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74-32,423. Definitions. As used in this act:

- (a) "Board of regents" means the state board of regents provided for in the constitution of this state.
- (b) "Career technical workforce grant" means the award of a financial grant-in-aid by this state under this act to an eligible student.
- (c) "Designated career technical education program" means a program operated at the postsecondary level by a designated educational institution that has been identified by the Kansas board of regents, working in conjunction with the Kansas department of commerce, as a high cost, high demand or critical industry field program.
- (d) "Designated educational institution" means an educational institution that: (1) Has been identified by the Kansas board of regents, working in conjunction with the Kansas department of commerce, as delivering programs that are high cost, high demand or in a critical industry field; (2) is eligible to receive federal title IV funding; and (3) has its main campus or principal place of operation located in Kansas.
- (e) "Eligible career technical education program" means a designated career technical education program operated at the postsecondary level by a designated educational institution.
- (f) "Eligible student" means a person who: (1) Is a resident of Kansas; (2) has graduated from a high school accredited by the state board of education or has received general educational development credentials issued by the board of regents, or has graduated from a home school program or a nonaccredited private secondary school, as defined and authorized pursuant to K.S.A. 72-4345 et seq.; and (3) is enrolled in or has been accepted for admission to an eligible career technical education program operated by a designated Kansas educational institution.
- (g) "Program term" means ½ the duration of the period of time required for completion of a career technical education program when such period of time encompasses more than one school year.
- (h) "Satisfactory performance" means retaining admission in and meeting the standards established by the Kansas educational institution being attended by the eligible student.
- (i) "School year" means the period of time beginning on July 1 in each calendar year and ending on June 30 in the succeeding calendar year.
- (j) "State board of education" means the state board of education provided for in the constitution of this state.

History: L. 1986, ch. 355, § 1; L. 1999, ch. 147, § 111; L. 2012, ch. 168, § 1; July 1.