



Kosciusko County  
**COMMUNITY  
 FOUNDATION**  
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# THE PETE AND FAY THORN EDUCATIONAL FUND SCHOLARSHIP

This Educational Scholarship Fund was created by the Thornes to assist students in obtaining education at accredited colleges and universities. Pete and Fay Thorn were long-term teachers in the Warsaw Community School System. Lee Norman "Pete" Thorn distinguished himself at Wabash College as the first athlete at Wabash to win 16 letters in four sports – football, basketball, track, and baseball. He was later inducted into the Indiana Basketball and Football Halls of Fame. As founder and initial director of the Baker Boys Club, Pete received national recognition from the National Boys Club Organization for his positive influence on youth in this community. In 1959, Pete was honored as the first Warsaw "Man of the Year." Having served youth for over 40 years, Pete and Fay Thorn continue to serve youth through this scholarship fund.

For all Kosciusko County Community Foundation Scholarships ONLY –

- Submit an application for each scholarship applied for with all the required attachments. Staple all attachments to each application, no paper clips. Do not attach information sheets to applications. Submit all applications at the same time, do not mail individually, bundle all applications in the order listed in the index.

In **ONE ENVELOPE SUBMIT** THE FOLLOWING **TWO** ITEMS, regardless of the number of submitted applications. Do not attach the envelope to any one application. Please write the student's name on the envelope. Failure to submit both items in an envelope with the student's name will result in an incomplete application:

- **ONE PHOTO** – A newsprint quality photo (no larger than 3x5), with the student's name on the back of the photo.
- **ONE FAFSA'S STUDENT AID REPORT (SAR)**, (the report FAFSA returns to you), including your name and the EFC (Expected Family Contribution) number. If ineligible to apply for FAFSA, obtain a Financial Aid Questionnaire from the Community Foundation.

**Note: The IRS Form 1040 will not be accepted in place of the SAR.**

Return to Address	Kosciusko County Community Foundation, Inc. 102 East Market Street Warsaw, IN 46580
Telephone	574-267-1901
Date Applications Available	Year round
Dollar Amount	Varies
Location of Applications	High School Guidance Office Kosciusko County Community Foundation, Inc. www.kcfoundation.org

Deadline for Submitting **April 1**

**Required Attachments to the Standard Application Form** Submit a copy of high school transcript including SAT/ACT scores or a copy of college transcript.

Two current letters of recommendation.

- Qualifications
- Must be a resident of Kosciusko County, Indiana and have graduated from a high school serving Kosciusko County, Indiana.
  - Must be under 25 years of age with a financial need and must plan to attend an accredited college or university.
  - Be in upper 25% of their class rank.
  - Must show financial need.
  - The Kosciusko County Community Foundation Scholarship Committee may give preference to students who have participated in youth activities at the Thorn Youth Center.

- Eligibility
- High School Senior
  - College Student
  - Past Recipient (Must maintain a "B" average)

All applications and attachments **must** be delivered on or before **April 1**. Awards will be paid to the educational institution after acceptance and must be used for tuition, books, or fees.