanic Education & Development Fund (Wichita)
- National Immigration Law Center
- Higher Ed Immigration Portal



**QUESTIONS?**