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Ashwaubenon Students Win State Postcard Contest

Ashwaubenon, WI – November 7, 2012 – Ashwaubenon Schools have two “state champions”, one in the elementary and one in the middle school division of the State Discover Foreign Languages Student Postcard Contest. Valley View Elementary fourth grader Cara Korth’s postcard has been selected as the grades PK-5 winner in the Wisconsin Association of Foreign Language Teacher’s (WAFLT) annual contest. Parkview Middle School eighth grader Katelyn Huebner’s postcard is the winner for grades 6-8.

Students were to design a postcard which depicted the 2012 WAFLT Fall Conference Theme – *Communicate, Collaborate, Participate*. Cara’s and Katelyn’s designs were reproduced and made available at the annual WAFLT conference on Friday, November 2 in Appleton to use as correspondence between world language educators and any school-home-community communication.

This is the third elementary state winner for Valley View Elementary School. The 2010 and 2011 winners were Reece Maccaux and Samuel Stanko.

The Ashwaubenon School District is one of the few districts in the state of Wisconsin to offer a World Language Program for grades 1-12, where students may elect to learn Spanish or German.

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