

# Every Student Succeeds Act Fact Sheet



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On December 10, 2015, President Obama signed into law the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), which reauthorizes the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA). This latest update will revise provisions in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 and the Kansas ESEA Flexibility waiver. The ESSA includes many reforms that return flexibility to the state while maintaining accountability for the success of all children.

## Title I Improving Basic Programs Operated by State and Local Education Agencies

Implementation 2017-2018.

Title I, Part A reauthorized with changes.  
Title I, Part C Migrant reauthorized with changes.  
Title I, Part D Delinquent reauthorized with changes.

Comprehensive Support for Schools:

- Kansas Learning Network schools and districts.
- Kansas Multi-Tier System of Supports.

## Title II Preparing, Training, and Recruiting High-Quality Teachers, Principals, or other School Leaders

Implementation 2017-2018.  
Reauthorized with flexibility in funding.

## Title III Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students

Implementation 2017-2018.  
Reauthorized with changes.

Much of Title III accountability is now part of Title I requirements.

## Title IV 21<sup>st</sup> Century Schools

Implementation 2017-2018.  
Title IV, Part A is a formula grant.

Part A, Student Support and Academic Enrichment.

- Activities to Support Well-Rounded Educational Activities (Section 4107).
- Activities to Support Safe and Healthy Students (Section 4108).
- Activities to Support the Effective Use of Technology (Section 4109).

Part B, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers reauthorized.

## Title V State Innovation and Local Flexibility

Implementation 2017-2018.

Formerly Title VI, reauthorized as Title V.

- Transferability-district may transfer up to 100% of Title II-A and Title IV-A funds into Title I or Title III.
- Small Rural School Achievement Program (SRSA) and Rural and Low Income Schools (RLIS) both reauthorized.

## Title VI Indian, Native Hawaiian, and Alaska Native Education

Implementation 2017-2018.

Formerly Title VII, reauthorized as Title VI.

- Districts apply directly to USDE.
- Minimum 10 qualifying students.

## Title VII Impact Aid

Implementation 2017-2018.

Formerly Title VIII, reauthorized as Title VII.

## Title VIII General Provisions

Implementation 2017-2018.

Formerly Title IX, reauthorized as Title VIII.

- Definitions.
- Ombudsman to monitor and enforce the requirements and to ensure equitable services are provided to private schools

## Title IX Education for the Homeless and Other Laws

Part A, Homeless Children and Youths.

Implementation 2016-2017.

Reauthorized McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act.

- School of origin for preschools and feeder schools.
- Transportation for the remainder of the school year for students back to school of origin after becoming permanently housed.
- Mandatory professional development for liaisons.
- Credit accrual requirements for work completed.

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## Definition of Highly Qualified Teacher Change

“A teacher who meets the applicable State certification and licensure requirements, including any requirements for certification obtained through alternative routes to certification, or, with regard to special education teachers, the qualifications described in section 612(a) (14) (C) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.”



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