

FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS

What are the age requirements for a Kansas Kids Lifetime Combination Hunting and Fishing License?

When can I purchase a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License for my child?

When can I submit my child's application for a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License?

What is the cost of a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License?

Resident youth who are 7 years old or younger at the time of application AND postmarked date.

KDWP is not accepting applications or payments for the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License at this time.

Before the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License can be offered, KDWP must first amend select Department regulations to allow for the new license and associated fees. This requires approval by several other state agencies before going to the KDWP Commission for final approval. The KDWP Commission will vote on the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License during their September 8 public hearing. If approved, the amendments allowing for the new license will then be republished in the Kansas register, at which time license sales may begin.

Once available for purchase, applications for Kansas Kids Lifetime Combination Hunting and Fishing Licenses will be posted online, here: https://ksoutdoors.com/License-Permits /Kansas-Kids-Lifetime-Hunting-and-Fishing-License.

Paper applications will be available for submission beginning Fall 2022. Online applications will be available for submission beginning January 2023.

Resident youth who are 5 years old or younger are eligible for a **Kansas Kids Lifetime Combination Hunting and Fishing License** for \$302.50.

Resident youth who are 6 or 7 years old are eligible for a Kansas **Kids Lifetime Combination Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License** for \$502.50.

QUESTION

How do I purchase a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License for my child?

My child's birthday is approaching soon. How can I be sure my child is eligible for the reduced price?

How long will it take to receive my child's Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License?

Does KDWP offer payment plans for the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License?

My child already has a lifetime fishing license and/or hunting license. Can I still purchase them a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License? Can I get a refund for the prior purchase?

Is my child required to have Hunter Education?

ANSWER

Applicants must complete an application and provide proof of Kansas Residency. Once available, a link to the application and information required will be posted on ksoutdoors.com/License-Permits.

Those 7 years old and younger on July 1, 2022 - regardless of whether they "age out" prior to the submission of their application - may apply for the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License; KDWP will honor all eligible applications that are submitted and postmarked by December 31, 2022.

After December 31, 2022, only resident youth who are 7 years old or younger at the time of application AND postmarked date will be eligible.

Processing times vary and are dependent upon the number of pending applications received and verifications of residency. Applications will be processed in the order it was received, and applicants will be notified once their application is approved.

Payment plans are not currently available for the Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License. Payment is due in full upon application.

Refunds for lifetime licenses purchased prior to July 1, 2022 will not be issued.

If a child already has either a lifetime fishing or hunting license, they may obtain a Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License by completing an application, verifying residency, and paying the fee in-full at the time of application. Upon approval of the application, a new Kansas Kids Lifetime Hunting and Fishing License will be issued.

Anyone born on or after July 1, 1957 must be certified by an approved course in hunter education before they can hunt in Kansas, except that anyone 15 years old or younger may hunt without hunter education certification provided they are under the direct supervision of an adult 18 years old or older.

For more information on Kansas Hunter Education, including available courses, visit https://ksoutdoors.com/Services/Education/Hunter/General-Information.

For more, visit ksoutdoors.com or contact the KDWP Licensing Section at (620) 672-5911.

