



*Thirty-Eighth Annual*

*2021*

*Governor's Scholars  
Award Program*



# 2021 Kansas Governor's Scholars

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the Governor's Scholars Program. Your hard work makes Kansas proud!

The Governor's Scholars Program has been recognizing outstanding graduating seniors who finished in the top one percent of their high school graduating class for the past 38 years. Congratulations on joining this elite group of Kansans!

Funding our public schools, supporting our educators, and establishing a robust early childhood development program are among the most important actions the State of Kansas can take to foster future generations of well-rounded and successful Kansans. A path to education is a path to opportunity – and through your academic achievements, your opportunities are limitless.

While the economy is constantly evolving, one thing that remains steadfast is the benefit of education. Whatever avenue you may choose after graduation, know that no challenge is too great, no barrier is too strong, and no goal is too high. Congratulations again on your success and may it be multiplied in the years to come!



*Laura Kelly*

LAURA KELLY  
*Governor of the State of Kansas*



# Scholars and Principals Represented

(By School's City)

## **Abilene High School**

*Principal: Dr. Ben Smith*  
Alyvia Johnson

## **Wabaunsee High School, Alma**

*Principal: Jan Hutley*  
Kendyl Bolinder

## **Northern Valley High School, Almena**

*Principal: Ken Tharman*  
Tharen Cox

## **Labette County High School, Altamont**

*Principal: Shane Holtzman*  
Dakota Payne  
Hayden Pool

## **Andale High School**

*Principal: Michelle Schackelford*  
Lauren Barthelme

## **Andover Central High School**

*Principal: Cheryl Hochhalter*  
Hannah Lee  
Kate Paulsen

## **Andover High School**

*Principal: Dr. Kristen Kuhlmann*  
Eleanor Braynock  
Ethan Huynh  
Joseph Rather

