



Potter County

All Majors:

Knights of Columbus Educational Assistance Program

Open to third degree members or higher of the Knights of Columbus Council 1355, or the wife, child, or acknowledged child of a member. Applicant must be accepted into an educational program recognized by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. Requires copy of acceptance letter. Applications available through the Coudersport High School guidance office or through the Knights of Columbus Council 1355.

All Majors – For Graduating High School Seniors Only:

Ruth Agar Memorial Scholarship

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Approximately \$900. Awarded to a graduating senior from Northern Potter who is planning to attend a two or four-year institution of higher education. Requires a minimum “C” average. Applicant should have financial need, be seeking a career in a people-oriented field, and show characteristics of spunk, kindness, and acceptance of all. Applications available online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.

American Legion Post 530 Auxiliary/Sons Scholarship

Awarded to a graduating senior who is in some way related to the Shinglehouse American Legion Post 530. The relationship must be lineal to a parent, grandparent, sibling or spouse. Financial need will also be considered. Applicant must show qualities of good citizenship and a desire to further their education to a minimum of 2 years of schooling. Essay is required. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Austin-Costello Sportsmen Club (Austin High School or Coudersport High School)

Approximately \$500. Awarded to a graduating senior from Austin Area High School or Coudersport Senior High School who is accepted at an accredited two-year or four-year college or university. Essay and proof of acceptance are required. Applications available through Austin Area High School and Coudersport Senior High School guidance offices.*

Austin Education Foundation Scholarship (Austin High School)

<https://elkcountyfoundation.org/>

Approximately \$3,500 over 4 years. Awarded to a graduating senior from Austin Area High School. Requires minimum “C” average and activity resume of accomplishments and leadership roles. Applications available through Austin Area High School guidance office.

Joseph A. Brown, Jr. Memorial Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is accepted to a two-year or four-year post-secondary institution. Applicant must be an active member of the Coudersport community who has overcome extreme adversity and continues to succeed. Requires 85% minimum GPA, a resume, and an essay. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Coach Dunsmore Memorial Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who is an athlete in any sport. Applicant must be hardworking, motivated, and coachable individual who always gives it their best and is planning to continue their education. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Coudersport Area Education Association (Coudersport High School)

Up to 5 scholarships of \$500 each awarded to graduating seniors from Coudersport Senior High School. Students must be planning to attend a two-year or four-year post-secondary program. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Coudersport Sports Boosters Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Approximately \$1,000. Open to graduating seniors from Coudersport Senior High School who are members of the athletic or cheerleading program and will have completed at least two seasons of one or more varsity sports, at least one must be during their senior year. Student must have been accepted to a post high school education or a branch of military service. Requires essay and copy of acceptance letter. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Eureka Chapter #52 Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School. Essay is required. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

F.L. and Alice Donovan Memorial Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School. Essay is required. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Gagnon Award (Coudersport High School)

Open to graduating seniors from Coudersport Senior High School who will pursue at least one year of post-secondary education or training. Awarded to one senior boy and one senior girl who have excelled academically and served as role models for their peers. Scholarship is based on good citizenship, good sportsmanship, and good moral conduct. Requires class rank in top 1/5 of class. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Galeton Foundation Scholarship (Galeton High School)

<https://www.cnbankpa.com/>

Open to graduating high school seniors attending Galeton Area High School who are accepted to an accredited college, university, or trade school. Requires 2.0 minimum cumulative GPA. Student and parent(s)/guardian(s) must have been residents of Galeton Area School District for at least one full school year before applying and must remain residents of the Galeton Area School District for the duration of the scholarship. Applications available online at C&N Bank website or through the Galeton High School guidance office.*

Gas Field Specialists Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

\$1,000 each awarded to one male and one female graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School. Applicants must be accepted to an accredited trade or technical school and must provide a copy of their acceptance letter. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.*

Francis Hayward Scholarship Award (Oswayo Valley High School)

Approximately \$1,000 awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who is one of the top 5 members of their graduating class. Requires essay and acceptance letter. Selection is based on academic performance, essay, leadership, citizenship, and extracurricular activities. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Eric V. Hill Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who has demonstrated strength of character in overcoming adversity. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Knights of Columbus Council 1355 Community Grant (Coudersport High School)

