

## ISE Alumnus Scholarship Eligibility Criteria

1. The candidate must have completed an ISE program abroad in the spring of or the summer following his/her junior or senior year.
2. The nominee will be of high academic standing and possess qualities of character, leadership and involvement in school and community life.
3. The candidate must be nominated by a foreign language teacher no later than October 15<sup>th</sup> of his/her ISE program year.
4. The candidate must submit high school transcript and an “Alumnus Scholarship Application Form.”
5. The candidate must submit a double-spaced, typed personal essay of 800-1000 words: “How the ISE Experience Has Affected My Life “
6. The candidate must plan on continuing the study of foreign language in college.

## Procedure

A nomination form (attached) is provided to teachers who wish to nominate a student. This form must be submitted to ISE no later than **October 15**.

**No more than 1 nomination per language per school will be accepted.**

Nominated students will be mailed a confirmation of their nomination with instructions and deadlines for submitting an application form, the personal essay, and a high school transcript. These materials must be postmarked on or before **November 15**.

A special committee will review all applications and will decide the recipient no later than **January 31st**. ISE will notify the scholarship recipient the first week of February. All candidates will be sent a letter announcing the winner.

Scholarship award will be made payable to the college or university when ISE receives a copy of the first semester tuition / room-and-board bill. If the bill is less than \$2,000, the remaining balance shall be paid upon submission of second semester bill. (Payments will be made to the school, not the applicant.)



# ISE Alumnus Scholarship Nomination Form

*(This form is due postmarked to ISE no later than October 15.)*

<b>Name of Nominating Teacher</b>					
<b>Name of Nominated Student</b>					
<b>School</b>		<b>ISE Destination</b>		<b>Group #</b>	

1. I confirm that this nominee completed his/her ISE program in his/her **junior or senior year** or the summer thereof.
2. I confirm that this nominee intends to continue the study of foreign language after graduation from high school.
3. I have attached on school letterhead my letter of recommendation on behalf of this nominee. (Address applicant's scholarship, character, participation in school and community life, and intent for on-going study of world language(s)).

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Nominating Teacher's Signature

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Date

Upon receipt of this form, ISE will mail the nominee a confirmation of nomination with instructions and application materials. The nominee must submit by November 15 (postmark) all required documents: application form, current high school transcript, and personal essay.

Thank you for nominating a student for the ISE Alumnus Scholarship!