## **Chaparral High School, Anthony**

*Principal: Ken Henson*  
Jonathan Welch

## **Argonia High School**

*Principal: Luke Greenwood*  
Aubreigh Haxton

## **Arkansas City High School**

*Principal: Jeremy Truelove*  
Gabriella Herrera  
Bella Wood

## **Northeast High School, Arma**

*Principal: Russ Cramer*  
Rachel Fox

## **Ashland High School**

*Principal: Paula Rice*  
Paxton Sauser

## **Atchison High School**

*Principal: Lacy Warren*  
Jameson Parks

## **Maur Hill-Mount Academy, Atchison**

*Principal: Monika King*  
Sophia Hill

## **Attica High School**

*Principal: Brandie Waldschmidt*  
Jaggar Hawley

## **Rawlins County High School, Atwood**

*Principal: Matt Smith*  
Lillian Rippe

## **Augusta High School**

*Principal: Rick Rivera*  
Justin Ashenfelter  
Forrest Tuschhoff

## **Axtell High School**

*Principal: Jayson Tynon*  
Mitch Buessing

## **Baldwin High School**

*Principal: Brant Brittingham*  
Ella Conover  
Belle Olson

## **Basehor-Linwood High School**

*Principal: Jarred Fuhrman*  
Makenzy Curtis  
Sonya Zamora

## **Baxter Springs High School**

*Principal: Cory White*  
Pierce Stolte

## **Belle Plaine High School**

*Principal: Richard Gilson*  
Chloe Islam

**Republic County High School, Belleville**

*Principal: Alan Sheets*  
Ayden Krohn

**Beloit High School**

*Principal: Casey Seyfert*  
Keighlee Armstrong

**St. John's High School, Beloit**

*Principal: Marcy Kee*  
Lauryn Dubbert

**Bennington High School**

*Principal: Curtis Nightingale*  
Jayci Shepard

**Cheylin High School, Bird City**

*Principal: Anne Coon*  
Alondra Perez

**Valley Heights High School, Blue Rapids**

*Principal: Chad Kenworthy*  
Emelia Toerber

**Brewster High School**

*Principal: Shelly Angelos*  
Samantha Cozza

**Buhler High School**

*Principal: Michael Ellegood*  
Leah Bentley  
Karl Woleslagel

**Central High School, Burden**

*Principal: Rick Shaffer*  
Melissa Henderson

**Burlingame High School**

*Principal: Tammy Baird*  
Evan Young

**Burlington High School**

*Principal: Stacy Reed*  
Sierra Haddock

**Burton High School**

*Principal: Tyler Hoopes*  
Brandon Whitehurst

**Caldwell High School**

*Principal: Aaron Roop*  
Katrina Dvorak

**Canton-Galva High School**

*Principal: Kenroy Wilson*  
Emily Peterson

**Santa Fe Trail High School, Carbondale**

*Principal: Patrick Graham*  
Addison Hinterweger

**Centralia High School**

*Principal: Larry Glatczak*  
Jude Conley

**Chanute High School**

*Principal: Matt Koester*  
Alyssa Andoyo  
Brayden Dillow

**Chapman High School**

*Principal: Kevin Suther*  
Macy Bliss

**Cheney High School**

*Principal: Greg Rosenhagen*  
Morgan Sutter

**Cimarron High School**

*Principal: Jara Wilson*  
Elizabeth Goetz

**Central Plains High School, Claflin**

*Principal: Toby Holmes*  
Callie Zink

**Clay Center Community High School**

*Principal: Bud Young*  
Ethan Hill

**Clearwater High School**

*Principal: Bob Mellen*  
Gracie Childs

**Clifton Clyde High School, Clyde**

*Principal: Art Baker*  
Douglas Koch

**Field Kindley High School, Coffeyville**

*Principal: Travis Stalford*  
Ani D'Albini-Rexwinkle  
Anna Hoy

**Colby High School**

*Principal: Dr. Stephanie McNemar*  
Jaren Rush

**Columbus High School**

*Principal: Dan Grundy*  
Avery Campbell

**Concordia High School**

*Principal: Troy Keiswetter*  
Terin Rundus

**Conway Springs High School**

*Principal: Brent Harrell*  
Sadie Schmanke

**Chase County High School, Cottonwood Falls**

*Principal: Alberto Carrillo*  
Audrey Tubach

**Council Grove High School**

*Principal: Kelly McDiffett*  
Kyra Smith-Blosser

**Cunningham High School**

*Principal: Cody Dunlap*  
Morgan Meyers

**De Soto High School**

*Principal: Sam Ruff*  
Nicole Schottler  
Brent Smith  
Kyle Smith

**Deerfield High School**

*Principal: Shane Burns*  
Nathaniel Rivas

**Derby High School**

*Principal: Tim Hamblin*  
Samuel Harrison  
Nicole Henderson  
Emma Stubby  
Sean Wentling  
David Zimmerman

**Dighton High School**

*Principal: Leighton Rudd*  
Lexis Beesley

**Dodge City High School**

*Principal: Jacque Feist*  
Hever Arjon  
Alex Lim  
Mariela Lopez Gonzalez  
Anna Ridgway  
Ashly Sites