Approximately \$325 awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is accepted to a post-secondary program recognized by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. Requires minimum 85% GPA during candidate's senior year, as of the last semester. Student must not be a member of the Coudersport Council 1355 or a child of a third-degree member of the Coudersport Council 1355. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Joe Lundy Memorial Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

\$500 each awarded to two graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School. Applicants must have been enrolled at Oswayo Valley during grades 9 through 12, maintain an 80% or higher GPA, and be seeking post-secondary education. An additional two \$250 scholarships will be awarded to two students who were active in sports. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Masonic Scholarship, Eulalia Lodge #342 F and AM (Coudersport High School)

<https://northernalleghenies.org/>

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is accepted to a post-secondary program and is the son/daughter/grandchild of a local Masonic member. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office and through the Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies.

Charles McCloskey Memorial Scholarship (Austin High School)

<https://elkcountyfoundation.org/>

Minimum of \$500. Awarded to a graduating senior from Austin Area High School who has been accepted into a post-secondary institution. Requires minimum "C" average. Applicant must demonstrate financial need. Applications available through Austin Area High School guidance office.

Music Booster Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Open to graduating seniors from Coudersport Senior High School who participated in choir or band activities during high school. Requires an essay and copy of acceptance letter. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Northern Potter Scholarship

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Approximately \$1,500. Awarded to a graduating senior from Northern Potter School District who plans to seek post-secondary education. Requires an essay, academic transcript, record of extracurricular/community activities, statement of educational/career plans, and interview. No consideration is given to financial need. Applications available online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.

Norton Scholarship Trust (Oswayo Valley High School)

<https://www.cnbankpa.com/>

Open to graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School who are planning to pursue post-secondary education. Essay and FAFSA is required. Applications available online through C&N Bank website.

Oswayo Valley Music Boosters Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Two \$250 scholarships awarded to graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School who will attend any music-related schooling or any two year or longer schooling in any major of interest. Applicant must have been an active participant in band and choir activities during at least two years of high school and must show good citizenship qualities. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Oswayo Valley Sports Boosters Scholarship Award (Oswayo Valley High School)

Scholarships awarded to graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School who will attend a one, two, or four-year program of higher education. Applicants must have completed at least one Oswayo Valley affiliated sports program during their high school years. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Oswayo Valley Teachers' Association Scholarships (Oswayo Valley High School)

\$1,000 awarded to graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School in each of four categories. One scholarship to be awarded to an applicant who will pursue an Associate's Degree from a university or two-year degree program. The other three categories include future educator, technical/trade, and Bachelor's Degree. Requires two letters of recommendation and a copy of the institution's acceptance letter. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Patrick W. Ryan Creative Writing & English Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is accepted into an accredited university or college. Applicants must be actively involved in extracurricular activities and have a love of writing. Requires writing sample and list of volunteer activities. Applications available online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.*

PTSA Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is enrolled in a two-year or four-year post-secondary institution. Requires minimum 85% GPA, essay, copy of acceptance letter, and resume. Student must have been a resident of Coudersport for at least 3 years, and must be involved in community service activities. Student must display leadership, citizenship, and character. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Chris Shall Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who plans to pursue a degree in an athletic or outdoor career OR who plans to pursue any college major while participating in and maintaining a strong involvement in athletics or outdoor activities. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Sharon Lodge #598 F&AM Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo High School who wishes to pursue post-secondary education. Applicant must show good citizenship, character, scholarship, leadership, service, and a desire for higher education. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Shinglehouse Volunteer Ambulance Association Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

\$500 and \$300 scholarships awarded to two graduating seniors from Oswayo Valley High School who are interested in pursuing post-secondary education. Applicant must show good citizenship (character, leadership, service) and a desire to further their education. A special award of \$100 will go to a student pursuing an education in the medical field. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Shinglehouse Volunteer Fire Department Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who plans to pursue post-secondary education. Applications available through the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Shinglehouse Youth Softball/Baseball Association (SYSBA) Scholarship Award (Oswayo Valley High School)

Two scholarships of \$500 each awarded to one male and one female graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who will attend a one, two, or four-year program of higher education. Eligibility is based on the applicant's participation on SYSBA affiliated teams. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Gene "Toots" Staiger Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

<https://northernalleghenies.org/>

Minimum of \$500. Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport High School who has been accepted into a post-secondary program in the state of Pennsylvania. Selection based on hard work and success, not GPA. Applications available through Coudersport High School guidance office or through the Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies.

