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BILLED ENTITY 138073 · KANSAS · FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

323 W 12th St, Hays, KS 67601 · 3,760 students · 1,650 NSLP students

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Overview

	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$28K	$191K	$34K	$30K	$289K	$33K	$33K	$32K	$33K	$56K	$84K	$11K	$62K	$39K	$27K	$38K
Average Discount Rate	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	50%	43%	60%	67%	67%	66%	68%	72%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	10	10	10	11	10	10	10	10	10	7	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$4K	$7K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$11K	$11K	$10K	–	$11K
Internal Connections	–	$158K	–	–	$255K	–	–	–	–	–	$25K	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$28K	$34K	$33K	$29K	$33K	$33K	$33K	$32K	$32K	$52K	$52K	–	$52K	$29K	$27K	$28K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	$702	$702	$702	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$28K	$34K	$33K	$29K	$33K	$33K	$33K	$32K	$33K	$56K	$59K	$11K	$62K	$39K	$27K	$38K
Equipment Category 2	–	$158K	$702	$702	$255K	–	–	–	–	–	$25K	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$28K	$191K	$34K	$30K	$289K	$33K	$33K	$32K	$33K	$56K	$84K	$11K	$62K	$39K	$27K	$38K

Category one services include telecommunications, telecommunications services and Internet access. Category two services include internal connections, basic maintenance of internal connections and managed internal broadband services.

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (top 10, FY2024)

Service Provider	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Frugal,Inc.	–	$158K	$702	$702	$255K	–	–	–	–	–	$25K	–	–	–	–	–
Nex-Tech, Llc	$28K	$34K	$33K	$29K	–	–	–	–	$2K	$4K	$7K	$11K	$11K	$10K	–	$11K
Eagle Communications, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$52K	–	$52K	$29K	$27K	$28K
Eagle Broadband Investments Llc	–	–	–	–	$33K	$33K	$33K	$32K	$32K	$52K	–	–	–	–	–	–
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Alltel Communications, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Washington Elementary School	305 Main St 67601	Hays	30%	128	122	95%	Rural
Hays High School	2500 E 13th St 67601	Hays	70%	1,040	449	43%	Rural
Hays Middle School	2300 E 13th St 67601	Hays	70%	716	303	42%	Rural
Hays Virtual School	201 E 7th St 67601	Hays	70%	199	0	0%	Rural

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9), funded FRNs only; FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdmp-ygft); USAC legacy commitments for FY1998–2015 (BEN level). Billed-entity figures are total authorized disbursements (entity-wide, exact). Service-provider top 10 ranked by lifetime disbursements, sorted by FY2024. Student counts sum USAC recipient-site profiles (entity-wide). FY2026 omitted (funding year in progress). Note: the last year or two in any disbursement series always looks artificially low (FY2025 invoices are still being paid), which is why the history dips at the end — that's the real state of USAC's data, not an error. Technology Policy Institute, 2026-06-10.

Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Kathryn O'Loughlin Mccarthy Elementary School	1401 Hall St 67601	Hays	70%	381	137	36%	Rural
Lincoln Elementary School	1906 Ash St 67601	Hays	70%	274	163	59%	Rural
Rockwell Administrative Center	323 W 12th St 67601	Hays	70%	–	–	–	—
Roosevelt Elementary School	2000 Macarthur Rd 67601	Hays	70%	644	316	49%	Rural
Transportation Services	508 Main St. 67601	Hays	70%	–	–	–	—
Usd 489 Network Operations Center	2105 Hall St. 67601	Hays	70%	–	–	–	—
Wekan Center	323 W 12th St 67601	Hays	70%	12	6	50%	Rural
Woodrow Wilson Elementary School	101 E 28th St 67601	Hays	70%	366	154	42%	Rural

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$35K	$36K	$35K	$34K	$37K	$34K	$38K	$38K	$57K	$44K	$22K	–
Average Discount Rate	66%	63%	62%	63%	62%	63%	63%	58%	63%	62%	58%	–
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	2	2	2	2	5	4	3	4	4	5	1	–
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type (FY1998–2009)

Service Type	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	$9K	$11K	$9K	$8K	$11K	$15K	$19K	$18K	$33K	$22K	–	–
Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$26K	$25K	$26K	$26K	$26K	$19K	$19K	$20K	$24K	$22K	$22K	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$35K	$36K	$35K	$34K	$37K	$34K	$38K	$38K	$57K	$44K	$22K	–
Equipment Category 2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$35K	$36K	$35K	$34K	$37K	$34K	$38K	$38K	$57K	$44K	$22K	–

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Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (FY1998–2009)

Service Provider	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Frugal,Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nex-Tech, Llc	$9K	$11K	$9K	$8K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Eagle Communications, Inc.	$26K	$25K	$26K	$26K	$26K	$19K	$19K	$20K	$21K	$22K	$22K	–
Eagle Broadband Investments Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	$9K	$12K	$19K	$18K	$22K	$16K	–	–
Alltel Communications, Inc.	–	–	–	–	$2K	$3K	$353	–	$14K	$6K	–	–

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