

Listed below is the definition of SUITABLE EDUCATION to be used for this project.

72-1101. Required subjects in elementary schools. Every accredited elementary school shall teach reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, spelling, English grammar and composition, history of the United States and of the State of Kansas, civil government and the duties of citizenship, health and hygiene, together with such other subjects as the State Board may determine. The State board shall be responsible for the selection of subject matter within the several fields of instruction and for its organization into courses of study and instruction for the guidance of teachers, principals and superintendents.

72-1103. Required courses of instruction; graduation requirements. All accredited schools, public, private or parochial, shall provide and give a complete course of instruction to all pupils, in civil government, and United States history, and in patriotism and the duties of a citizen, suitable to the elementary grades; in addition thereto, all accredited high schools, public, private or parochial, shall give a course of instruction concerning the government and institutions of the United States, and particularly of the Constitution of the United States; and no student who has not taken and satisfactorily passed such course shall be certified as having completed the course requirements necessary for graduation from high school.

72-1117. Kansas history and government, required courses; duties of State Board. (a) The State Board of Education shall provide for a course of instruction in Kansas history and government, which shall be required for all students graduating from an accredited high school in this state. (b) The State Board of Education shall prescribe the school year, not later than the 1990-91 school year, in which the requirement of subsection (a) shall become applicable and may provide for such waivers from the requirement as the Board deems appropriate.

Qualified Admissions
Precollege Curriculum

4 units of English
3 units of Math

3 units of Natural Science
3 units of Social Studies
1 unit of Computer Technology
2 units of Foreign Language (preferred)
1 unit of Fine or Performing Arts (preferred)

State Scholarship Program
Precollege Curriculum

4 units of English/Language Arts
3 units of Natural Science
(1 each of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics)
4 units of Math
3 units of Social Studies
1 unit of Computer Technology
2 units of Foreign Language

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Four units of English language arts
Three units of history and government
Three units of science
Three units of mathematics
One unit of physical education
One unit of fine arts
Six units of elective courses

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES THAT ARE PART OF SUITABLE
EDUCATION DEFINITION

Student and staff safety
Early childhood programs
Extended learning time
Alternative schools
Technical education*
Technology training
Library media services
Foreign language
Fine arts
Nursing and counseling services
Activities programs
Student transportation
Qualified teacher in each classroom

*We assume technical education includes business, vocational agriculture, family consumer science, etc.