

JUNE 2026 GRANTS OFFICE UPDATE

Short-Term Grants (Two years or less)	
Perkins Local for CTE	Grant period ends 6/30/26
KBOR Nursing Initiative	Grant period ends 6/30/26
Digital Opportunities Connecting Kansans (DOCK) - Digital Literacy project for Barton's 7-county service area	Grant period ends 7/31/26
Patterson Family Foundation: Trades Workforce Development – Electrical Technology program (CertB)	Awarded for FY26 and FY27
Perkins Reserve: Welding	Grant period ends 6/30/26
EDGE Institute – Yearlong workshop to develop an NSF grant proposal for AI, Machine Learning, Quantum Computing, and BioTech	Accepted as one of 30 community college cohorts; runs January '26 - January '27

Multi-Year Grants	
AEFLA (Adult Education & Family Literacy Act) Adult education, family literacy, integrated education and training	Awarded for FY26-FY30
TRIO- SSS (Student Support Services) Support of students from underrepresented groups to increase college retention/graduation and transfer from 2yr to 4yr	Awarded for FY26-FY30 (Sept-Aug)
TRIO- CKUB (Central KS Upward Bound) Access to post-secondary education for first-gen, low-income Students	Current 5-yr cycle ends in FY27
TRIO- BCUB (Barton County Upward Bound) Access to post-secondary education for 9 th -grade through high school Students	Current 5-yr cycle ends in FY27
TRIO- CKEOC (Central KS Educational Opportunity Ctr.) Increase the number of secondary school diplomas, FAFSA apps, admissions, and enrollments	Current 5-yr cycle ends in FY28 / Submitted proposal for next cycle of funding

Multi-Year Subaward Grants	
FHSU Robert Noyce National Science Foundation (NSF) Certified Rural Enhanced STEM Teachers (CREST) – Provides Noyce scholarships, local STEM activities, and faculty support	Ends in April 2029