

**Students from Shawnee County  
Fall 2007  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence and Medical Center Campuses**

***Students from Shawnee County make an important contribution to KU.***

In Fall 2007, KU has **1,353 students** from Shawnee County:

- **1,035** undergraduates
- **318** graduate/first professional students

Shawnee County students are particularly well represented in the health professions, with

- **43** pursuing an MD
- **15** post-first professional students in medicine
- **26** in nursing
- **25** in pharmacy practice
- **14** in physical therapy
- **28** in other medical programs

Of the Lawrence campus undergraduate students from Shawnee County, **30%** have ACT scores 27 or above compared to the 27% average of Lawrence campus undergraduates overall.

***KU supports students from Shawnee County.***

As of October 2007, \$2,165,000 in federal, state, and institutional grants and scholarships have been awarded on the Lawrence and Medical Center campuses to 551 Shawnee County students for FY 2008. Included within this total:

- \$901,000 in institutional scholarships
- \$606,000 in KU Tuition and other institutional grants
- \$500,000 in Pell and other federal grants
- \$131,000 in state scholarships and grants
- \$ 26,000 in athletic grants

***Where are they from?***

The primary feeder high schools in this region are

- Washburn Rural High School – 281 students
- Topeka High School – 201 students
- Shawnee Heights Senior High School in Tecumseh – 173 students
- Hayden High School – 124 students
- Seaman High School – 122 students
- Topeka West High School – 122 students

***Shawnee County postsecondary institutions contribute as well.***

Of the Fall 2007 KU students,

- **609** had attended Washburn University.
- **7** had attended Kaw Valley Technical School.