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The Northern Indiana Community Foundation, Inc. administers a scholarship program that each year helps local students pursue higher education. We hope to add you to our list! Featured on the pages of this publication are scholarships offered by the Fulton County Community Foundation through a competitive application process. Please read the description of each one to see if you are eligible to apply. The application can be found online at nicf.org.

Union Township Scholarship:

Several local people created this scholarship to invest in the young people residing in Union Township and to help them accomplish their educational goals.

Eligibility

Graduating seniors of Rochester, Caston or Winamac High Schools and Union Township residents continuously for at least 2 years. Must show academic accomplishment, financial need and involved in school, work and the community.

Attachments

- Application Information Part A
- Application Information Part B
- One Letter of Recommendation
- Essay Question:
 - Briefly describe the person that has been most influential in your life and how they assisted you. Please also express your personal reasons for desiring a post-high school education, as well as your plans after graduation from college.
 - Submit your responses on a separate sheet of plain white paper. Include your name on the top left of the page and the name of the scholarship you are applying for on the top right of the page.
- Academic Certification Form
- Application Signature Page
- FASFA's Student Aid Report (SAR). This is the report FASFA returns to you. The EFC (Expected Family Contribution) number must be included.

1. Applications should be **typed or legibly printed in ink**.
2. Attach all required documents. See the Scholarship Fund Information pages for required document list.
3. Only **one official school transcript** is required. The Foundation will make additional copies as needed.
4. Provide a quality **wallet size photo** with your name on the back of the photo.
5. **Submit one original application and all required attachments.** The NICF office will make all necessary copies.
6. **Do not use staples.** Use only paper clips or clamps to attach your application materials to each other. Organize your application and all required materials.
7. **Place your application and attachments in a yellow manila envelope. Put your name and contact information on the outside of the envelope.** If you do not have a manila envelope, please ask your High School Guidance Dept. for an envelope and one will be provided to you.
8. By the deadline, give the manila envelope that contains your wallet size photo, application cover page, completed application, transcript, SAR and additional materials required to the guidance department of your high school.

For further assistance contact Corinne Becknell Lucas, Scholarship/Program Coordinator for the Northern Indiana Community Foundation at 574.223.2227 toll free at 877.432.6423 or at corinne@nicf.org

Estimated Expenses & Resources

Name of College/University you plan to attend _____

Estimated Resources

Have you received an award letter from this school? If so please attach. If no, please estimate your eligibility to the best of your ability.

Parent Contribution	\$
University Scholarship or Grants	\$
Federal Pell Grant	\$
Federal Academic Competitiveness Grant	\$
Federal Supplemental Grant (SEOG)	\$
Indiana Grants	\$
Federal Stafford Loan	\$
Federal Perkins Loan	\$
School Job	\$
Other (specify)	\$
Total Aid	\$

Estimated Expenses

Tuition & Fees	\$
Room & Board	\$
Books & Supplies	\$
Transportation	\$
Personal Expenses (e.g. laundry, clothing, etc.)	\$
Total Costs	\$

Do you have any other expense of which you would like to make us aware?

If your estimated expenses exceed your financial aid, how do you plan to pay the difference?

How much do you plan to earn working this summer?

Optional Special Circumstances: Please describe any special circumstances you or your family are experiencing.

Name of Student: _____

Academic Certification Form:

This Section to Be Completed By a High School Guidance Counselor

Diploma:

The student will graduate with the following:

Reg. Diploma _____ CORE 40 _____ Technical Honors _____ Academic Honors _____

Advanced Placement Classes:

Number of College Prep, Honors, Advanced Placement, Weighted Courses offered at this high school: _____

Number taken by student: _____

General Testing and Scholarship:

Did this student pass both required sections of the ISTEP GQE? _____ Yes _____ No

21st Century Scholar? _____ Yes _____ No Likely to be a recipient of the award? _____ Yes _____ No

Required Test and SAT/ACT Scores & Cumulative GPA:

Only complete if information in not on the student's transcript

Highest SAT Scores: Critical Reading _____ Math _____ Writing _____ Total: _____

Highest Composite ACT Score: _____

GPA _____ on a scale of _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Guidance Counselor Signature

Date

This Section to Be Completed By Applicant If They Are a Non-Traditional Student:

You must still attach a copy of your most recent high school or college transcript

GED recipients: Score on Section #1 #2 #3 #4 #5 Total Score: _____

GPA _____ on a scale of _____ Class Rank _____ Class Size _____

Sat Score: Writing _____ Math _____ Critical Reading _____ Total _____ ACT Score composite _____

Student Signature

Date

Application Signature Page

In signing this application, I hereby certify that the information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I have fulfilled all of the requirements for the application and I am enclosing required attachments as requested on the **instruction and scholarship description section** of this document. I am aware that the Northern Indiana Community Foundation scholarships may be used at an accredited education institution. I also understand that the awards will be announced in the spring and summer of 2010. In addition, I understand that the information contained in my application may be shared with the scholarship committee and / or the scholarship fund founder. If you are under 18 years of age, a parent's signature is required.

Applicant's Name (please print)

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent's Signature

Date

Submit one original application and all required attachments. The NICF office will make all necessary copies. **Do not use staples.** Use only paper clips or clamps to attach your application materials to each other. Organize your application and all required materials.

Application deadline is March 15th 2010