



ANN BEUSCH SCHOLARSHIP

What is it?

The Maryland Foreign Language Association has established the Ann Beusch Scholarship in honor of a former Supervisor of World Languages and ESOL for the State of Maryland. This award recognizes a high school senior who wishes to pursue a career in World Language Education in keeping with the spirit and dedication to the field that Ann demonstrated during her long tenure as a State Supervisor. The awardee will receive a scholarship of \$500 to apply to his or her studies at an accredited institution.

Who may apply? (Candidates must meet all three criteria)

High school seniors who

- wish to pursue a career in World Language Education, and
- have completed 4 or more years of world language study of the same language at the high school level (or currently enrolled in level 3 or higher of one world language), and
- are recommended by a teacher who is a current member of MFLA.

What is the application procedure?

Applicants for the scholarship must submit the following:

- Application form
- A high school transcript
- Two recommendations – **with at least one being from a world language teacher who is a current member of MFLA** (if unsure of membership status, please contact MFLAawards@gmail.com). Recommendations should include comments on the student's:
 - academic abilities
 - interests
 - engagement in world languages
 - leadership
 - potential as a teacher candidate.
- An essay by the applicant of at least 250 words describing the student's current involvement with the world language, as well as career goals and interest in World Language Education.

What funding is included?

The awardee will receive a scholarship of \$500 distributed in two installments of \$250 each. The first will be awarded upon selection and is to be applied to semester one, and the second installment will follow completion of the first semester of study at an accredited college or university.

Applications must include all information stated above in order to be evaluated by the Awards Committee. Please return the completed application packet by **April 9, 2018.**



APPLICATION FORM: ANN BEUSCH SCHOLARSHIP

NAME: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

PREFERRED EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

TEACHER NAME: _____

SCHOOL PHONE: _____ SCHOOL E-MAIL: _____

YOUR INTENDED LANGUAGE MAJOR(S): _____

Applicants must be recommended by a teacher, who is a current member of MFLA.
If a teacher is unsure of membership status, please contact us at MFLAawards@gmail.com



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Please send the completed application packet electronically to:

The Ann Beusch Scholarship
MFLAawards@gmail.com



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Date: _____

To be completed by the Awards Committee when evaluating application.

Name of Applicant: _____

Intended Language Major: _____

- Application form
- A high school transcript
- Two recommendations
- World Language teacher who is a member of MFLA: _____
 - Second recommendation: _____
- An essay by the applicant of at least 250 words describing the student's current involvement with the world

CRITERIA

Academic excellence in high school (transcript, grades in language classes)	5	10	15	20
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Comments: _____

Evidence of student's leadership, engagement & involvement in the language (teacher recommendations, language related activities)	5	10	15	20
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Comments: _____

Evidence of student's focus & interest in World Language Education (student essay)	5	10	15	20
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Comments: _____

Total Score _____ / 60 points Final Disposition: _____