



## LAKES COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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#### **German students score top marks on national exam**

Three German students might qualify for a trip to Germany for scoring in the 90th percentile on a voluntary exam sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of German.

Sophomore Rosie Schweier scored in the 93<sup>rd</sup> percentile for the German II exam, junior Josh Camp scored in the 91<sup>st</sup> percentile for the German III exam, and senior Jillian Wuorenma scored in the 99<sup>th</sup> percentile for the German IV exam. In fact, out of 261 German IV students who took the test from all around the country, Wuorenma's score was the second highest. Wuorenma studied abroad in Germany last year so does not qualify for the trip.

Forty-seven Lakes Community High School German students in levels two through four opted to take the National German Test in January. German teacher Melissa Haines said she encourages her students to take the exam "so they can compare their German skills with other students in Northern Illinois, as well as compete for study abroad scholarships and other awards."

For more information, contact Haines at [mhaines@lakeseagles.com](mailto:mhaines@lakeseagles.com).

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