

Education and Workforce Development Cabinet

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Education + Workforce Development Cabinet

The Education and Workforce Development Cabinet (EWDC) is strengthening Kentucky families from cradle to career by supporting opportunities for education, training, and career readiness, building a dynamic workforce that meets current and future global demand.



Expand

Exposure

Experience

Expertise

- KY Governor's Office of Early Childhood
- KY Department of Education
- KY Center for School Safety
- Governor's School for Entrepreneurs
- Governor's Scholars Program
- Office of Adult Education
- Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
- KY Commission on Proprietary Education

- Office of Employer and Apprenticeship Services
- KY Workforce Innovation Board (KWIB)
- Kentucky Educational Television (KET)
- KY Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- KY Environmental Education Council
- KY Center for Statistics (KY STATS)
- KY Department of Libraries and Archives (KDLA)

FY21 Budget Overview

| | General Funds | Restricted Funds | Federal Funds | Tobacco Funds |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| General Administration & Program Support | \$6,415,700 | \$5,083,800 | \$11,065,500 | \$1,400,000 |
| Department for Workforce Investment | \$34,867,900 | \$7,238,700 | \$129,153,100 | \$0 |
| KY Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing | \$970,200 | \$1,178,200 | \$0 | \$0 |
| KY Commission on Proprietary Education | \$0 | \$331,900 | \$0 | \$0 |
| KY Environmental Education Council | \$0 | \$506,900 | \$316,000 | \$0 |
| Kentucky Educational Television | \$15,054,000 | \$1,524,800 | \$0 | \$0 |
| KY Department of Libraries and Archives | \$9,076,700 | \$4,208,330 | \$2,586,400 | \$0 |
| TOTAL | \$66,384,500 | \$20,072,630 | \$43,121,000 | \$1,400,000 |

EWDC Challenges & Successes

CHALLENGES

- COVID-19 impact on direct services
 - GSE
 - GSP
 - OVR
 - KDLA
- Broadband access
- Adapting to telework

SUCCESSSES

- KY Commission on Proprietary Education
- Governor's Scholars Program
- Governor's School for Entrepreneurs
- Free GED Program
- Expanding KWIB membership to include emerging sectors
- Added a student and active teacher to KBE

LOOKING AHEAD

- Supporting workforce re-entry
- Expanding apprenticeship opportunities
- Expanding broadband access
- Implementing implicit bias training for every faculty and staff in KY public schools
- Supporting the KY Academy for Equity in Teaching

Questions?

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