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FOREIGN LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIPS: Application 2012

Deadline: January 30, 2012 postmark -- early applications encouraged

Valparaiso University announces its annual competition for \$1,000 scholarships for first year students who will major in **CLASSICS, FRENCH, GERMAN, or SPANISH**. These merit awards are renewable three times for a total of \$4,000 if the student remains a foreign language major and makes satisfactory academic progress. Scholarship holders may have two majors. Scholarship winners are selected on the basis of this application, an essay of 200 words, a teacher's letter or recommendation, and a foreign language exam that must be taken before **January 30, 2012**. French, German and Spanish students will take the exam on-line at <http://www.valpo.edu/foreignlanguages/scholarships> (click on "Scholarships for First Year Students"). Latin students may take the exam during a campus visit; if that is not convenient the exam will be mailed to the applicant's high school teacher for administration at the high school. The exam is approximately one hour in length. We invite you to be considered for one of these scholarships.

Name _____ Language: _____

Address _____ Telephone: _____ E-mail _____

SAT scores: Verbal _____ Mathematics _____ ACT composite score : _____

Number of years enrolled in language courses _____

Experience abroad _____

Have you taken a second or third foreign language? Which one(s) and for how long?

Overall grade average _____ AP course in your language? **Yes / No** When? _____

Academic Awards _____

Have you applied for admission to Valparaiso University? **Yes / No**
*To be eligible to receive a scholarship you must have applied to VU by **February 10, 2012**.*

Do you plan to visit campus before **February 10, 2012**? **Yes / No** If yes, when? _____

• Please have your high school foreign language teacher write a letter of recommendation on your behalf.

Teacher's Name _____

Teacher's E-mail _____

High School Name and Phone _____

High School Address _____

• Please use the reverse side of this page to describe in about 200 words your academic and career goals (how did you become interested in foreign languages and what would you like to do with your language skills in the future?). Please type or print clearly.

• RETURN APPLICATION FORM AND LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION TO:

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