Charlotte Sutton Citizenship Award (Oswayo Valley High School)

Approximately \$250. Awarded to a graduating senior from Oswayo Valley High School who has contributed to their community. Essay is required. Applications available online through the Oswayo Valley School District website or at the Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

Rev. John F. Weibel Scholarship of the Erie Community Foundation (Coudersport High School or Austin High School)

<https://www.eriecommunityfoundation.org/>

Open to graduating seniors from Coudersport Area or Austin Area Senior High Schools. Applicant must show financial need and be accepted to an accredited college or university. Essay is required. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School and Austin Area High School guidance offices.*

Major-Specific Scholarships:

Applied Science Students:

Frank Bruzzi Memorial Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who plans to continue their education at a trade or technical college. Requires a resume, letter of acceptance, and an essay. Applications available in Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Business Administration Students:

Judy Glover Memorial Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is planning to pursue a career in business or business education. Requires resume and copy of acceptance letter. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Office Girls Club Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who resides in Coudersport. Applicant must be enrolled in a business school. Requires a resume and an essay. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Mary Ann Walters Scholarship

Up to six scholarships awarded to graduating seniors in Potter County. Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited college or university in the U.S. in a curriculum leading to two years or greater degree status in the field of art/music or business. Requires 2.5 minimum GPA. Essay, acceptance letter, and at least two letters of recommendation required. Applications available in guidance offices of high schools in Potter County.*

Early Childhood Education Students:

Gerald F. Duffee, Sr. Scholarship (Austin High School)

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Approximately \$1,000. Awarded to a graduating senior from Austin Area High School who is pursuing a degree in education and is actively involved in extracurricular activities and volunteerism. Applications available through the Austin Area High School guidance office or online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.

Joseph Marzo Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who plans to major in education. Requires resume and copy of acceptance letter from the college the student will attend. Student must rank in the top half of their class. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

General Education Certificate for University of Pittsburgh at Titusville Nursing Program Students:

Dr. Moises & Eileen Cruz Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Approximately \$1,000. Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who will attend a college or university to study in a health-related field. Requires a resume and copy of acceptance letter. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Cole Memorial Nursing Scholarship Program

Scholarships awarded to graduates of high schools within the Charles Cole Memorial Hospital service area and any area residents who have been accepted into an accredited registered nursing program. Applications available through Cole Memorial Hospital.*

Dr. George & Doris Mosch Health Care Scholarship (Coudersport High School)

Awarded to a graduating senior from Coudersport Senior High School who is planning to pursue a degree in medicine at a college or university in Pennsylvania. Requires a resume and copy of college acceptance letter. Applications available through Coudersport Senior High School guidance office.

Tomb Family Scholarship

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Approximately \$1,000. Open to graduating seniors from Northern Potter School District who have good attendance and plan to pursue a degree in the health care field. Requires applicant to be in the top 10% of graduating at the end of the first semester of their senior year. Applicant must show good citizenship and moral character in the classroom and community. Applications available online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.

Rose Marie Tubbs Memorial Scholarship

<https://www.twintierscf.org/>

Approximately \$500. Awarded to a graduating senior from Northern Potter who is seeking a career in a field which may position them to contribute to medical science developments which may have the potential to eradicate diseases like cancer. Applications available online through the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers website.

Trushel Scholarship (Oswayo Valley High School)

Awarded to graduates of Oswayo Valley School District who are attending medical, veterinary, or nursing school. Requires 2.0 minimum GPA for nursing students. Applications available through Oswayo Valley High School guidance office.

*Requires college is accredited. Make sure NPRC is eligible before applying.