



Dear Students, Faculty and Staff:

Earlier today, I shared some news about our tuition rate at a Faculty and Staff Town Hall meeting. Upon my recommendation, the University Board of Directors unanimously approved an undergraduate tuition freeze for the 2022-2023 academic year. This freeze will also extend to the undergraduate general fee for the same time period.

That being said, please understand that while the University was able to keep undergraduate tuition and the general fee at its current rate for next year, other fees, such as room and board costs, are likely to see minor, unavoidable increases. More information regarding rates will be available in the spring semester.

Students and their families have made an investment in their future with the decision to attend Valpo. This investment comes with the promise of academic excellence, personal growth, and a lifetime of support — promises that Valpo strives to make accessible to all who wish to accept our challenge.

As a campus community, we believe deeply in our students and their potential. We're proud that for nearly 30 years, more than 90% of graduates have secured employment or been admitted to a graduate program within nine months of graduation. This statistic is a testament to the dedication of our incredible faculty and staff who provide an excellent education, valuable opportunities, and unwavering support to our student body.

Thank you for all your good work and support of Valparaíso University.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "José D. Padilla". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "José" and last name "Padilla" clearly legible.

José D. Padilla, JD  
President

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