**Douglass High School**

*Principal: Scott Dunham*  
Dylan West

**Lakeside High School, Downs**

*Principal: Jeremy Long*  
Tanna Cunningham

**Pleasant Ridge High School, Easton**

*Principal: Dr. Tom Barry*  
Christopher Raithel

**Atchison County Community High School, Effingham**

*Principal: Deanna Scherer*  
Rebecca Statler

**El Dorado High School**

*Principal: Bruce Lolling*  
Isabelle Haahr

**Berean Academy, Elbing**

*Principal: Steve Bowers*  
Andrew Templin

**Elkhart High School**

*Principal: Jason Wilson*  
Shaybree Hanes

**Ellinwood High School**

*Principal: Mark Cook*  
Erin Hammeke

**Ellis High School**

*Principal: Donna Schmidt*  
Grace Eck

**Ellsworth High School**

*Principal: Ken Windholz*  
Jonathan Spachek

**Emporia High School**

*Principal: Dathan Fischer*  
Ethan Lord  
Moises Villegas  
Taryn West

**Erie High School**

*Principal: Noah Francis*  
Hannah Van Cleave

**Mission Valley High School, Eskridge**

*Principal: Randy Wild*

Paige Sims

**Eudora High School**

*Principal: Ron Abel*

Daniel Campbell

Colby Lawhorn

**Eureka High School**

*Principal: Sean Spoonts*

Ava Perrier

**Fort Scott High School**

*Principal: Amber Toth*

Thomas Gorman

Oliver Witt

**Fowler High School**

*Principal: Corri McDowell*

Jahim Ross

**Frankfort High School**

*Principal: Dean Dalinghaus*

Mariah Broxterman

**Fredonia High School**

*Principal: Jamie Camacho*

Penner Fox

**Frontenac High School**

*Principal: Mike Copple*

Hannah Eckstein

**Galena High School**

*Principal: Toby VanCleave*

Riley McNemar

**Garden City High School**

*Principal: Steve Nordby*

Ashleigh Chappel

Jasmin Flores

Adam Kennington

Kayla Nguyen

Tam Nguyen

**Garden Plain High School**

*Principal: Kody Kasselmann*

Olivia Gerant

**Gardner-Edgerton High School**

*Principal: Frank Bell*

Pearl Savasten

Elysia Valverde

Kendra Wait

Brenton Wilden

**Anderson County High School, Garnett**

*Principal: Matt Self*

Dylan Cole

**Glasco High School**

*Principal: Regina Wallace*

Hana Cool

**Eisenhower High School, Goddard**

*Principal: Dr. Christie Meyer*

Amelia Adams

Tamilore Adeagbo

Kenneth Luu

**Goddard High School**

*Principal: Doug Bridwell*

Hannah Nelson

Annika Tomtschik

**Goessel High School**

*Principal: Scott Boden*

Kale Funk

**Goodland High School**

*Principal: David Blochlinger*

Leyton Cure

**Wheatland High School, Grainfield**

*Principal: Todd Flinn*

Elliot Godek

**Great Bend High School**

*Principal: Tim Friess*

Cal Dunekack

Olivia Rugan

Aubrey Snapp

**Kiowa County High School, Greensburg**

*Principal: Travis Powell*

Allison Kirby

**Southeast of Saline High School, Gypsum**

*Principal: Rhonda Wright*

Makenna Roths

**Halstead High School**

*Principal: Joe Gerber*  
Madison McClain

**Hamilton High School**

*Principal: Lee Baldwin*  
Paige Knight

**Hanover High School**

*Principal: Cory Jensen*  
Kara Bruna

**Hartford High School**

*Principal: Douglas Hes*  
Brooke Finnerty

**Hays High School**

*Principal: Martin Straub*  
Andrew Duke  
Alicia Feyerherm

**Thomas More Prep-Marian High School, Hays**

*Principal: Chad Meitner*  
Morgan Staab

**Healy High School**

*Principal: John West*  
Jobi Roemer

**Herington High School**

*Principal: Matt Fox*  
Carrie Roe

**Hiawatha High School**

*Principal: Lori Fordyce*  
Katherine Madsen

**Doniphan West High School, Highland**

*Principal: Chris Lackey*  
Kinlee Whetstine

**Hill City High School**

*Principal: Alan Stein*  
Asa Handy

**Hillsboro High School**

*Principal: Clint Corby*  
Jessica Saunders

**Hoisington High School**

*Principal: Joel Mason*  
Drew Nicholson

**Holcomb High School**

*Principal: Jason Johnson*  
Addyson Bjurstrom

**Holton High School**

*Principal: Rod Wittmer*  
Kiana Jessepe

**Jackson Heights High School, Holton**

*Principal: Darren Shupe*  
Paige Deneault

**Hope High School**

*Principal: Mike Teeter*  
Amber Brockmeier

**Horton High School**

*Principal: Larry Mills*  
Delaine Molt

**West Elk High School, Howard**

*Principal: Kevin Weber*  
Christina Perkins

**Royal Valley High School, Hoyt**

*Principal: Dr. Joel Hesel*  
Hayley Harman

**Hugoton High School**

*Principal: Melody Witt*  
Grace Gibson

**Humboldt High School**

*Principal: John Johnson*  
Madison Riebel

**Central Christian High School, Hutchinson**

*Principal: Roberto Ibarra*  
Madeline Boman

**Hutchinson High School**

*Principal: Ryan Ewy*  
Jonathan Fan  
Grace Frager  
Koby Harding  
William Jackson

**Trinity Catholic High School, Hutchinson**

*Principal: Dan Dester*  
Ryan Zipprich



**Independence High School**

*Principal: Carmen Chism*  
Leah Barwick  
Lux Wright

**Ingalls High School**

*Principal: Ted Brown*  
Alexa Lightner

**Inman High School**

*Principal: Tyler Weinbrenner*  
Elizabeth Leck

**Iola High School**

*Principal: Scott Carson*  
Audrey Coltrane

**Hodgeman County High School, Jetmore**

*Principal: Ron Shelton*  
Koryn Stapleton

**Junction City High School**

*Principal: Merrier Jackson*  
Jonathan Flores  
Elyse Nguyen  
Abigail Rosauer  
Manuel Villamor

**St. Xavier High School, Junction City**

*Principal: Shawn Augustine*  
Dongjun Shin

**Bishop Ward High School, Kansas City**

*Principal: Michelle Olson*  
Nikila Taylor

**JC Harmon High School, Kansas City**

*Principal: Claudio Flores*  
Leslie Chavez  
Melissa Chavez  
Kenly Nicolas  
Karla Ramos

**Piper High School, Kansas City**

*Principal: John Nguyen*  
Blake Beashore  
Gabrielle Fiset

**Turner High School, Kansas City**

*Principal: Dr. Alan Penrose*  
Ashlyn Bakersfield  
Rachel Everitt

**Wyandotte High School, Kansas City**

*Principal: Mary Stewart*  
Jenifer Delgado Hernandez  
Alondra Diaz-Delgado  
Katerin Molina Peraza

**Thunder Ridge High School, Kensington**

*Principal: Keith Hall*  
Mark Ferguson

**Kingman High School**

*Principal: Andy Albright*  
Seth Krehbiel

**Kinsley High School**

*Principal: Luke Ritchie*  
Rylie Miller

**South Barber High School, Kiowa**

*Principal: Brent Shaffer*  
Nora Gugelmeyer

**La Crosse High School**

*Principal: Jon Webster*  
Chase Schmidt

**Prairie View High School, LaCygne**

*Principal: Dr. Joe Hornback*  
Kyra Uphoff

**Lakin High School**

*Principal: Chris Hattabaugh*  
Ryan Rider

**Fairfield High School, Langdon**

*Principal: Jessica Mathes*  
Kayley Brown

**Lansing High School**

*Principal: Rob McKim*  
Madelyn Atkins  
Vinay Patel

**Larned High School**

*Principal: Dustin Wilson*  
Joseph Theis

**Bishop Seabury Academy, Lawrence**

*Principal: Don Schawang*  
Audrey Nguyen-Hoang

**Free State High School, Lawrence**

*Principal: Myron Graber*  
Ryan Duan  
Rebecca Feng  
Yoav Gillath  
Julia Lin  
Hollis Wilkins

**Leavenworth High School**

*Principal: Christy Lentz*  
William Ayers  
Samantha Casmus  
Angelica Cramer

**St. James Academy, Lenexa**

*Principal: Dr. Shane Rapp*  
Jamie Cordes  
Jason Heeb  
Maria Matulis

**Bluestem High School, Leon**

*Principal: Orville Brown*  
Kiona Brown

**Wichita County High School, Leoti**

*Principal: Delbert Schmidt*  
Cambree Koehn

**Liberal High School**

*Principal: Ashley Kappelman*  
Tony Rivero  
Teja Sieber  
Florysell Zarate  
Braegan Zimmerman

**Lincoln High School**

*Principal: Christi Walter*  
Paige McBride

**Smoky Valley High School, Lindsborg**

*Principal: Scott Lee*  
Ophelia Miller

**Linn High School**

*Principal: Antoinette Root*  
Carly Kollé

**Little River High School**

*Principal: Audrey Herbst*  
Bailey Hodgson

**Logan High School**

*Principal: David Kirkendall*  
Khloee Braun

**Elk Valley High School, Longton**

*Principal: Jason Crawford*  
Hunter Ballew

**Centre High School, Lost Springs**

*Principal: Trevor Siebert*  
Tyler Nickel

**Louisburg High School**

*Principal: Jeremy Holloway*  
Cade Holtzen  
Carson Houchen

**Lyndon High School**

*Principal: Tanner Smith*  
Adam Herdman

**Lyons High School**

*Principal: Kelly Nusser*  
Blake Seidel-Pinson

**Macksville High School**

*Principal: Scott Palser*  
Anna Suiter

**Madison High School**

*Principal: Stu Moeckel*  
Josie Reed

**Maize High School**

*Principal: Dr. Chris Botts*  
Amanda Branom  
Noah Hale  
Jeannine Lopez

**Manhattan High School**

*Principal: Michael Dorst*  
Koen Arthaud-Day  
Cole Hayden  
Kayla Lei  
Chanae Parker  
Brent Thein

**Rock Hills High School, Mankato**

*Principal: Sam Meyers*  
Karrigan Dunstan

**Marion High School**

*Principal: Donald Raymer*  
Laura Savage

**Marysville High School**

*Principal: Darren Schroeder*  
Zachary Haefele

**Elyria Christian High School, McPherson**

*Principal: Rhonda Stucky*  
Zachary Stucky

**McPherson High School**

*Principal: Bryce McFarland*  
Brennan Gipson  
Matthew Powers

**Meade High School**

*Principal: Brandon Haynes*  
Alley Ross

**Medicine Lodge High School**

*Principal: Adam Maloney*  
Carson Cargill

**Jefferson West High School, Meriden**

*Principal: Rhonda Frakes*  
Jerrett Martin

**Miltonvale High School**

*Principal: Roger Perkins*  
Morgan Coleman

**Minneapolis High School**

*Principal: Terry Moeckel*  
Brendan Shanks

**Minneola High School**

*Principal: Lance Custer*  
Megan Schneweis

**South Gray High School, Montezuma**

*Principal: Kim Batman*  
Taylor Koehn

**Marmaton Valley High School, Moran**

*Principal: Brian Campbell*  
Haylee Meiwes

**Moscow High School**

*Principal: Myron Flax*  
Gerardo Garcia

**Jayhawk Linn High School, Mound City**

*Principal: Shawn Thomas*  
Jenna Holt

**Moundridge High School**

*Principal: Hilarie Hecox*  
Emma Green

**Mulvane High School**

*Principal: Glenda Cowell*  
Caleb Perkins  
Evan Wing

**Natoma High School**

*Principal: Larry Geist*  
Carley Chrisler

**Neodesha High School**

*Principal: Nathan West*  
Chaynee Johnson

**Ness City High School**

*Principal: Tom Flax*  
Dylan Bruntz

**Newton High School**

*Principal: Caleb Smith*  
Jakob Graber  
Elise Jantz  
Mallory Seirer

**Nickerson High School**

*Principal: Rick Blosser*  
Korie Kaufman

**Norton Community High School**

*Principal: Julie Schrum*  
Abigail Dubois

**Norwich High School**

*Principal: Tammy Clark*  
Avery Rosenhagen

**Oakley High School**

*Principal: Kristy Eberle*  
Sean Runnals

**Decatur Community High School, Oberlin**

*Principal: Brenda Breth*  
Taite Woolsey

**Heritage Christian Academy, Olathe**

*Principal: David Schenk*

Lydia Burrell

**Insight School of Kansas (virtual), Olathe**

*Principal: Cassie Barton*

Lauren Siebel

**Olathe North High School**

*Principal: Jason Herman*

Wade Boohar

Arjun Garapaty

Khushi Kohli

Samuel Liu

Tasmin Sangha

**Olathe Northwest High School**

*Principal: Chris Zuck*

Ronald (Sam) Arrick

Jordyn Gobble

Avery Hurley

Tanya Qin

Margo Salaczplantz

**Olathe South High School**

*Principal: Dale Longenecker*

Videl Nelson

Micaela Reiss

Mason Romero

Colin Sears

Shalika Subramanian

**Olathe West High School**

*Principal: Jay Novacek*

Sam Butler

Nicholas Gerogiou

Hannah Lewis

Ryan Sauter

**Olpe High School**

*Principal: Shane Clark*

Lauryn Broyles

**Onaga High School**

*Principal: Ty Poell*

Chloe Fischer

**Osage City High School**

*Principal: Tony Heward*

Danielle Kerns

**Osawatomie High School**

*Principal: Ardy Dehdasht*

Jared Moulthrop

**Osborne High School**

*Principal: Tom Conway*

Reagan Bales

**Oskaloosa High School**

*Principal: Brad Jones*

Ellie Stember

**Oswego High School**

*Principal: Rob Schneeberger*

Allie Vail

**Ottawa High School**

*Principal: Kelly Whittaker*

Taylor Black

Kaitlyn Carrier

**Blue Valley High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Scott Bacon*

Sophie Bahadursingh

Shayla Bhuri

Tanya Pattani

Nikhil Reddy

**Blue Valley North High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Dr. Tyson Ostroski*

Firas Batrash

Alec Liu

Grant Mao

Natalie Swerdlow

**Blue Valley Northwest High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Dr. Amy Pressly*

Sneha Jacob

Lucas Liang

Shaurir Ramanujan

Suhaan Syed

**Blue Valley Southwest High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Scott Roberts*

Egan Li

Owen Li

Karthik Sathish

Kristina Wu

**Blue Valley West High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Dr. Brett Potts*

Alan Abraham  
Rohit Chand  
Supta Das  
Abihith Kothapalli

**St. Thomas Aquinas High School, Overland Park**

*Principal: Brian Schenck*

Seth Filipsen  
Lauren Miller  
Grace O'Keefe

**Palco High School**

*Principal: Mandi Dobson*

Natalie Bollig

**Paola High School**

*Principal: Jeff Hines*

Emmaellese Gage  
Skylar Markovich

**Parsons High School**

*Principal: Eric Swanson*

Ethan Wheat

**Peabody-Burns High School**

*Principal: Scott Kimble*

Mackenzie Eden

**Perry-Lecompton High School**

*Principal: Mike Maloun*

Joseph Ward

**Phillipsburg High School**

*Principal: Todd Bowman*

Ty Sides

**Pittsburg High School**

*Principal: Kelynn Heardt*

Chanu Lee  
Joseph Lee

**St. Mary's Colgan High School, Pittsburg**

*Principal: Wes Streeter*

Mary Grace Goetting

**Plainville High School**

*Principal: Jeremy Krob*

Isaiah Russell

**Pleasanton High School**

*Principal: Mitch Shaw*

Emma Sabine  
Caleb Secret

**West Franklin High School, Pomona**

*Principal: Matthew Brenzikofer*

Nevaeh Scott  
Virginia Wright

**Pratt High School**

*Principal: Steve Blankenship*

Sian Helfrich

**Skyline High School, Pratt**

*Principal: Herb McPherson*

Braden Tyler

**Pretty Prairie High School**

*Principal: Kevin Hedrick*

Liz Graber

**Quinter High School**

*Principal: Toby Countryman*

Reegan Scott

**Blue Valley High School, Randolph**

*Principal: Marion Mazouch*

Jeremiah Duncan

**Western Plains High School, Ransom**

*Principal: Jeff Jones*

Carlee Flax

**Golden Plains High School, Rexford**

*Principal: Rob Schiltz*

Ashley Stoll

**Riley County High School, Riley**

*Principal: Harold Oliver*

Ryan Pierce

**Riverton High School**

*Principal: Chad Harper*

Gavin Coleman

**Flinthills High School, Rosalia**

*Principal: Michael Hunter*

Matison Totty

**Rose Hill High School**

*Principal: Shannon Haydock*  
Sarah Baden  
Caden Dinkel

**Pawnee Heights High School, Rozel**

*Principal: Mark Pywell*  
Jaden Carlson

**Russell High School**

*Principal: Shawn Henderson*  
Cole Birky

**Sabetha High School**

*Principal: David Glynn*  
Spencer Strahm

**Central High School, Salina**

*Principal: Dr. Matthew Brungardt*  
Spencer Angell  
Avery Darby  
Reed Mchenry

**Sacred Heart High School, Salina**

*Principal: John Krajicek*  
Katherine Bergkamp

**South High School, Salina**

*Principal: Dr. Charles Kipp*  
Reese Altman  
Maya Daily  
Tiana Marion

**Satanta High School**

*Principal: Heather Stegman*  
Jody Zimmerman

**Pike Valley High School, Scandia**

*Principal: Jeremy Miller*  
Ethan Benne

**Scott Community High School**

*Principal: Aaron Dardis*  
Landon Trout

**Sedan High School**

*Principal: Brian Rieschick*  
Caitlin Williams

**Sedgwick High School**

*Principal: Mike Hilliard*  
Dillon McGinn

**Nemaha Central High School, Seneca**

*Principal: Ben Scism*  
Hannah Macke

**Wallace County High School, Sharon Springs**

*Principal: Christy Hammer*  
Drayton Pletcher

**Bishop Miege High School, Shawnee Mission**

*Principal: Maureen Engen*  
Charles Hill  
Aidan Oblepius

**Shawnee Mission East High School**

*Principal: Dr. Scott Sherman*  
Avery Bihuniak  
Catherine Erickson  
Grace Strongman  
Sienna Sun  
Lily Utt

**Shawnee Mission North High School**

*Principal: Dr. Jeremy Higgins*  
Audrey Caravello  
Matthew Cunningham  
Anna Hathaway  
Nkemjika Obi

**Shawnee Mission South High School**

*Principal: Todd Dain*  
Charles Horner  
Anna James  
John Selzer  
Carina Swanson

**Shawnee Mission West High School**

*Principal: Steven Loe*  
Jacob Helsel  
Guntas Jammu  
Noah Valverde  
Zachary Wallenburg

**Smith Center High School**

*Principal: Greg Koelsch*  
Jarek Meyer

**Solomon High School**

*Principal: Nicholas Owen*  
Spencer Lacost

**South Haven High School**

*Principal: Ron Levan*  
Sydney Bacon

**Spring Hill High School**

*Principal: Marc Williams*  
Morgan D'Albini  
Lily Kuhn  
Allison McMillin

**St. Francis High School**

*Principal: David Morrow*  
Garin Cooper

**Rock Creek High School, St. George**

*Principal: Eric Koppes*  
Keith Hancock

**St. John-Hudson High School**

*Principal: Blain White*  
Damian Rios

**St. Marys High School**

*Principal: Ryan Luke*  
Lanie Mott

**St. Paul High School**

*Principal: Lee Odell*  
Emily Richenburg

**Stafford High School**

*Principal: Katie Minks*  
Jayce Hildebrand

**Sterling High School**

*Principal: Phil Bressler*  
Colton Sant

**Sublette High School**

*Principal: Monty Marlin*  
Alexandria Vogts

**Sylvan-Lucas Unified High School**

*Principal: Jeff Starkey*  
Jonah Huehl

**Syracuse High School**

*Principal: Paul Zuzelski*  
Katelynne Riley

**Shawnee Heights High School, Tecumseh**

*Principal: Ed West*  
Palmer Bo Miller  
Elizabeth Mowery  
Benjamin Weinzirl

**Tescott High School**

*Principal: Steven Kimmi*  
Kylie Flax

**Tipton Catholic High School**

*Principal: Gery Hake*  
Anna Towner

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*Principal: John Niehues*  
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*Principal: Mike Estes*  
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*Principal: Mark Paul*  
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**Valley Center High School**

*Principal: Jamie Lewis*  
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**Valley Falls High School**

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# Number of Students Recognized as Governor’s Scholars

<u>Year</u>	<u>Number of Honorees</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Number of Honorees</u>
1984		2003	493
1985		2004	534
1986		2005	533
1987		2006	543
1988		2007	547
1989	620	2008	550
1990	581	2009	543
1991	610	2010	535
1992	597	2011	539
1993	658	2012	535
1994	636	2013	541
1995	675	2014	539
1996	699	2015	539
1997	696	2016	542
1998	773	2017	544
1999	827	2018	554
2000	605	2019	545
2001	503	2020	531
2002	512	2021	498

## Kansas Governor’s Scholars 2021 Statistics

1. Did you participate in co-curricular activities?	Yes	97.0%
	No	3.0%
If yes, what type?	Athletic Only	6.2%
	Non-Athletic	24.8%
	Both	69.0%
2. Will you be attending college or pursuing formal education/training next year?	Yes	99.6%
	No/Undecided	0.4%
Where will you attend college?	In Kansas	52.8%
	Out of State	22.1%
	Undecided	25.1%

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